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The author has compiled an 8-generation comprehensive
descendancy book of Abraham Absalom Blanton and descendants.
It is my hope that this will serve as a template for others to record
and report on their family history.

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DAYS

"BEHOLD, I WILL SEND YOU ELIJAH THE PROPHET BEFORE THE COMING OF THE GREAT AND DREADFUL DAY OF THE LORD: AND HE SHALL TURN THE HEART OF THE FATHERS TO THE CHILDREN, AND THE HEART OF THE CHILDREN TO THEIR FATHERS, LEST I COME AND SMITE THE EARTH WITH A CURSE. MALACHI 4:5-6

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PREFACE

This body of work has taken 38 years of record searching in courthouses, interviews with living relatives, cemeteries, microfilm reading of census records, deeds and most important of all...libraries from the local town library to the National Archives, resources gathered from all over Missouri and Tennessee.

I have had help from many researchers sharing their research over the years with the intent that one-day, I would be able to compile and share what was found with others. It is with great pleasure I am able to share this accumulative descendant research in this comprehensive volume of work.

First and foremost, please make back-up copies of this file for future preservation.

LAYOUT

There are several sections in this book.

[1] 69-pages descendant chart of Abraham Absalom Blanton's family comprising of 8 generations.

[2] Most descendants have basic information some with Cradle to Grave Profiles (C2G) followed by notes comprised of very important source documentation and research recommendations.

[4] Most descendants have spousal information including children and their spouses. If further information is wanted concerning allied families, please contact the author.

[5] Names highlighted in **blue** are the author's direct line ancestors.

[6] The end of the book has the author's pedigree showing his relationship to the common ancestor. Also, there is a short biography of the author explaining his interest and qualifications in family history research.

I hope you will share this book with others in your family and it will become a family treasure.

Any questions you may have concerning information in this book can be asked of the author either at his home address: Floyd Pratt, 4000 20th Street West Apt 113, Bradenton, Florida 34205-5057 or by phone 941.209.1701 or by email floydpratt59@yahoo.com.

It is and always has been my desire to share what I have found with others so they may use our research as a springboard to launch their family histories. Only through knowing our ancestors...can we know ourselves.

Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

8 Generations of Descendants of Abraham Absalom Blanton

1-Abraham Absalom Blanton

born: 1802-1805, Clover Fork, Knox, Kentucky, United States

died: 4 March 1872, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

+Cynthia Ann Pratt

born: 1810, Greene, Tennessee, United States

died: 1850-1851, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

parents: Cherokee Pratts and Unknown

2-James Blanton

born: 1826, Greene, Tennessee, United States

died: 9 October 1898, Miller, Arkansas, United States

+Margaret Green Goforth

born: 1833, Washington, Missouri, United States

died:

parents: Willoughby Goforth and Martha Marquis

3-Green G. Blanton

born: 1850, Washington, Missouri, United States

died:

+Nancy A. Adams

born:

parents:

+Nancy H. Stevenson

born:

parents: Unknown and Unknown

2-Elizabeth Blanton

born: February 1827-1828, Greene, Tennessee, United States

died: 22 February 1916, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+John D. Allen Sr.

born: 9 March 1816, New York, United States

died: 1880-1900, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

parents: Robert Allen and Martha Kerr

3-Eliza Ann Allen

born: 12 December 1845, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 26 April 1863, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United~

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3-Catherine Frances "Kate" Allen

born: 16 January 1848, near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 25 May 1929, Sorento, Shoal Creek Twp, Bond, Illinois, United States

+Thomas Kitchen

born: 23 January 1844, Broughton, England
died: 21 August 1932, Sorento, Shoal Creek Twp, Bond, Illinois, United States
parents:

3-John D. Allen Jr.

born: 7 September 1850, near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 28 February 1946, Bellflower, Bear Creek Twp, Montgomery, Missouri, United States

+Ruth Minerva Matlock

born: 29 January 1854, Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 22 September 1932, 3952 Shenandoah Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
parents: Isom Matlock and Mary Jane Malvena Summers

4-Richard Norton Allen

born: 10 September 1892, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 5 January 1963

+Madge Martin Whiteside

born: 26 July 1896, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 15 August 1972
parents: James David Whitesides and Nancy Sybil Martin

+Madge Martin Whiteside

born: 26 July 1896, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 15 August 1972
parents:

4-Charles Allen

born: February 1882, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 1928

4-Lawrence Allen

born: October 1893, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Clara Minerva Allen

born: 18 May 1890, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 25 December 1971, Los Angeles, Los Angeles Twp, Los Angeles, California, United States

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+Chester C Simpson (see Clara Minerva Allen on page 2)
born: 18 August 1882, Litaker, Rowan, North Carolina, United States
died: 14 August 1955, Los Angeles, Los Angeles Twp, Los Angeles, California, United States
parents:

4-Agnes Myrtle Allen
born: February 1888, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: November 1969

4-Norton Allen
born: July 1894, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died:

3-Elizabeth M. Allen
born: 4 February 1853, near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 11 September 1882, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

3-Mary Jane Allen
born: 26 October 1855, near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 28 November 1879, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Horace Jennings
born: Abt 1855, United States
died:
parents:

4-Roy Alan Jennings
born: 21 June 1883, Missouri, United States
died: September 1964, Los Angeles, Los Angeles Twp, Los Angeles, California, United States

+Capt. John Keyes
born:
parents:

3-Henry Allen
born: 16 February 1858, near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 21 February 1940, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Margaret Cain
born: 20 November 1864
died: 29 March 1901, Crawford, Missouri, United States
parents: Jesse A. Cain and Sarah "Sary" Lucinda Florence Greenlee

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+Dora (see Henry Allen on page 3)
born:
died:
parents:

3-William "Will" Mitchell Allen

born: 25 December 1861, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, ~
died: 28 July 1925, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Lillian Margaret A. "Lillie" Hanson

born: 29 June 1869, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died: 29 May 1925, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Andrew Jackson Hanson and Mrs.

4-Walter Franklin Allen

born: 18 August 1890, near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 23 December 1933, Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), ~

+Pearlina Studdard

born: 30 May 1892, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 21 September 1935, Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), ~
parents: James Franklin Studdard and Mary Ellen Pratt

5-Floyd Joseph Allen

born: 22 July 1909, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: June 1964, (Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, U~

+Bertha Lorene Reed

born: 14 August 1909, Iola, Allen, Kansas, United States
died: 26 July 1972, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
parents: Willard Marion Reed and Nancy Jane "Jani" Copeland

5-Zonagale Maxine "Zona" Allen

born: 18 March 1913, Carterville City, Joplin Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States
died: 29 June 1984, San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States

+August Charles Tonn Jr.

born: 13 December 1913
died: 6 August 1994, San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States
parents:

5-Earl Edward Allen

born: 9 May 1915, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 26 October 1938, Saint Louis County Hospital, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (~

8 Generations of Descendants of Abraham Absalom Blanton

5-Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen

born: 2 March 1917, Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 7 April 1992, Early, Brown, Texas, United States

+Lurley Frances Whitmire

born: 27 August 1912, Justice Precinct 3, Brown, Texas, United States
died: 31 May 1986, Brownwood, Brown, Texas, United States
parents: Julian "July" Lonard "Lon" Whitmire and Mary Olive "Ollie" Marlin

6-Walter Fred Allen

born: 4 January 1942, Morton, Cochran, Texas, United States
died:

5-Dollie Mae Allen

born: 6 November 1918, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 13 September 1970, Fontana, San Bernardino, California

+Brooner

born:
died:
parents:

+Robert "Bob" Howard

born:
died:
parents:

+Charles Wayman Kerr

born: 25 August 1920, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States
died: 25 May 2007, San Diego, San Diego, California, United States
parents: Earl Walker Kerr and Mayme Katherine Berry

5-James William "Jiggs" Allen

born: 8 January 1921, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 16 January 2009, (Saint Johns United Church of Christ Cemetery, Manchester, Sain~

+Patricia Burdett

born:
died:
parents:

+Dorothy Pauline Anderson

born: 27 September 1922, Corridon, Reynolds, Missouri, United States
died: 31 May 1985, Chesterfield, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
parents:

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5-Paul Allen

born: 1922, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died:

5-Robert Vernon Allen

born: 4 November 1925, Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, Un~
died: 23 November 1977, Sterling City, Sterling, Texas, United States

+Joe Florence Goodwin

born: 23 February 1944, Carrizo Springs, Dimmit, Texas, United States
died: 24 July 2000, San Angelo, Texas, United States
parents:

5-Pearl Allen

born: 18 December 1927, Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, U~
died:

5-Murial Eugene Allen

born: 18 December 1927, Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, U~
died: 31 August 1942, Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, Unite~

5-Delores Lee Allen

born: 28 April 1929, Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United ~
died: 1 June 2009, Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+James William Fitzgerald

born: 21 March 1927, Imboden, Iron, Missouri, United States
died: 23 July 1993, Middlebrook, Iron Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents: James Louis Fitzgerald and Ethel Armentie Farley

+David E. Thompson

born: 22 June 1946, Niagra Falls, New York, United States
died: 17 November 1984, Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio, United States
parents:

5-David Gary Allen

born: 14 October 1932, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
died: 29 October 1933, Saint Louis County Hospital, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (~

4-Drusilla Lucille "Drusie" Allen

born: 2 July 1890, near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 30 December 1989, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

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+Alexander "Alex" Dyle (see Drusilla Lucille "Drusie" Allen on page 6)
born: 8 October 1882, Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 2 April 1954, Firmin Desloge Hospital, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
parents: Peter Dyle and Nancy Catherine Pratt

4-Richard Joseph Allen
born: 4 December 1894, near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 26 October 1916, Carterville, Joplin District, Jasper, Missouri, United States

+Eunice Fay Haukins
born:
died:
parents:

4-Ethel Lee Allen
born: 15 December 1896, near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 8 October 1928, Cisne, Bedford Twp, Wayne, Illinois, United States

+William Edwards Eads
born:
died:
parents:

+Earl Bly
born:
died:
parents:

3-Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" Allen
born: 28 October 1863, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 20 January 1936, Hermosa Beach, Los Angeles, California, United States

+Cyrus Frank Snyder
born: 1865, Illinois, United States
died:
parents:

3-Clara Emaline Allen
born: 20 January 1867, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 2 February 1947, rural Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+William Seymour Sites
born: 26 April 1858, Hardy, Bedford, Virginia, United States
died: 17 February 1935, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
parents: Enoch Levi Sites Sr. and Dorcas Sites

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4-Etta Viola Sites

born: 29 April 1887, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 16 July 1950, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Pinkney "Pink" Albert Carter

born: 12 September 1879, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 1962, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
parents: Rev. William McKinley Carter and Cynthia Ellen Burgess

5-Ruth Clara Carter

born: 9 June 1910, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 27 March 1956, 20 Blackburn Avenue, Ferguson, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, Un~

+Elwood Adelbert Barnhart

born: 10 December 1906, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 20 May 1975, Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
parents: Frank L Barnhart and Minnie Lee Ratliff

6-Theora Leigh Barnhart

born: 22 January 1933

+Theodore William Dust

born: 8 September 1927
parents:

5-Russell Albert Carter

born: 20 April 1913
died: 27 January 1978, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

+Juanita Lucille Dobkins

born: 9 April 1919
died: 16 November 2004, (Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Miss~
parents:

5-Elise Evelyn Carter

born: 30 July 1915, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 17 December 1957, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Herman F. Hoerath

born: 7 July 1912
died: 12 April 1979, (Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, Unite~
parents:

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5-James Wesley Carter

born: 1 September 1917, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 3 July 1944, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

5-Ellen Louise Carter

born: 1920, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died:

5-Seymour William Carter

born: 26 October 1921, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 26 September 1977, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Mary Lorine McCleary

born: 20 December 1928

parents:

5-Roy Louis Carter

born: 30 January 1925, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 23 November 1980, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Ellen Jean Carroll

born: 30 November 1927

died: 30 November 1999, Saint James, Saint James Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States

parents:

4-Minnie Myrtle Sites

born: 18 November 1889, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 8 May 1947, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+William John Bohnenkamp

born: 19 January 1885

died: 1969

parents: August Frederick Bohnenkamp and Wilhelmina Koch

5-Benjamin William Bohnenkamp

born: 5 April 1912

died:

+Edith Fern Laurence

born:

parents:

5-Vera Clara "Clair" Bohnenkamp

born: 29 October 1914

died: 7 November 1978, (Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, ~

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+David Troutt (see Vera Clara "Clair" Bohnenkamp on page 9)
born:
parents:

5-Wilber Bohnenkamp
born: 1 December 1916

+Bockwitz
born:
parents:

5-Donald Lee Bohnenkamp
born: 13 July 1919

+Mary Jenny
born:
parents:

5-Bonnie Oneta Bohnenkamp
born: 4 June 1925
died: 22 October 1961

+William Edward Reiner
born:
parents:

4-Amy Eva Sites
born: 14 July 1892, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 5 October 1965, Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+Samuel David Bohnenkamp
born: 17 February 1889, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 20 February 1983, Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents: August Frederick Bohnenkamp and Wilhelmina Koch

5-Alice May Bohnenkamp
born: 8 May 1914, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Harry Summers
born:
parents:

6-Amy Ann Summers
born: 27 April 1943

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+Ron Cox (see Amy Ann Summers on page 10)
born:
parents:

6-Harry Samuel Summers
born: 23 March 1946

+Pam
born:
parents:

6-Daniel Earl Summers
born: 12 October 1947

5-Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp
born: 21 February 1916, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 8 February 1989, Pine Island, Hernando, Florida, United States

+Coy Truman Statler
born: 27 February 1915, Bollinger, Missouri, United States
died: 28 January 1978, Van Buren, Carter Twp, Carter, Missouri, United States
parents: Miller Malachi Hasting Statler and Bertha Alice Statler

6-Mary Alice Statler
born: 1 August 1936, Bollinger, Missouri, United States

+Donald Ray Blaylock
born: 4 November 1933, Perry, Missouri, United States
parents: Julius Spencer Blaylock and Lillie Etta Shrum

7-Delba Sue Blaylock
born: 6 September 1955, Poplar Bluff, Poplar Bluff Twp, Butler, Missouri, United States

+Charles Lee Dawson
born: 13 July 1945, Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents:

8-Richard James Dawson
born: 10 April 1982

8-Christina Jeanette Dawson
born: 14 February 1984, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

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8-Melissa Dawn Dawson
born: 14 February 1984, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

7-Paula Mariette Blaylock
born: 11 January 1958, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

+Donald Gurlin
born:
parents:

8-Rachel Suzanne Gurlin
born: 14 February 1982, Festus, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

+Harold Douglas Beldon
born: 1 June 1951, Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio, United States
parents:

8-Becky Marie Beldon
born: 3 April 1983, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

7-Wesley Don Blaylock
born: 20 January 1961, Lamar, Barton, Missouri, United States

+Paula Marie Wamble
born: 19 September 1962, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
parents:

8-Amanda Marie Blaylock
born: 19 June 1982, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

8-Wesley Don Blaylock Jr.
born: 7 May 1984, Festus, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

6-Paul Truman Statler
born: 11 July 1938, Bollinger, Missouri, United States

+Mildred Arlene Blansett
born: 2 July 1933, Arkansas, United States
parents:

7-David Paul Statler
born: 25 January 1965, Goldsboro, Wayne, North Carolina, United States

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+Patricia Lynn Hales (see David Paul Statler on page 12)

born:

parents:

7-Mary Elizabeth Statler

born: 3 September 1969, Memphis, Shelby, Tennessee, United States

+Timothy Leon Foley

born:

parents:

+Jefferson Grant Sellers (see Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp on page 11)

born:

parents:

5-Earl Austin Bohnenkamp

born: 26 September 1917, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 9 May 1969, Morganfield, Union, Kentucky, United States

+Viola Gertrude Randall

born:

parents:

6-Twyla Beth Bohnenkamp

born: 26 September 1953

6-David Wayne Bohnenkamp

born: 16 July 1955

+Sarah Ann Duncan

born:

parents:

5-Clara Amy Bohnenkamp

born: 9 October 1919, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Samuel Thomas Raines Jr.

born:

parents:

5-Henry Edward Bohnenkamp

born: 26 November 1921, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 6 June 1990, Desloge Village, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

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+Juanita Bernice Eaton (see Henry Edward Bohnenkamp on page 13)
born: 20 August 1924, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 5 February 1995, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents: Vernon Lee Eaton and Alta Verlina Davis

6-Edward Lee Bohnenkamp
born: 26 January 1947

6-Linda Sue Bohnenkamp
born: 26 February 1949

+Michael Reed
born:
parents:

6-Cynthia Ann Bohnenkamp
born: 1 December 1951

+Ralph Tisher
born:
parents:

6-Stephen Henry Bohnenkamp
born: 25 November 1960

6-John Alan Bohnenkamp
born: 26 June 1964

+Patricia Barton
born:
parents:

5-Marvin Herman Bohnenkamp
born: 26 October 1923, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 30 November 1974, Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, U~

+Davalee Pettus
born:
parents:

6-Marvin Hamilton Bohnenkamp
born: 19 October 1948

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6-Kenneth Avery Bohnenkamp
born: 18 August 1952

6-Robin Marie Bohnenkamp
born: 17 April 1956

6-Robert Scott Bohnenkamp
born: 6 May 1959

6-Tracy Lynne Bohnenkamp
born: 16 June 1966

5-Lucy Thelma Bohnenkamp
born: 22 October 1926, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Andrew Jackson Fowler Jr.
born:
parents:

6-Beverly Ann Fowler
born: 16 June 1952

+Mark Kasten
born:
parents:

7-Amy Kasten
born:

7-Jennifer Kasten
born:

6-Brenda Kay Fowler
born: 14 May 1956

+William Straussner
born:
parents:

4-Thomas Wesley "Wick" Sites
born: 19 December 1894, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 28 March 1962, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

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4-Walter "Willie" Sites

born: 28 May 1897, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 27 November 1897, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

4-William Jasen Sites

born: 10 October 1898, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 27 November 1898, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

4-Mary Elizabeth Sites

born: 5 April 1900, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 5 April 1939

+Oscar Schlater

born:

parents:

4-Lillian Ethel Sites

born: 29 January 1903, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 21 August 1991, Butts, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+William Frederick Summer

born:

parents:

4-Gladys Sites

born: 17 October 1906, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died:

+Carl Ross

born:

parents:

4-Della Evelyn Sites

born: 31 March 1908, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 2 July 1913, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

4-Wilbur Elmer Sites

born: 21 August 1912, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 16 June 1964, (Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, Unite~

+Lela Ethel Barton

born: 21 August 1915, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 19 March 1992

parents: Alfred Webster Barton and Mary Eva Gintz

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2-Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

born: 7 September 1828, Greene, Tennessee, United States
died: 3 April 1882, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Nancy Mariah Pratt

born: 10 July 1830, Monroe, Tennessee, United States
died: 27 January 1873, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
parents: Henry Pratt and Nancy Carter

3-Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton

born: 28 September 1850, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 24 February 1922, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Charles "Charley" W. Boles

born: 7 December 1839, Illinois, United States
died: 29 November 1922, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Frederick William Bowles and 1st Wife

4-Frances "Fannie" B. Boles

born: March 1879, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 1900-1905, Little River, Arkansas, United States

+William Jefferson "Jeff" Otto

born: 27 December 1861, near Ringers Point Post Office, Liberty Twp, Adair, Missouri, United States
died: 1920-1925, Little River, Arkansas, United States
parents:

5-Winnie W. Otto

born: 29 March 1894, Little River, Arkansas, United States
died: 14 April 1965

4-Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles

born: 3 October 1880, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 27 October 1951, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+John J. Cartwright

born: 12 December 1872, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 2 January 1931, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Samuel "Sam" Cartwright and Angeline M. Henson

5-Emmett Cartwright

born: 19 August 1902, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 28 April 1984, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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+Mahala Phillips (see Emmett Cartwright on page 17)
born: 26 February 1903, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 11 January 1928, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: William Russell Phillips and Mary Matilda Arnold

6-Virginia Ellen Cartwright
born: 12 June 1925, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Benjamin William Burt II
born: 23 October 1917, Leadwood, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 17 April 1995, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Benjamin William Burt Senior and Lillian Della Mohr

7-Benjamin Burt III
born: 21 April 1954

7-Susan Eilaine Burt
born: 15 February 1960

+James Reed
born:
parents:

+Mabel Huff (see Emmett Cartwright on page 17)
born:
parents:

5-James L. "Jim" Cartwright
born: 1904, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 1979, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Louise E. Cartwright
born: 24 December 1905, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 5 June 1986, (United Methodist Church of Saint Clair Cemetery, Central Twp, Frank~

+Harold R. Crow
born: 26 November 1901, Missouri, United States
died: 13 February 1964
parents: Samuel Jasper Crow and Clarissa Ann Jennings

5-Charles "Charley" Cartwright
born: 4 May 1907, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 10 October 1985, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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5-Nellie M. Cartwright

born: 16 June 1907, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 8 October 1987, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Patrick Phillips

born: 18 January 1898

died: 27 October 1981, (Elmwood Church Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Mis~

parents: Lafayette Phillips and Elizabeth Huff

5-Sidney E. Cartwright

born: 4 February 1911

died: 17 February 1986, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Hallie C. Cartwright

born: 1914

died: 1983, (Midlawn Memorial Gardens, Union, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United ~

+Jerry Brown

born:

parents:

5-Harry F. Cartwright

born: 1916

died: 1940, (Virginia Mines Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, U~

4-Jessie L. Boles

born: 13 November 1884, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 14 November 1905, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

3-Alexander A. Blanton Jr.

born: 31 May 1854, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 23 October 1931, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Eliza Jane "Jennie" Dace

born: 18 June 1871, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

died: 24 February 1953, Missouri State Hospital #1, Fulton, Fulton Twp, Callaway, Missouri~

parents: John Dennis Dace and Sarah Davis

4-Rilla Ethel Blanton

born: 28 July 1894, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 17 February 1963, (Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Miss~

+Harry Herman Graham Sr.

born: 21 March 1874, New Florence Post Office, Fairfield Twp, Westmoreland, Pennsylv~

died: 12 January 1952, North Side Hospital, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, Un~

parents: John Laugherty Graham and Maria Lucinda Ogden

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5-Lucille Graham

born: November 1919, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

+Reed

born:
parents:

5-John "Johnny" Alexander Graham

born: 16 January 1921, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 23 November 1945, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Harry Herman Graham Jr.

born: 9 September 1925, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 20 September 1925, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

4-Ralph McDonald Blanton Sr.

born: 11 July 1898, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 10 October 1967, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

+Annabell Alcey Bates

born: 8 June 1907, Spring Bluff, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 21 October 1992, Florissant, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
parents: William Franklin Bates and Lydia Magdelain Koester

5-Ralph McDonald Blanton Jr.

born: 4 July 1928, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 6 September 1989, (Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, S~

5-Alcie Jane Blanton

born: 28 January 1930, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 21 April 1930, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

3-Absalom B. Blanton

born: 2 April 1856, Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 13 January 1933, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Martha Ellen Jackson

born: 17 December 1857, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri
died: 17 April 1933, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
parents: William Smith A. Jackson and Edith "Eda" Jane Simmons

4-Jim Dulio "Duel" Dulie Blanton

born: 6 June 1886, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 1917, Germany

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+Elizabeth "Eliza" "Lizzie" F. Stater (see Jim Dulio "Duel" Dulie Blanton on page 20)
born: 1894
died:
parents: Francis "Frank" Stater and Fannie Neff

4-Arthur "Joker" Blanton
born: 14 July 1887, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 2 November 1947, O'Reilly Veteran's Administration Hospital, Springfield, Campbell~

+Mary Elizabeth Fenton
born: 30 September 1908, House Creek Twp, Pawnee, Oklahoma, United States
died: 18 January 1975, Stauton Twp, Macoupin, Illinois, United States
parents: Arthur Lee Fenton and Myrtle Lee Ridgeway

5-Arthur B. Blanton
born: 25 December 1925, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Vicky
born:
parents:

5-James Lee Blanton
born: 28 February 1927, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 9 August 2001, Lookout, Pike, Kentucky, United States

5-Nadine Emily Blanton
born: 22 May 1928, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Custer R. Walters
born: 23 July 1924
died: 6 February 2001, Cuba, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
parents:

5-Magdeline "Tootsie" Blanton
born: 17 May 1929, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 5 February 1990, New Hartford, Pike, Missouri, United States

+Charles Edwin Crider
born: 30 October 1919
died: 24 December 1980
parents:

5-Stella Mae "Polly" Blanton
born: 11 August 1930, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

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+Woodrow Coffman (see Stella Mae "Polly" Blanton on page 21)
born:
parents:

5-Myrtle Ellen Blanton
born: 3 March 1932
died: 22 March 1998

+William Overley
born: 3 January 1949
died: 26 March 1998
parents:

5-Audrain Absalom Blanton
born: 10 September 1933

+Reva Jane Bova
born: 1944
died: 1964
parents:

5-Robert "Bob" Donald Blanton
born: 23 May 1934

5-Shirley Jean Blanton
born: 4 May 1935

+Melton
born:
parents:

5-Edna Jane "Inkie" Blanton
born: 30 June 1937

+Lee Beck
born:
parents:

5-Lottie Belle Blanton
born: 22 January 1940, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 17 October 2004, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Rudyard Lugburg Jacobsen
born:
died:
parents:

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5-Carol Yvonne Blanton
born: 2 October 1941

+George Brewer
born:
parents:

5-Ruth Elaine Blanton
born: 10 August 1945

+William "Bill" Dale Poertner
born:
parents:

+Harold Dean Langford
born:
parents:

4-Lottie Blanton
born: 16 July 1891, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died: 13 January 1963, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Mahlon Edgar Keyes
born: 2 December 1877, Oak hill, Crawford, Missouri, USA
died: 3 April 1944, Legion, Kerrville, Kerr, Texas, United States
parents: James Gillispie Keyes and Nancy Elnora McCashin

5-Mildred Keyes
born: 8 January 1907, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died: 12 Dec1996, Arlington, Tarrant, Texas, United States

+Asher Richardson Bell Sr.
born: 22 May 1907, Carrizo Springs, Dimmit, Texas, USA
died: 10 October 1984, San Antonio, Bexar, Texas, United States
parents:

5-Vernon E. Keyes
born: 8 December 1916, Springfield, Capital Twp, Sangamon, Illinois, United States
died:

3-Augustus "Gus" Blanton
born: 2 March 1858, Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 3 January 1933, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri,~

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+Hannah Eliza Burley (see Augustus "Gus" Blanton on page 23)
born: 22 May 1867, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 31 March 1904, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
parents: George D. Burley and Susan

3-Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton
born: 11 November 1859, Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 9 March 1923, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+William E. "Uncle Bill" Keys
born: 25 November 1855, Arkansas, United States
died: 22 March 1934, Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Keys and Unknown

4-Rosie May Keys
born: 13 January 1887, Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 26 August 1985, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+John Harvey Reed
born: 7 October 1883, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 15 October 1966, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents: Enos Reed and Lydia Hoff

5-Jewell Reed
born: 10 June 1906, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 8 May 1907, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-William Enos Reed
born: 2 April 1908, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 25 November 1986, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

5-Marshall Reed
born: 5 July 1910, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 5 July 1996, House Springs, High Ridge Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

5-Mathew Reed
born: 5 July 1910, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 5 February 1995, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

5-Douglas Reed
born: 18 January 1912, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 2 March 1994, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

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5-Wilda E. Reed

born: 12 March 1914, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 2 February 2008, (Park Lawn Cemetery, Lemay, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, Uni~

+Wilbert Howard Barks

born: 22 November 1913

died: 24 July 1998, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

parents: Howard Aure Barks and Dora Ethel Whybark

5-Sherwood Reed

born: 26 June 1916, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 13 June 2005, Long Beach, Harrison, Mississippi, United States

5-Helen L. Reed

born: 21 March 1918, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 14 July 2002, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

5-Harvey John Reed

born: 26 August 1919, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

died: 3 July 1991, Desloge Village, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+Geraldine Mabel Miller

born: 12 October 1924, Leadwood, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

died: 25 August 2010, St. Joe Manor, 10 Lake Drive, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Fra~

parents: George Henry Miller and Mamie Ethel Sebastian

6-Diane N. Reed

born: 25 December 1943

died: 21 July 1996

+Clements

born:

parents:

6-Michael Rueban Reed

born: 27 September 1947, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United St~

6-Thomas Keys Reed

born: 10 September 1953, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United St~

6-Stephen Peter Reed

born: 19 December 1959, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United Sta~

died: 24 June 1979, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United St~

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6-Barry Lynn Reed

born: 6 January 1962, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

5-Waldo "Toe" B. Reed

born: 23 July 1922, Leadwood, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

died: 21 October 2003, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

4-Birdie Keys

born: 12 May 1891, Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 12 January 1979, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+Hedgeman "Red" Asbridge

born: 10 June 1883, Sainte Genevieve, Missouri, United States

died: 17 August 1967, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

parents:

5-Orin S. Asbridge

born: 1912, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

died:

5-James Stanley Asbridge

born: 23 March 1914, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

died: 6 April 1970

5-Iona C. Asbridge

born: 1917, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

died:

4-Thomas "Tom" Keys

born: 1 January 1892, Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 12 March 1986, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Malissa Pearl Neff

born: 5 October 1903, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 10 January 1938, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: Charles "Charley" Neff and Elizabeth "Betty" M. Garrett

5-Monroe Keys

born: 28 January 1923, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

died: 14 November 1975, Washington, Ohio, United States

+Joan Edwards

born:

parents:

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5-Hilda Marie Keys

born: 21 January 1925, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 11 January 1992, Washington, Ohio, United States

+Leonard Hudson

born: 10 February 1926, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died: 4 April 2008, Wappapello, Wayne, Missouri, United States
parents: Edgar William Hudson and Sophie Elizabeth Gertrude Dring

6-Leonard Thomas Hudson

born: 3 April 1946, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

6-John Gary Hudson

born: 23 April 1947, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

6-Lissa Lee Hudson

born: 7 May 1949, Kirkwood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

+McKenna

born:
parents:

6-Felicia Dee Hudson

born: 17 November 1959, Washington, Ohio, United States

5-Katherine Leona "Kitty" Keys

born: 17 February 1927, Kirkwood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
died: 12 October 2002, Arco, Butte, Idaho, United States

+Willis Ranson Newby

born: 18 November 1914, Herbert, Madison, Idaho, United States
died: 6 March 1967, Shoshone, Lincoln, Idaho, United States
parents: Nicholas Francis Newby Jr and Emily Lorinda Barber

5-Wilma Faye "Wink" Keys

born: 3 October 1930, Morris Mills, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: After 1982, (Crestview Memorial Park, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri,~

+Andrew Frederick Weirich

born: 12 September 1910, Champion City, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 30 July 1961, Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Mis~
parents: Oscar Gustave Weirich and Addie Francis Caldwell

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+Edwin Joseph Schoenfeld (see Wilma Faye "Wink" Keys on page 27)
born: 25 December 1910, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: November 1982, Washington, Ohio, United States
parents:

5-Betty Jean Keys
born: 19 May 1932, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 23 October 2009, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Reuban Jordan Deaton
born:
parents:

5-Nellie Fern Keys
born: 13 March 1936, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Ray Suiter
born:
died: 1980-1990, Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents:

+Betty Hilliard (see Thomas "Tom" Keys on page 26)
born:
died:
parents: Hilliard and Loucinda Stephens

4-Theresa "Tressie" Keys
born: 16 September 1895, Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 14 July 1946, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Alexander Bailey
born: 7 January 1895, Jefferson, Missouri, United States
died: 15 November 1957, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Albert Almorine Bailey and Martha Jane Muse

4-Eva Maxine Keys
born: 7 July 1897, Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 18 February 1963, (Sunset Cemetery, Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United ~

+Otis "Odie" Chester Miller
born: 15 August 1896, Linn, Crawford Twp, Osage, Missouri, United States
died: 26 July 1930, Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: John A. Miller and Mary J. Brim

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+John Wesley Hogan (see Eva Maxine Keys on page 28)
born: 11 October 1898, Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 23 August 1972, (Sunset Cemetery, Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States)
parents: James Cullen Hogan and Catherine Elizabeth Muir

5-LuLa Bell Hogan
born: 9 April 1932
died: 7 July 2003, (Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States)

3-Isabelle "Belle" Blanton
born: 8 January 1862, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: April 1901, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

+James H. Eads
born: 4 August 1863, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 12 November 1932, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: James Eads and Jane

4-Maudie Ann Eads
born: 1 February 1891, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 17 October 1924, Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+James William Cain
born: 15 June 1881, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 15 February 1945, Bonne Terre Hospital, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents: John Marion Cain and Sarah Elizabeth Studdard

5-James Alvin Cain Caine
born: 3 September 1908, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 22 February 1983, Sparta, Sparta Precinct, Randolph, Illinois, United States

5-Leslie Wesley Andrew Cain
born: 1910, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 29 July 1979, Collinsville, St Clair, Illinois, United States

5-Alice Cain
born: 1912, Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 1960, Sacramento, Sacramento, California, United States

3-Louisa Blanton
born: 11 March 1863, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 9 February 1912, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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+John Henry Clark (see Louisa Blanton on page 29)
born: November 1859, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 1951, Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States
parents: Benjamin Johnson Clark and Sarah Susan Sullivan

4-Elsie Clark

born: 2 August 1890, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 1 January 1954, Saint Joseph Hospital, Boonville, Boonville Twp, Cooper, Missouri,~

+Henry C. Rommelman

born: 30 August 1882, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 30 September 1955, Saint Joseph Hospital, Boonville, Boonville Twp, Cooper, Missouri
parents: Heinrich Christian "Chris" Rommelman Jr. and Nancy Woodcock

4-Charles "Charlie" Clark

born: July 1891, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Carac Martin Clark

born: 11 March 1893, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Albert Clark

born: April 1896, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Alice Clark

born: 1896, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Minnie Clark

born: 1908, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

3-Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton

born: 19 June 1866, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 3 January 1941, 26th & Tyler Avenue, Joplin, Jasper, Missouri, United States

+Andrew Jackson Archer "Jack" Bigley

born: 3 October 1863, near Long Bottom Post Office, Olive Twp, Meigs, Ohio, United States
died: 23 November 1919, Joplin City, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States
parents: Charles Bigley and Sarah Chevalier

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4-Carl William Bigley

born: 18 January 1886, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 10 April 1967, Picher, Ottawa, Oklahoma, United States

+Theodora "Dora" Marie Charboneau

born: 1 October 1888, Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 1 March 1916, 205 North Jefferson, Webb City, Jasper, Missouri, United States
parents: Charles Leon Charboneau and Sarah J. Jackson

4-Drucilla J. Bigley

born: 11 November 1887, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 21 January 1969

+William Kennedy

born: 9 September 1884, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 28 May 1918, 2321 Annabaxter, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States
parents: William Kennedy and Miodesi Labeau

4-Andrew Lauren Bigley

born: 19 October 1889, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 26 July 1950, Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Misso~

+Anna Belle Byington

born: 13 July 1891, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 4 September 1961, Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, ~
parents: Samuel Richter Byington and Minnie Caroline Asbridge

5-Jesse Ray Bigley

born: 1919, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Andrew L. Bigley

born: 1922, Oklahoma, United States

5-Melvin Lawn Bigley

born: 27 June 1922
died: 4 November 1990, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Ethel Ellen Bigley

born: 11 April 1909, Leadwood, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 4 November 1927, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

4-Harry Matice Bigley

born: 1 July 1892, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 1971, (Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Hot Springs, Hot Springs Twp, Garland, Arkans~

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4-Leona Bell Bigley

born: 24 May 1895, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 28 March 1982, (Fairview Cemetery, 12th & Maiden Lane, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper~

+Frank Peter Wilson

born: 7 February 1885, Jasper, Missouri, United States

died: 16 January 1960, 2402 Maiden Lane, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United ~

parents: Isaac Wilson and Russia Shoemaker

4-Roy John Bigley

born: 13 March 1898, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 8 August 1962

4-Sarah "Sadie" Marie Bigley

born: 13 March 1902, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 2 September 1971, (Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Hot Springs, Hot Springs Twp, Ga~

+Thomas Calvin Geurin

born: 6 January 1896, Mountain Valley, Garland, Arkansas, United States

died: 10 May 1946, (Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Hot Springs, Hot Springs Twp, Garland~

parents: John Cranklin Wright "Doc" Geurin and Luvisa Paralee Bledsoe

4-Gladys Jewell Bigley

born: 29 April 1906, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 17 January 1980, Carthage, Marion Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States

+Harry Linthicum

born: 1897, Missouri, United States

died: 1930-1933

parents:

+Allen Richardson

born: 16 February 1887, West Plains, Howell Twp, Howell, Missouri, United States

died: November 1967, Carthage, Marion Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States

parents:

3-Sarah F. Blanton

born: 15 January 1869, Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died:

+Henry A. Landers III

born: 1861, near Greenville Post Office, Washington Twp, Darke, Ohio, United States

died:

parents: Henry A. Landers Jr. and Ellen

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3-Benjamin Franklin Blanton

born: 11 November 1870, Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: From 1909 to 1910, Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States

+Mary Christine "Tenne" Rutledge

born: May 1877, Precinct 1, Coleman, Texas, United States

died:

parents: William Edward Rutledge and Sarah J. Netherton

+Catherine Kimberlin (see Alexander A. Blanton Sr. on page 17)

born: August 1828, Meramec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 28 March 1912, near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

parents: Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin and Frances Jane Peters

2-Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton

born: 24 July 1829, Greene, Tennessee, United States

died: 21 March 1916, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+John Absalom Pratt Sr.

born: 4 January 1837, Monroe, Tennessee, United States

died: 27 June 1890, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: Henry Pratt and Nancy Carter

3-Nancy Catherine Pratt

born: 1854, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 1880-1900

+Peter Dyle

born: 1828, New York, United States

died: 1880-1900, Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

parents:

4-Frances Dyle

born: 1876, Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died:

4-Samuel James Tilden Dyle

born: 5 August 1877, Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 27 March 1949, 405 Beeman Ave., Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Johanna Crawford Lahmann

born: 24 June 1883, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 1 June 1948, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: George Lahmann Sr. and Rhoda "Roda" Martha

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5-Gladys Marie Dyle

born: 16 August 1902, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 28 February 1904, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Lizzie Frances Dyle

born: 1 April 1905, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 2 October 1992, Ellis, Ellis, Kansas, United States

+Charles Leonard Pennock

born: 22 February 1900, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 9 June 1992, rural Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
parents: Ambrose Michael Pennock and Martha "Mattie" Lucinda Sites

5-Harry Carter Dyle Sr.

born: 10 May 1907, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 19 January 1959, Bexar, Texas, United States

+Edith Elizabeth Linthicum

born: 4 June 1915, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 26 May 1962, (Crow Cemetery, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States)
parents: Jacob Leslie Linthicum and Katie Elizabeth Adams

6-Martin Conrad Dyle

born: 25 July 1941, Fort Leavenworth, Leavenworth, Kansas, United States
died: 29 April 2008, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

5-Samuel "Sam" J. Tilden Dyle

born: 27 April 1909, Cuba City, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 18 May 1965, (Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri~

+Helen L.

born: 1898, Missouri, United States
died: 1940-1949
parents:

+Olive Agnes Seago

born: 13 December 1912, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died: 9 February 2000, Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: John Thomas Seago and Cora Rebecca Crawford

5-Mary Jane Dyle

born: 21 January 1911, Cuba City, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 2 December 1918, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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5-Sarah Lovina Dyle

born: 13 December 1913, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 3 September 1958, Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin~

+Edward Sylvester Palmer Sr.

born: 20 December 1909, Boone Twp, Maries, Missouri, United States

died: 28 March 2001, Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: David Franklin Palmer and Mary Francis Heckman

5-Ella M. Dyle

born: 1916, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

5-Rose Madeline Dyle

born: 11 September 1918, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 29 December 1987

4-Abraham Dyle

born: 1879, Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died:

4-Alexander "Alex" Dyle

born: 8 October 1882, Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 2 April 1954, Firmin Desloge Hospital, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

+Drusilla Lucille "Drusie" Allen

born: 2 July 1890, near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 30 December 1989, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

parents: William "Will" Mitchell Allen and Lillian Margaret A. "Lillie" Hanson

3-Malinda Jane Pratt

born: 11 March 1855, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 20 February 1931, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Isaac Campbell

born: 7 April 1840, Greene, Tennessee, United States

died: 28 June 1931, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: David Campbell and Bathsheba Carter

4-Nancy J. Campbell

born: February 1882, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

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4-David Garfield Campbell

born: 6 May 1883, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 30 May 1963, (Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri,~

+Orpha M. Cain

born: 11 November 1884, Dardenne Twp, Saint Charles, Missouri, United States

died: 22 July 1964, (Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri,~

parents: Abraham Absalom B. Cain and Martha Jane Reed

5-Alice May Campbell

born: 16 October 1919, Morrellton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 29 December 1921, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

4-Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell

born: 14 July 1885, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 28 November 1931, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Helena Helm

born: 1896, Missouri, United States

died:

parents:

5-Andrew Campbell

born: 1912, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

+Rachel M. Stroup

born: 16 May 1908, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: October 1982, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: William "Will" Alfred Stroup and Bertha Ann Whiteside

4-John E. Campbell

born: December 1888, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

4-James Samuel "Sam" Campbell

born: 23 June 1890, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 31 July 1922, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Lucy Emaline

born:

died: After 1922

parents:

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4-Virginia E. Campbell

born: 1893, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Laura Jane Campbell

born: 3 January 1897, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 5 May 1963, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Arthur Austin West

born: 8 May 1896, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 27 November 1981, Independence, Blue Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States
parents: James Isaac West and Amanda "Manda" Bell Garrett

5-Hazel Loretta West

born: 22 June 1919, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: July 1995, Louisiana, United States

5-Arthur A. West

born: 1914, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

5-James D. West

born: 1916, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

5-Mary A. West

born: 1918, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

3-Lorinda J. Pratt

born: 1856, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: After 1876

3-Mary F. Pratt

born: 1858, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died:

3-Henry Absalom Pratt

born: July 1860, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 13 April 1915, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States

+Cynthia Anna Missé Missey

born: 9 December 1862, near Caledonia Post Office, Kingston Twp, Washington, Missouri,~
died: 31 August 1925, East Benton Twp, Christian, Missouri, United States
parents: Jean "John" Baptiste Missé Missey and Marie "Mary" Françoise Piquette

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4-Mary Caroline Pratt

born: 27 September 1885, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 29 July 1962, Nevada City, Nevada, California, United States

+William H. Welch

born: 7 March 1881, Worthington Town, Greene, Indiana, United States
died: 6 August 1922, North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States
parents: William H. H. Welch and Elizabeth "Eliza" A. Vermillion

5-Eliza Welch

born: 1904, Missouri, United States
died:

5-Charles H. "Charlie" Welch

born: 1905, Missouri, United States
died:

5-Willie Otis Welch

born: 1908, Missouri, United States
died:

5-George W. Welch

born: 1912, Arkansas, United States
died:

5-Mary L. Welch

born: 15 April 1915, Oklahoma, United States
died: 27 September 1922, North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

4-John Absalom Pratt

born: 16 July 1887, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 26 August 1966, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

+Christina M. Henson

born: 8 December 1897, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 24 August 1968, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States
parents: James Louis Henson and Margaret Evelyn Young

5-Alice L. Pratt

born: 1914, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

5-James Frank Pratt

born: 1916, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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5-Annie Pratt

born: 1921, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Charles William Pratt

born: 23 May 1923, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 3 November 1925, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

4-Alexander Pratt

born: 10 February 1890, Sullivan, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: March 1971, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

+Mary Ann Elizabeth Henson

born: 16 September 1901, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: November 1979, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

parents: James Louis Henson and Margaret Evelyn Young

5-James A. Pratt

born: 1922, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Unknown

5-Pearly V. Pratt

born: 1925, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Kenneth L. Pratt

born: 1926, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

4-James Wesley Pratt

born: 20 July 1892, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

+Bertha L. Callahan

born: December 1895, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died:

parents: Andrew Jackson Callahan and Mary Jane McDonald

4-Francis Columbus Pratt

born: 16 June 1894, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 16 April 1962, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States

+Frances Evelyn "Fannie" Henson

born: 17 July 1899, Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 4 January 2000, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States

parents: James Louis Henson and Margaret Evelyn Young

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5-Lewis Francis Pratt

born: 9 May 1919, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 22 January 2012, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States

+Elizabeth June Bolender

born: 13 June 1920, Wray, Yuma, Colorado, United States

died: 16 December 1994, New Franklin, Howard, Missouri, United States

parents: Noah Bolender and Gertrude "Gertie" Frampton

6-Charles Lewis Pratt

born: 27 October 1938, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States

6-Roger Lee Pratt

born: 3 August 1944, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States

6-Dennie Allen Pratt

born: 10 April 1947, Grandview, Jackson, Missouri, United States

6-Ernest Francis Pratt

born: 28 February 1951, Lee's Summit, Unity Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States

6-Val Jean Pratt

born: 16 July 1955, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States

6-Lori Anne Lea Pratt

born: 24 August 1967, Topeka, Shawnee, Kansas, United States

6-Boy Pratt

born: 1938-1944

5-Mabel Irene Pratt

born: 21 October 1921, Chadwick, Chadwick Twp, Christian, Missouri, United States

died: 20 June 1999, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States

+Francis Wesley Root

born: 3 July 1909

died: 20 November 1975, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States

parents:

5-Bertha Pratt

born: Abt 1926

died: Abt 1926

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5-Gertha Pratt
born: Abt 1926
died: Abt 1926

4-Minnie Ann Pratt
born: 10 August 1898, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 4 August 1910, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

3-Alexander Pratt
born: 1 January 1861, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 2 March 1928, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

3-James A. Pratt
born: 1865, near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 1870-1876, near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

3-Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt
born: 24 March 1868, near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 23 April 1915, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+John Stephen "Steve" H. Blanton Jr.
born: 19 January 1854, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 24 November 1939, 1576 Valle, Wellston, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
parents: Stephen "Steve" H. Blanton Sr. and Hannah Kay Keay

4-Homer Clarence Blanton Sr.
born: 1 December 1896, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: March 1984, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Emma S. Mathis
born: 5 November 1896, Goreville Twp, Johnson, Illinois, United States
died: 13 July 1942, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
parents: Samuel B. Mathis and Dorothy Lynn

5-Robert A. Blanton
born: 8 March 1916, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
died: November 1981, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

5-Florence Mary Blanton
born: 1918, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
died:

+Juanita Iris Jones
born: 21 November 1897, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died: 3 March 1985, Festus, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States
parents:

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5-Homer Clarence Blanton Jr.

born: 22 February 1921, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
died: 4 October 1989, Ballwin, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

+Patricia A. Warner

born: 17 February 1925

died: 12 October 1993, (Bellefontaine Cemetery, 4947 West Florissant Avenue, Saint Louis, Missouri)
parents:

4-Grace "Gracie" Blanton

born: July 1898, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 6 December 1924, Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States

+Saunders Jones

born:

parents:

5-Mary Jones

born: October 1917

died:

5-Hildagard Jones

born: December 1919

4-Orville Lewis Blanton Sr.

born: 10 September 1905, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 23 January 1972, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Irene Matilda Terry

born: 7 July 1909, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 5 March 2004, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: Andrew Allen Terry and Addie J. Aden

5-Laverne Blanton

born: 1928, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

5-Wesley Allen Blanton

born: 31 December 1931, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

died: 28 January 1967, Youngstown, Mahoning, Ohio, United States

3-John Absalom Pratt Jr.

born: 7 September 1870, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 24 November 1945, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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+Phoebe Blanton (see John Absalom Pratt Jr. on page 42)
born: 1876, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 1898 to 1910, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: John Stephen "Steve" H. Blanton Jr. and Sarah Ann "Sally" Blanton

4-Henry Pratt
born: 1893, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-William A. Pratt
born: 10 May 1897, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 12 October 1985, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Thelma Lydia Blackburn
born: 19 December 1900, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Oklahoma, United States
died: 14 October 1970, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: John Anthony Blackburn and Magdalena "Lena" Mary Grampp

5-Phoebe M. Pratt
born: 1923, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Stevens
born:
parents:

5-Thelma L. Pratt
born: 1925, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-William B. Pratt Jr.
born: 20 July 1927, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 31 May 2009, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Emma Anna Pratt
born: 10 October 1929, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 5 July 1933, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Rose Ruth Pratt
born: 13 January 1932, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 26 June 1933, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

4-Jesse Pratt
born:
died:

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3-Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" Pratt

born: 27 March 1876, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 20 June 1941, 509 South Lily Street, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States

+Burton Cain

born: 1867, near Stanton Post Office, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: From 1894 to 1900, Crawford, Missouri, United States

parents: Washington Cain and Frederica

4-Burton Alexander Cain

born: 13 November 1897, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 30 January 1934, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Shrilda Jane L. Luttrell

born: 3 November 1895, Bagnell, Camdem, Missouri, United States

died: 18 October 1979, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: George Washington Luttrell and Martha Ann Thornton

+Alfred Lahmann

born: 18 November 1879, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 25 April 1942, 1917 West Olive, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States

parents: George Lahmann Sr. and Rhoda "Roda" Martha

4-Jessie J. Lahmann

born: 1905, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

4-Lydia "Liddie" Lahmann

born: 1906, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

4-Paul Lahmann

born: 8 October 1908, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: November 1985, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

+Opal Emma Fine

born: 29 July 1912, Halltown, Lawrence, Missouri,

died: 20 October 1984, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

parents:

5-Edward Rodney Lahmann

born:

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+Unknown (see Edward Rodney Lahmann on page 44)

6-Brenda Lahmann
born:

4-Laura Lahmann
born: 1912, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

+Harold Breyman
born: 1901, Missouri, United States
died:
parents:

2-Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.
born: 4 April 1831, Greene, Tennessee, United States
died: 14 May 1913, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Mary Elizabeth Pratt
born: August 1838, Monroe, Tennessee, United States
died: 1902, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
parents: Henry Pratt and Nancy Carter

3-Susan Jane Blanton
born: 15 October 1854, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, ~
died: 18 September 1934, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+James Martin Claspill
born: 7 November 1841, Warren, Kentucky, United States
died: 10 February 1919, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Thomas Claspill and Mary Elizabeth Grimsley

4-Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill
born: 11 August 1881, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 15 February 1943, enroute City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city~

+Mary Anne Cain
born: 11 July 1883, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 20 January 1959, 214 East Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, ~
parents: Burl Burton Cain and Hannah Gertrude Griffith

5-Helen G. Claspill
born: 1908, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

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5-Gilbert Alonzo Claspill

born: 6 July 1910, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 9 May 1911, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Mabel J. Claspill

born: 1913, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

5-Robert S. Claspill

born: October 1919, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

5-Catherine Claspill

born: 1922, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

4-Olive May Claspill

born: 12 October 1885, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: April 1978, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

+Jacob "Jake" Bayless

born: 11 August 1881, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 24 February 1950, Wellston, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

parents: John Bayless and Mary Enloe

4-Martin Elmer Claspill Sr.

born: 3 February 1888, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 6 February 1948, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri~

+Maude Mae Flagg

born: 9 December 1893, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

died: 15 January 1970, Bell, Los Angeles, California, United States

parents: William Leander Flagg and Eva Sophia Randall

4-Mary Elizabeth Claspill

born: 23 August 1890, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 17 June 1930, Christian Hospital, North Florissant, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, Unite~

+James Edward Light

born: 22 March 1886, Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States

died: 21 September 1927, Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States

parents: Zebedee D. Light and Sarah Joanne Overlease

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5-Roland "Rella" E. Light

born: Devenber 1918, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

+Hugh Gilbert Headrick (see Mary Elizabeth Claspill on page 46)

born: 31 March 1900, Salem, Spring Creek East Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States
died: 26 March 1944, McFarland Hospital, Hiway 63 & Pine Street, Rolla, Phelps, Missouri~
parents: Jeremiah Francis "Jerry" Headrick and Emma May Young

3-Absalom Blanton

born: 1857, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 1880-1885, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States

+Clara Key

born: 8 January 1863, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 23 July 1949, Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United Sta~
parents: Jasper N. Key and Jane Brooks

3-Nancy Caroline Blanton

born: 13 March 1858, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, U~
died: 9 April 1931, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Charles "Carl" E. Brandt

born: 20 March 1849, Fountian Precinct, Monroe, Illinois, United States
died: 19 February 1923, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Frederick Augustus Brandt Sr. and Anna Maria Wilhelmina "Mina" Jobusch

4-Walter Scott Brandt

born: 20 July 1882, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 7 January 1959, San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States

+Margaret Hattie Schallenberg

born: 25 October 1892, Missouri, United States
died: 14 August 1966, San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States
parents: Henry Schallenberg and Mary E. Anderson

5-Gladys M. Brandt

born: 1909, Missouri, United States
died:

5-James Brandt

born: 1911, Missouri, United States
died:

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5-Minnie Brandt

born: 1915, Missouri, United States
died:

5-Beryl Brandt

born: 1920, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died:

5-Helen Brandt

born: 1924, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Bertha Ellen Brandt

born: 15 August 1884, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 15 September 1971, Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States

+Charles Lee Moss

born: 25 August 1877, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 29 May 1961, Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Missouri
parents: Daniel Boone Moss and Tabitha "Telitha" Frances Benson

5-Raymond Charles Moss

born: 1902, Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 1914, Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

5-Gwenith Christabelle Moss

born: 13 October 1913, Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 23 February 1986, Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States

5-Victor Emanuel Moss

born: 17 November 1916
died: 7 April 1968, (Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United~

4-William Carl Brandt

born: 12 May 1886, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 2 November 1937, Missouri State Hospital #1, Fulton, Fulton Twp, Callaway, Missouri~

+Daisy Maisy Calvert

born: 16 May 1890, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 28 August 1988, Saint Joseph's Hospital, Saint Charles, Saint Charles, Missouri, United States
parents: John Henry Calvert and Caledona Lavina Dill

5-Lavinia Wilhelmina Brandt

born: 21 June 1914, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 2 January 1979

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5-William Calvert Brandt

born: 19 December 1916, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 19 December 1978

4-Albert Brandt

born: 28 April 1888, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 21 March 1943, rural Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Anna "Annie" Bremer

born: 27 March 1888, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died: 16 August 1947, Missouri Baptist Hospital, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri~
parents: Henry Bremer and Anna Stumph

5-Bertha Bernice Brandt

born: 30 September 1910, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 30 October 1910, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Reginald Brandt

born: 29 March 1913, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 1 May 1913, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Marion Brandt

born: 1916, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died:

4-Reginald McKinley Brandt

born: 13 May 1892, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 12 August 1955, 800 Leonard Drive, Rock Hill, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

+Grace Mae Kimbrell

born: 5 October 1895, Missouri, United States
died: 20 May 1991
parents: Unknown and Molly Dickerson

5-Beatrice Brandt

born: 1917, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died:

5-Charles Brandt

born: 1918, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died:

5-Yale Brandt

born: 1919, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died:

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5-Morris Brandt

born: 1929, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

died:

4-John Brandt

born: January 1895, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died:

3-Mary Ellen Blanton

born: 4 January 1860, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, ~

died: 12 February 1943, 520 Freeburg Avenue, Belleville, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States

+Harvey James Simmons

born: 7 February 1860, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 1892-1900, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: John Austin Simmons and Rachel H. Sparks

4-Phoebe E. Simmons

born: September 1887, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

+White

born:

parents:

4-William Seth Simmons

born: September 1889, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 18 October 1911, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

4-Carl Herbert Simmons

born: 7 August 1894, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: December 1981, Belleville, Belleville Twp, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States

+Maude Campbell

born: October 1895, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

parents: John A. Campbell and Aloretta "Ettie" Rock

5-Wilma Simmons

born: 1918, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

died:

5-Paul Simmons

born: 1922, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

died:

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+Albert W. Fraseur (see Mary Ellen Blanton on page 50)
born: 25 April 1852, Acid, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 15 July 1925, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: William Fraseur and Unknown

3-Sarah Ann Blanton

born: 5 December 1865, near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri~
died: 18 September 1943, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Michael Edward Dace Jr.

born: 23 October 1861, near High Ridge Post Office, Meramec Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, Un~
died: 30 November 1939, Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents: Michael Edward Dace Sr. and Mary Elizabeth Whitworth

4-James Martin Dace

born: 16 April 1894, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 26 January 1976, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Ardelia Genevieve Hill

born: 27 September 1899, Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 6 November 1988, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Fredrick "Fred" Eugene Hill and Mary Anna Pinson

5-Cyrus J. Dace

born: 1916, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Stanley W. Dace

born: 1918, Franklin, Missouri, United States

5-Randall E. Dace

born:

5-James L. Dace

born:

5-Anna Jean Dace

born:

+Vedder

born:

parents:

5-Darlene Dace

born:

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+Schatz (see Darlene Dace on page 51)

born:

parents:

5-Elaine Dace

born:

+Weekes

born:

parents:

4-Oskar Eugene Dace

born: 2 November 1895, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 8 November 1975, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Minerva Ann Record

born: 13 July 1889, near Vilander, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 17 August 1966, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: Thomas Hargis "Toby" Record and Melzenia "Mellie" Ann Pinson

4-Neoma Dace

born: March 1897, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 3 January 1903, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

4-Mary Elizabeth Dace

born: 26 April 1901, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: May 1981, Cuba, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+William Reuben Summers

born: 21 December 1886, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 29 August 1971, Cuba, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

parents: John Franklin "Frank" Summers and Mary Young Harmon

5-Marvin R. Summers

born: 1922, Washington, Missouri, United States

died:

5-Dale W. Summers

born: 1926, Washington, Missouri, United States

died:

4-Ellen Dace

born: 24 June 1903, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 3 February 1923, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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3-Martin Van Buren Blanton

born: 13 February 1868, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 1 February 1935, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Anna Burton

born: 5 July 1887, Delafield, Dahlgren Twp, Hamilton, Illinois, United States

died: 5 October 1962, 116 McKinley Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: Thomas B. Burton and Mary "Polly" Goin

4-Lora Grace Blanton

born: 25 May 1907, Leslie, Lyon Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 15 October 1995, Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+George Edward Doyle Jr.

born: 7 March 1901, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 16 July 1969, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

parents: George Edward Doyle Sr. and Lula Mae West

5-Tracy H. Doyle

born: 1925, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

5-Mary M. Doyle

born: 1927, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

5-Dorothy J. Doyle

born: 1928, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

4-Minnie Etta Blanton

born: 7 June 1909, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 7 February 1986, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Thomas "Tommy" Everett Doyle Sr.

born: 1 November 1904, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 29 April 1954, Stanton, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

parents: George Edward Doyle Sr. and Lula Mae West

5-Virginia Ruth Doyle

born: 6 May 1925, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 2 April 1995, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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+Max Leroy Hamby (see Virginia Ruth Doyle on page 53)
born: 13 February 1923, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 15 November 2000, Everett, Snohomish, Washington, United States
parents: Wesley Fulton Hamby Jr. and Ruth Emelle Cain

5-Thomas Everett Doyle Jr.
born: 25 August 1927, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 18 November 1981, (Stanton Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United S~

5-Clifton Earl Doyle
born: 1930, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Leo Franklin Blanton
born: 15 September 1910, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 6 October 1916, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

4-Daisy Meriel Blanton
born: 1 September 1912, Stanton, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

+Homer Woodcock
born: 1908, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:
parents: John Franklin Woodcock and Estelle "Stella" Manion

4-Walter Sanford Blanton
born: 18 December 1917, near Stanton Town, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United St~
died: 5 January 1974, Searcy, White, Arkansas, United States

+Fern Marie Herron
born: 16 July 1921, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:
parents: Worley Abner Herron and Orpha Catherine Brown

5-Troy Blanton
born: 4 May 1941, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Hilda Ann Hilliard
born: 1945
parents:

5-Judith Ann Blanton
born: 19 December 1944, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

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+George Melvin Wilkinson (see Judith Ann Blanton on page 54)
born:
parents:

5-David Eugene Blanton
born: 20 October 1950, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Debra Ann Hare
born: 25 December 1953, Rose Bud, White, Arkansas, United States
parents:

6-Troy Christopher Blanton
born: 25 December 1982, Little Rock, Big Rock Twp, Pulaski, Arkansas, United States

+Karen Sue Cooper
born: 16 July 1957, Searcy, White, Arkansas, United States
parents:

3-Delila Catherine Blanton
born: May 1870, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: After 1910

+John Nelson Souders
born: 18 March 1872, near Maryville Post Office, Linclon Twp, Nodaway, Missouri, United S-
died: After 1910
parents: Benjamin "Ben" Franklin Souders and Eliza A. "Lizzie" Kepley

4-Edna Souders
born: September 1893, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Caric C. Souders
born: April 1896, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Earl Robert Souders
born: 23 December 1898, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Pearl Souders
born: 23 December 1898, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 30 July 1902, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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4-Charles "Charley" L. Souders

born: 1902, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died:

3-Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

born: 5 May 1872, East of Sullivan in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

died: 10 April 1940, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Alice Mary Garner

born: 14 June 1875, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 1 October 1933, 3951 McRee Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

parents: William Conrad Garner and Sarah Jane Naugle

4-William Ellsworth Blanton

born: 15 July 1894, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: After 1917

+Mary King

born:

died: After 1917

parents:

5-Wilma L. Blanton

born: 1919, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

4-Mary Addie Blanton

born: March 1897, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: After 1930

+Floyd Prather

born: 15 August 1893, Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 5 September 1958, Robert Koch Hospital, Koch, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), ~

parents: James Alexander Prather and Fidelia Nancy Bay

5-Paul Prather

born: 1918

died:

5-Eleanor Prather

born: 1921, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

died:

4-Anna "Annie" G. Blanton

born: September 1899, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: After 1920

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4-James E. Blanton

born: 19 February 1905, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: September 1985, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Nora V.

born: 23 July 1912, Missouri, United States
died: 28 March 2002, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents:

4-Eva A. Blanton

born: 1908, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

3-Lucy Adeline Blanton

born: 23 May 1878, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 31 July 1937, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+George Walter Moss

born: 15 March 1879, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 7 December 1949, Beaufort Rural Route, Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Daniel Boone Moss and Tabitha "Telitha" Frances Benson

4-Bessie L. Moss

born: 1905, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Daniel S. Moss

born: 28 April 1907, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 4 February 1989, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Rose C.

born: 5 January 1908
died: 14 October 1996, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents:

5-June R. Moss

born: 1930, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Samuel Ferris Compus Moss

born: 24 July 1909, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: May 1983, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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+Wilma L. (see Samuel Ferris Compus Moss on page 57)
born: 1914
died: Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents:

4-Ollie A. Moss
born: 1913, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died:

2-John Allen Blanton
born: 1833, Greene, Tennessee, United States
died: 1897-1900, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+Margaret Serice Blanton
born: 20 October 1833, 67th Regiment District, Monroe, Tennessee, United States
died: 30 May 1917, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents: Joshua Blanton and Bethanie "Nancy" Harmon

3-Cinthia A. Blanton
born: 1860, Washington, Missouri, United States
died:

3-Christian L. Blanton
born: 1863, Washington, Missouri, United States
died:

3-Austin Clark Blanton
born: April 1863, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 10 October 1927, County Infirmary, Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

+Mary Jane Greenwood
born: May 1868, near Osage Post Office, Belleview Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 1900-1901, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States
parents: Joseph Greenwood and Ruth Ann "Ruthie" Neuse

4-William Blanton
born: 22 April 1884, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 23 November 1915, Robert Koch Hospital, Koch, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city),~

4-Lillie Blanton
born: 12 January 1896, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: June 1968, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

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4-John Blanton

born: February 1897, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Rosa May Blanton

born: 29 November 1898, Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States
died: 28 August 1951, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+William R. Byington

born: 25 June 1874, Missouri, United States
died: 1 March 1944, (Marvin Chapel Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, M~
parents:

4-Eva Myrtle Blanton

born: 5 July 1900, Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States
died: 10 July 1917, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

3-John E. Blanton

born: 1866, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 1870-1880, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

3-Charles Henry Blanton

born: 8 February 1869, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 29 May 1932, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+Mary Elizabeth Pullen

born: 14 January 1869, near Pringaub Post Office, Jackson Twp, Sainte Genevieve, Missouri~
died: 22 January 1946, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents: Hezekiah "Hezie" Pullen and Louisiana "Louzan" Reeder

4-Cynthia Blanton

born: August 1892, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Stella Blanton

born: October 1895, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died:

4-May Blanton

born: December 1897, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died:

+Baker

born:
parents:

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4-Della Blanton

born: December 1898, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Charles Henry "Charlie" Blanton

born: 11 October 1907, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 13 February 1963, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Misso~

4-Albertina Blanton

born: 10 February 1907, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, Un~
died: 11 July 1930, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United ~

+Edward Hayes

born:
parents:

5-Mary Ellen Hayes

born: February 1925, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, Uni~

4-Geraldine Blanton

born: 20 August 1909, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 10 May 1930, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

4-Ethel Irene Blanton

born: 31 August 1909, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 1988, (Grandview Cemetery, Athens Twp, Gentry, Missouri, United States)

+Robert Homer Mock

born: 30 April 1901, Martinsville, Dallas Twp, Harrison, Missouri, United States
died: 1965, (Grandview Cemetery, Athens Twp, Gentry, Missouri, United States)
parents:

+Charley Maurice Wood

born: 11 June 1902
died: 12 February 1982, (Miriam Cemetery, Maryville, Polk Twp, Nodaway, Missouri, Unite~
parents:

4-Mildred Geneva Blanton

born: 27 December 1912, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 9 April 1972, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+August "Gus" Elvin Black

born: 4 May 1907, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 19 April 1951, rural Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents: Francis Nixon Black and Maggie Ellen Taylor

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3-William Joshua Blanton

born: 19 December 1873, Frankclay, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 6 August 1947, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

2-Henry Hubert Blanton

born: 23 February 1837, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 21 January 1908, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Matilda Jane "Janie" Pratt

born: 20 October 1841, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 20 September 1910, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States
parents: Henry Pratt and Nancy Carter

3-Henry W. A. Blanton

born: 25 July 1858, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: After 1920

+Martha Brooks

born: June 1858, District 2, Greenup, Kentucky, United States
died: After 1920
parents: James Brooks and Susan Powell

4-Annie G. Blanton

born: June 1882, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States
died:

+Edward Boatright

born: 1872, Iron Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States
died:
parents: Thomas Boatright and Lucinda Coker

5-Susie Boatright

born: 1900, Homerville, Clinch, Georgia
died: 9 May 1988

4-Blanche L. Blanton

born: March 1885, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States
died:

+Level

born:
died: 1900-1910, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents:

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4-Harry Blanton

born: 30 July 1889, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States
died:

4-Roy Ernest Blanton

born: 5 August 1890, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States
died: 30 January 1946, Alameda, California, United States

4-Minnie I. Blanton

born: 4 July 1894, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States
died: 29 August 1959, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri~

+Albert Edward Nash

born: 17 February 1891, Doe Run, Pendleton Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 29 October 1954, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri~
parents: George Nash and Mary A. Flannery

4-Henry H. Blanton

born: June 1897, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States
died:

3-James Blanton

born: 9 February 1861, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 11 June 1933, Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+Ava C. Hill

born: 12 January 1870, near Osage Post Office, Harmony Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 13 October 1957, 2847 Indiana Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
parents: Benjamin F. "Ben" Hill and Sarah Ann Blanton

4-Effie J. Blanton

born: November 1887, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 23 July 1930, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

4-Ida Blanton

born: 26 December 1890, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 10 December 1937, Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

4-Jesse Blanton

born: August 1893, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 9 October 1918, during World War 1

4-Howard Browning Blanton Sr.

born: 18 October 1894, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 8 September 1961, Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, United States

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+Sarah Ann Coleman (see Howard Browning Blanton Sr. on page 62)
born: 26 September 1898, Valle Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States
died: 11 November 1981, Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, United States
parents: Stephen Lawrence Coleman and Ruth May Elliott

5-Baby Boy Blanton

born: 9 September 1916, Elvins, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 9 September 1916, Elvins, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

5-Raymond Harold Blanton

born: 1 September 1917, Elvins, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died:

+Doris Irene Estabrook

born: 16 February 1918, Neligh, Antelope, Nebraska, United States
died:
parents: Charles Martin Estabrook and Sylvia Mae Brandel

6-Andrea Blanton

born: 2 January 1948, Spokane, Spokane, Washington, United States

+Gary Lee Ott

born:
parents:

6-David Lee Blanton

born: 19 February 1949, Spokane, Spokane, Washington, United States

+Lynn Suzanne Sherbohn

born:
parents:

5-Ada Ruth Blanton

born: 12 February 1919, Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Mis~

+Howard Riley Myers

born:
parents:

5-Loyd Glenwood Blanton

born: 25 November 1920, Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Mi~

+Dorothea Joy Klenke

born:
parents:

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5-James Lawrence Blanton

born: 31 October 1922, Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Miss~

+Lillian Alta Williams

born:

parents:

5-Howard Browning Blanton Jr.

born: 9 June 1927, Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri,~

+Dorothy Elizabeth Hall

born:

parents:

5-Ralph Coleman Blanton

born: 10 September 1929, Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, M~

+Shirley Ruth Randolph

born: 6 July 1932, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

parents:

6-Larry Ralph Blanton

born: 11 February 1951, Mesa, Maricopa, Arizonia, United States

6-Terry Ruth Blanton

born: 4 December 1952, Tempe, Maricopa, Arizona, United States

5-William Irvin "Billy" Blanton

born: 17 November 1931, Ray, Pinal, Arizona, United States

died: 9 October 1993

+Darlyne Frances Eaklor

born:

parents:

5-Charles Ray Blanton

born: 17 June 1934, Ray, Pinal, Arizona, United States

+Carol Ann Richey

born:

parents:

4-James Irvin Blanton

born: 12 October 1898, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

died: 24 December 1976, Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, Un~

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+Cora Margaret "Maggie" (see James Irvin Blanton on page 64)
born: 22 January 1900, Dent, Missouri, United States
died: 7 January 1966, Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
parents:

4-Esther Marie Blanton
born: 4 April 1902, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 22 June 1972, Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+Robert L. Cobb
born:
parents:

+Mayhugh
born:
died:
parents:

3-Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton
born: 26 August 1863, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 24 February 1926, 4472 Vista Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

+Julia Ann H. Benton
born: October 1855, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 16 July 1909, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
parents: Henry W. Benton and Nancy F. King

4-Evelin "Effie" Blanton
born: 15 May 1891, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died:

+Thomas "Tom" Kelly
born:
died:
parents:

4-Elba Blanton
born: 15 May 1891, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died:

3-Jesse Van Buren Blanton
born: 11 August 1869, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 20 July 1911, Vandeventer & Kentucky Ave., St. Louis (city), Missouri, United States

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+Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth Edwards (see Jesse Van Buren Blanton on page 65)
born: 23 August 1876, near Lacrosse Post Office, Conway Twp, Izard, Arkansas, United States
died: 5 December 1955, Phelps County Memorial Hospital, Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States
parents: Samuel Taylor Edwards and Julia Ann Williams

4-Bertha Ann Blanton
born: 28 October 1901, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 11 February 1902, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

4-Lloyd Jesse Blanton
born: 27 January 1903, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States
died: 20 May 1956, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

+Frances Eliza "Fannie" Brown
born: 17 April 1906, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 19 April 1963, Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States
parents: John Richard Brown and Angeline "Angie" Susan Halbert

5-Howard Jesse Blanton
born: 26 January 1926
died: 12 April 1978, House Springs, High Ridge Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

5-Thomas Howard Blanton
born: 10 April 1929

5-Harold T. Blanton
born: 1930

5-Roy Lewis Blanton
born: 30 May 1931, Maplewood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
died: 22 December 2003, Gibbs Care Center, 311 North Spring Street, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Missouri, United States

+Julia Mae Harmon
born: 10 September 1930, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: 25 March 2005, Missouri Baptist Hospital, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
parents: Lee Roy Harmon and Cora Belle Cook

6-Susan Joyce Blanton
born: 17 September 1950, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

6-Donna Kay Blanton
born:

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+Phillip Alan Davis (see Donna Kay Blanton on page 66)
born:
parents:

7-Michael Phillip Davis
born: 6 June 1971

6-Leonard Roy Blanton
born:

+Unknown

7-Jennifer Lynn Blanton
born: 6 January 1974

7-Jason Blanton
born: 1976

3-Wiley Blanton
born: 1871, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 1880-1900, Washington, Missouri, United States

3-Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton
born: 3 April 1874, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 2 October 1963, (Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States)

+Rebecca Ann "Becky" Edwards
born: 18 February 1874, Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
died: 13 October 1963, (Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States)
parents: David Henry Edwards and Mary Ellen Hammonds

4-Dema G. Blanton
born: 27 March 1904, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States
died: 24 October 2004, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

+John "Jack" Williams
born: 25 July 1905, Jackson, Jackson, Missouri, United States
died: 25 August 1979, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
parents: Bern Williams and Mary Elizabeth "Mollie" Thomasson

4-Eva Pauline Blanton
born: 15 January 1906, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States
died: May 1991

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4-Della Mae Blanton

born: 1908, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States

died: 1999, (Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri)

+Edmond F. Boyér

born: 1910

died: 1981, (Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri)

parents:

3-William Blanton

born: 28 April 1876, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 19 July 1944, Max C. Starkloff Memorial Hospital, 2220 Lemp Avenue, Saint Louis (city)

+Anna

born:

parents:

2-William Wesley Blanton

born: March 1839, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

died: 2 August 1902, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

+Mary Ann Blanton

born: 20 February 1847, Fredericktown, Saint Michael Twp, Madison, Missouri, United States

died: 7 August 1940, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

parents: Joshua Blanton and Bethanie "Nancy" Harmon

3-Charles W. "Charley" Blanton

born: 1868, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 1881, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

3-Sarah Ann Blanton

born: 27 November 1872, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

died: 25 December 1953, 518 North Pine, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri

+Edward "Eddie" Pullen

born: 11 October 1882, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

died: 16 November 1953, City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri

parents: William Pullen and Celina "Lena" Cragette

4-Bessie Mae Pullen

born: 23 March 1907, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

died: 10 May 1972, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

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+Edgar Amiel Strahl (see Bessie Mae Pullen on page 68)
born: 28 May 1904, of, Perry, Indiana
died: 7 June 1941
parents:

4-William Monte Pullen

born: 15 February 1910, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 2 May 1955, Bonne Terre Hospital, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri~

3-Bethany Blanton

born: 1873, near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
died: 1883, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

3-Catherine Jane "Jennie" Blanton

born: 5 April 1876, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 5 October 1941, Missouri State Hospital #4, near Farmington, Saint Francois Twp, Sai~

3-William Luther "Joker" Blanton

born: 21 November 1879, near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri~
died: 18 October 1970, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

3-William Robert General Lee Blanton

born: 30 April 1884, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States
died: 24 May 1936, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

2-Martin Van Buren Blanton

born: 1840-1841, Franklin, Missouri, United States
died: After 25 July 1860-1870, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United~

+Nancy Carter (see Abraham Absalom Blanton on page 1)

born: 1802-1803, near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States
died: 17 November 1875, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
parents: Jesse Carter Sr. and Susanna Harmon

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First Generation

1. Abraham Absalom Blanton, son of **John William Blanton Sr.** and **Rebecca Hobbs**, was born from 1802 to 1805 in Clover Fork, Knox, Kentucky, United States, died on 4 March 1872 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 70, and was buried in March 1872 in Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Abraham Absalom Blanton by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. September 2012

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1801 Birthblock of Abraham Absalom Blanton son of John William Sr. & Rebecca (HOBBS) Blanton

Absalom Blanton was born in Clover Fork, Knox, Kentucky, United States between 1802-1805.

Date from 1810 census states he was born 1800-1810.

Date from 1820 census states he was born 1794-1802.

Date from 1830 census states he was born ??

Date from 1840 census states he was born ??

Date from 1850 census states he was born 1802 in Kentucky.

Date from 1860 census states he was born 1805 in Kentucky.

Date from 1870 census states he was born 1805 in Tennessee.

Research Note

Unitl a serious research and verification has been accomplished concerning the spouse or spouses of John Blanton Sr., I am not going to include the various and multiple spouses that have been posted on the interent as the mother of the Blanton children.

1801 Father; John Blanton Kentucky Land Grant, 50 acres on Clover Fork, Knox County, Kentucky

1804 April, "John Blanton, an infant by John Blanton as his next friend vs. Vincent Hobbs is ordered to be discontinued by consent." Book A, page 129, "Knox County, KY, Civil Suits."

1804 June 4, John Blanton deed for 100 acres on Cumberland Knox Co., KY.

1805 John Blanton Delinquent Tax List Knox Co., KY.

1806 Jan. 6, John Blanton appointed constable Knox Co., KY.

1807 John Blanton vs. Reubin Whooten, Book B, Page 26, bundle 5, for debt "Knox County, KY Civil Suits."

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1807 John Blanton vs. William Muncey for debt Book B, Page 76, bundle 6 and page 429, bundle 11, "Knox Co., KY. Civil suits."

- **1807 John Blanton Land survey Knox Co., KY, 52 acres on Cumberland River.**

1807 Childbirth of brother; Ezekial Blanton

Ezekial was born in Knox, Kentucky, United States in 1807.

1810 Federal Census age 8

Knox, Kentucky, United States, page 665

BLANTON, John 3-1-2-1-1 1-1-0-0-1

free white males 10 & under [Ezekial age 3]; 10 & under [Absalom age 8]; 10 & under [Joshua age 9]; 11-15 [Abner age 15]; 16-25 [Vincent age 20]; 16-25 [David age]; 26-45 [James age 32 or John Jr. age 38]; 45-over [John Sr. age 60-70]

free white females 10 & under [??]; 10-15 [Pheobe]; 45-over [??]

[Check the surrounding census for this year for JOHN Jr. or David or James these names and dates are guesses.]

1810 John Blanton vs. John Lewis for debt, Book B, Page 377, Bundle 10, "Knox Co., KY Civil Suits."

- **1819 Harlan County, Kentucky created from Knox County, Kentucky**

- **1819 John Blanton Tax List Knox Co., KY to be included in Harlan Co., KY.**

- **1819 July 15, John Blanton granted 50 acres on Clover River, Harlan County, Kentucky.**

- **1819-1820 Family Move**

From Knox, Kentucky, United States to Harlan, Kentucky, United States

Checking the deed records of both counties might reveal bought and sold dates giving us an approximate arrival and departure date from those counties....not to mention the location of the family homestead.

- **1819 Monroe County, Tennessee Created on November 13, 1819**

- **1820 Federal Census age 18**

Harlan, Kentucky, United States, page 102

BLANTON, John 1-1-1-2-0-2 0-1-0-0-2

free white males 10 & under [??]; 10-16 [Ezekial age 13]; 16-18 [Absalom age 18];

16-26 [Joshua age 19]; 16-26 [??]; 45-over [John Jr. age 48]; 45-over [John Sr. age 70-80]

free white females 10-16 [??]; 45-over [??]

[A few doors down from Vincent Blanton family.]

1820 John Blanton Tax List Harlan Co., KY.

- **1821 Harlan Co., KY., John Blanton deed to Gabriel Jones.**

1821-1824 Family Move

From Harlan, Kentucky, United States to Greene, Tennessee, United States

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Checking the deed records of both counties might reveal bought and sold dates giving us an approximate arrival and departure date from those counties....not to mention the location of the family homestead.

1825 Marriage of Abraham Absalom Blanton and Cynthia A. (PRATT)

Greene County Tennessee Marriage Record Book "A", page 390, record #2626. GS# 944386.

Abraham Blanton and Cynthia Pratt, were married on 16 April 1825 in Greene, Tennessee, United States.

Cynthia A. (**PRATT**) Blanton was always known by her family as a Cherokee princess. Sister to Henry Pratt, Cynthia died in 1850-1852 and widowed husband Absalom married widow Nancy (**PRATT**) Carter in 1852.

1826 Childbirth of son; James Blanton

James Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1826.

Research Note

Obviously, the "old timers" were in error when they stated John Blanton moved to Monroe County, Tennessee after he sold his property in Greene County, Tennessee in 1832. John Blanton Sr. who had moved from Harlan County, Kentucky, United States as listed in the 1820 census and sold a deed in Harlan County, Kentucky in 1821 may have settled first in Greene County, Tennessee then moved by the 1830 census to Monroe County, Tennessee. Evidence of his Greene County, Tennessee tenure can be found in his property purchases and his children's marriages commencing with Joshua's in 1825 and Absalom's in 1826. Gold was discovered in 1826 in Monroe County, Tennessee sparking a massive migration from all over the states to Monroe County. This would explain why many of the Blantons including John Sr. and my Pratts ended up in Monroe County, Tennessee by the 1830 census. However, curiously, Absalom Blanton seems to have retained his residency in Greene County, Tennessee. If he made a sojourn down into the gold fields of Monroe County, he did not remain or take up residence there for very long. This is evident by the his purchase of 6 head of sheep on April 6th of 1830 in Greene County. Why he was not recorded in the 1830 census will be discussed later. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2011

1827 Childbirth of daughter; Elizabeth (BLANTON)

Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in February 1827-1828.

1827 Property Transaction

Greene County Tennessee Deed Register Book 1824-1846, Entry No.1049, dated 15 March 1827

Absalom Blanton was granted title to 100 acres in Greene Co., TN., by right of entry that joined William Dickson and included a Sugar Camp. Tennessee land grant to secure title in North Carolina.

1829 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON)

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 24 July 1829.

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1830 Childbirth of son; Alexander A. Blanton

Alexander A. Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 11 November 1830.

1830 Federal Census age 28

[There is an Absalom Bunton in Sumner County Tennessee. He could be Absalom's family according to William Blanton of Norwood, MO. But, I don't think so. A few doors up is a Thomas Bunton and family. So if the Bunton was a mistake and should have been a Blanton then why two people on the same page with the same mistake? Hardly any of the age records of the Bunton family match up to Absalom's family especially the 10-14 year old daughters since Absalom was married in 1825. According to the records, Absalom was in Greene Co., TN from 1825 (married) to October 30, 1830 when he was making inventory purchases at Nathan Carter's estate settlement. So, I think Absalom was still in Greene County Tennessee but was missed by the censustakers.]

1830 Purchase

Greene, Tennessee, United States 26 April 1830
Absalom Blanton bought 6 head of sheep on Monday.

1830 Tax Record

"**Greene County, Tennessee, 1830 Tax List**", by Sandra Kelton Houston, (1984)
page 89:

Captain Samuel Gass' Company 1830
Absalom Blanton 100 acres in tract, on The Roaring Fork, 1 white polls

1830 Purchase

Greene, Tennessee, United States 25 October 1830
Absalom Blanton was purchasing items from the Estate sale of Daniel Carter who was desceded.

1831 Childbirth of son; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 4 April 1831.

1831-1838 Commentary

According to Elbert Sevier Blanton Sr.'s obituary, it states that his parents brought him to Missouri when he was less than a year old. This means all of Absalom's and Cynthia's children born after 1831-1832 were born in Missouri, because Elbert was born in 1831. However, Absalom purchased 40 acres in Franklin Co., MO in 1838. Where were they from 1830 to 1838?

1833 Childbirth of son; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1833.

1833-1837 Family Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to St. Louis, Missouri to Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1833-1837.

1837 Childbirth of son; Henry Hubert Blanton

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Henry Hubert Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 February 1837.

1838 Property Transaction

St. Louis, Missouri, United States Land Purchase on 3 September 1838, Receipt #10604 Absalom Blanton buys 40 acres of land section 5, township 40, range 2 west, of the fifth principle meridian in Franklin County Missouri. This land purchase puts his home outside of Sullivan.

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1839 Childbirth of son; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in March 1839.

1840 Federal Census age 38

Once again Absalom managed to elude the census takers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the 1830's to the 1840's...I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands during those turbulent years, she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Nevertheless, Absalom Blanton & family were living outside Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States by 1840. For a complete report concerning the Pratts and the Blantons on the "Trail of Tears" read " **Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" © 2003 by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1840-1841 Childbirth of son; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1840-1841.

1840 Property Transaction

Franklin County Missouri Deed Record Book Volume "D", page 211, 22 June 1840 Absalom Blanton and Cynthia Blanton sold to G.P. Hardy on 22 June 1840, for \$100 for 40 acres.

"This deed made this 22nd day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty. Witnesseth that Absalom Blanton and Cynthia his wife of the County of Franklin and State of Missouri of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid by G.P. Hardy of this county and state aforesaid of the second part. The receipt wherefore is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain sell and convey and confirms to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land purchased by said Absalom Blanton on the third of September A.D. Eighteen hundred and thirty eight as will made fully apparent a reference from the Books of the United States Registers Office at St. Louis, and the receiver's receipt number ten thousand six hundred and four (10604) designates on the book of said registers office at St. Louis and in said receiver's receipt of Section Number Five in Township Number Forty of Range Number Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing forty acres to have and to hold the said tract of land with all and singular the privileges and appertances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever. The said parties of the first part hereby coveeting that they their heirs executors and administrators will

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warrant and defend the title to the land aforesaid to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs forever against all and every perso or persons claiming by through or under them the said parties of the first part. We witness whereof the parties of the first part have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written. Acknowledged in presence of:

*Thomas Buckner, Joseph Patton
Blanton and Cynthia "X" Blanton"*

Absalom "X"

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1840-1849 Family Move

From Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States

1849 Joint Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840___.362 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section 32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton the South West ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section thirty-two in township 40, Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres.

[This property is located off of Highway 202 south of Hamilton Creek near Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres.]

1849 Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 620 & 621, 3 November 1849

A homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty- North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County.

[This property became known as the Blanton Hollow and is now known as Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri. Absalom built a large manison after he developed the land for mining. It is located off of Highway 202 along Hamilton Creek.]

1850 Federal Census age 48

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 26, house 958, family 958

BLANTON, Absalom w m 48; Cynthia w f 40; Alford w m 19; John w m 17; Caroline w f 15; Henry H. w m 13; William w m 11; Martin V. w m 9

[Absalom born in Kentucky the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. Living next to many Pratt and Blanton families.]

1850-1852 Death of spouse; Cynthia (PRATT)

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Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between October 30, 1850 from the census date and March 21, 1852 the date of her husband's 2nd marriage.

Research Note

Verification of date of death and burial location of Cynthia should be obtained from the local newspapers at the time of death. Absalom Blanton was a prominent businessman and employed many of the locals in his mining operations throughout the area. His mansion mentioned in several publications gives credence to his affluent and properous lifestyle. When I checked the newspapers of the Sullivan and surrounding areas back in the late 1970's and early 1980's, I did not know as much as I do now and overlooked key elements that I was not aware would be of value and interest to the Blanton-Pratt family history research community. Now, it is your turn to dig into those newspapers and extract the valuable and needed information to verify and answer some of the mysteries of these families.

1851 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "H", page 617, 15 November 1851
"This Deed made and entered into this fifteenth day of November Eighteen hundred and fifty-one by and between George T. Westover and Nancy Jane Westover his wife of the first part of Crawford County and State of Missouri and Absalom Blanton of Washington County and State aforesaid of the second part ?? That the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred dollars to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part receipt whereof is hereby conveyed and acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and ssll convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever the following described lots pieces and parcels of land. Towit: The north half [N½] of lot number one[1] south west quarter [SW¼] of Section number thirty [30] in Township number forty [40] of range number one west [1W] containing forty acres also, the north half [N½] of lot number two [2] of the souhtwest quarter [SW¼] of section number [30] in township number forty [40] of range one west [1W] containing forty-five acres."

[George T. & Nancy Jane Westover sell 40 acres for \$300: N½ of L1, SW¼ of S30 in T40 R1W and N½ of lot L2 SW¼ of Section 30 in T40 R1W containing 45 acres on 16 November 1851.

[This property is located right in the middle of the Meramec State Park. When the Corp. of Engineers were going to put in a dam in the early 1970's they bought all the property from landowners in and around the park which was to be flooded by the proposed lake. After the project was defeated by the local citizens, the government failed to return the property to private hands but kept the best land and expanded the Meramec State Park to its present boundries.]

1852 Marriage of widower Abraham Absalom Blanton and Widow Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "I", page 208 21 March 1852
Absalom Blanton and widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt were married on 21 March 1852.
Groom from Washington County, Missouri.

Research Note

This marriage was probably a marriage of convenience. Absalom and Nancy were white

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with no native ancestry whereas, their children were ½ Cherokee. After the death of Henry Pratt; full blooded Cherokee and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton; full blooded Cherokee, then Absalom and Nancy found themselves still interacting with their children whom had intermarried through 5 connections. Henry had died after the birth of his daughter; Matilda in 1841, and I presume he may have been the one mentioned in the diary of David Staples as they recorded on the way out to the 1848-1849 gold rush in California. David Staples diary stated, *"On May 27th, Staples wrote of Indians, mule trouble, double-teaming the wagons through the wet prairie, a party....returning haveing lost a husband father and friend of Cholera." Who this was and the party that returned is not mentioned. But, on June 8th, George Winslow died in Nebraska from cholera. David Staples and party continued on to California and in 1862 was one of the founders of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, in San Francisco." [See C2G Profile for Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt for complete details.] Cynthia died between 1850-1852. With such a rich history of family ties and coupled with the convenience of Absalom Blanton's large house and well to do financial circumstances, then this marriage seemed convenient for both parties and I am sure was accepted by the children with astounding approval.*

1859 Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 11, May 27, 1859

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from John Wiley Pinnell at one undivided one fourth [$\frac{1}{4}$] part of the west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1859 Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 12, June 1, 1859:

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from Calvin V. Lynch and wife Matilda at west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1860 Federal Census age 58

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 25 July 1860, line 34, house 882, family 872

BLANTON, Absalom w m 55; Nancy w f 56; William W. w m 21; Martin w m 20

[Absalom born in Kentucky, Nancy born in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. They were living in the Blanton Mansion in Blanton Hollow.]

1870 Federal Census age 68

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 16, house 110, family 110

BLANTON, Absalom w m 65; Nancy w f 67; **PRATT**, Nancy C. w f 15;

BLANTON, Green w m 19

[All born in Tennessee. Absalom is a farmer. Living next door to his sons. Green Blanton is Absalom's grandson and son of James & Margaret Green (**GOFORTH**) Blanton. Nancy C. (**PRATT**) is the daughter of John Absalom Pratt Sr. and Mary Caroline "Betsy" (**BLANTON**) Pratt.]

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1872 Mining Sources

[1] Ore Mine "The Iron Ores", Page 344, (1872) "Hematities of the Filled Sinks", "Blanton Limonite Bank" S1/2, SW1/4, Sec 29, T40N, R1W

"The limonite bank here is on the southern slope of the Blanton hills. The surface ore occurs in pieces and large boulders and can be traces about one hundred and fifty feet down the slope and sixty feet along the slope. On the hill above the ore, sandstone and chert in blocks and fragments occur; in the ravine or branch at the foot of the hill bedded limestone is found exposed."

[This property is located in Hamilton Hollow off of Hamilton Creek near highway 202, near the Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri.]

[2] Ore Mine "The Iron Ores", Page 344, (1872) "Hematities of the Filled Sinks", "Blanton Specular Mine" N1/2, SE1/4, Sec 29, T40N, R1W.

Some rounded surface ore, mostly small, is found here, on three spurs of a low ridge. The spurs point about north and strata of solid sandstone crop out at foot of each. A hole, dug fifteen feet deep on the top of the most eastern spur passed through drifted, sandy detritus, with little ore, then struck a layer of chert. This bank is on a hill thickly covered with detritus, through which single pieces of specular ore are unequally distributed. The ore itself is of good quality.

[This property is located in Hamilton Hollow off of Hamilton Creek near highway 202, near the Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri.]

1872 Death of Abraham Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

[1] Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322. [There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a landowner and business man with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

Research Note

Finding the death date of Absalom Blanton was an accident. I started to record all the property transactions I could find on the Blantons and Pratts and found very little on the Pratts. When I inquired from other fellow researchers concerning Absalom's death date none of them knew or had any idea when he died. Being a "hands-on" researcher and getting into those courthouse records which I enjoyed so much, I took many trips down in Potosi and sat at those tables in those dusty record rooms. One such occasion, I was recording as many of the deed records as time permitted, I ran across a Quit Claim Deed, Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "U" page 322, May 3, 1872 which I have recorded in its entirety below. In the actual deed itself, the date of death for Absalom Blanton was recorded!!!! I was elated and excited and shared with everyone my findings as they have always shared with me their research and discoveries. If more researchers would take the time to dig into those records in those courthouse vaults, many of our family history mysteries could be answered concerning our ancestors. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2 January 2012

1872 Burial of Abraham Absalom Blanton

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Unverified- Most likely Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

1872 Spouses Property Transaction

Quit Claim Deed, Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "U" page 322, May 3, 1872:

"Nancy Blanton to The Missouri Smelting and Mineral Land Co: This deed made and entered into this third day of May Eighteen hundred and Seventy- Two by and between Nancy Blanton widow of Absalom Blanton who died March 4th 1872 without minor heirs of the County of Washington and State of Missouri party of the first part and the Missouri Smelting and Mineral Land Company of the State of Missouri party of the second part witnesseth that the said party of the first part in consideration of three hundred dollars to her paid by the said party of the second part the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged do by these presents remise release and forever quit claim unto the said party of the second part the following real estate situate in Washington County in the State of Missouri being the homestead of the late husband of the party of the first part and all together consisting of less than one hundred and sixty acres of land with the family dwelling all of said land being what as a homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty- North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin A. Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County --Also all her right title and interest of every kind of the South East Quarter of Section thirty of township forty of range one west of 5th PM (SE SE 30, 40:1W) containing forty acres more or less which forty acres of land was also used by said Absalom Blanton as part of his homestead to have and to hold the same together with all the rights immunities privelidges and appurtenances to the same belonging unto the party of the second part and to it's heirs and assigns forever in witness whereof the said party of the first part has hereunto set her hand and seal the day and year first above written. Executed in presence of witnesses to mark Henry I. Cole, Alex Blanton, A. O. Melvin Nancy "X" Blanton (seal) W. E. McGready notarized the above deed on the 3 May 1872."

[This property is located in Hamilton Hollow off of Hamilton Creek near highway 202, near the Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri.]

1977 A Pratt-Blanton Family Story

This story was related to me by multiple sources. One being, my Great Aunt Eula (RICHARDSON) Pratt, as well as others.

The story goes, as the Blantons and Pratts were crossing Tennessee on their way to Missouri, they came to an Indian village. One of the Blanton's spotted a squaw nursing her papoose on a tree log. He boasted to another that he could shoot her off of the log at a great distance. As the wagon train left the village he shot the woman and killed her. Several miles from the village the wagon train was halted by a large group of Indians. They stated that they would kill every man, woman and child if they didn't turn over the man who had shot the Indian woman. They deliberated and turned the Blanton over to the Indians. Several miles later they saw him running for the wagon train with the Indians in pursuit. He appeared to be covered in red paint. As he got closer to the wagon train, it was apparent that the Indians had skinned him alive. The red paint was actually his own blood. He died before he reached the wagon train. As to who this Blanton was is not known. He may have been

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related to either the Joshua Blanton group or the Absalom Blanton group.

[It should be noted that both groups did not come west at the same time. Also, after 33 years I have found no evidence that anyone related even remotely to the Henry Pratt family came with them when they jumped the "Trail of Tears" in Crawford County, Missouri in March 1839. For more information see my book "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**", by Floyd Thomas Pratt.]

Abraham married **Cynthia Ann Pratt**, daughter of **Cherokee Pratts** and **Unknown**, on 16 April 1825 in Greene, Tennessee, United States. Cynthia was born in 1810 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died from 1850 to 1851 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 40, and was buried from 1850 to 1851 in Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Cynthia Ann (PRATT) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. September 2012

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1810 Birthblock for Cynthia Ann (PRATT) daughter of Cherokee parents; sister to Henry Pratt

Date from the 1820 census states she was born

Date from the 1830 census states she was born

Date from the 1840 census states she was born

Date from the 1850 census states she was born 1810 in Missouri.

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

[Obviously she didn't know where she was born in the 1850 census. Also, the 1810 birthdate is probably wrong also.]

1813 Washington County, Missouri Territory organized

Though still recognized as the part of the Missouri Territory, in 1812 there were 5 counties; St. Charles, St. Louis, Ste. Genevieve, Cape Girardeau and New Madrid. By 1813, Washington County was created and in 1816, Howard County followed by Jefferson, Franklin, Wayne, Lincoln, Madison, Montgomery, Pike and Cooper were created in 1818.

1820 Federal Census age 10

1821 State of Missouri Created

The land that is now Missouri was acquired from France as part of the Louisiana Purchase in 1803 and became known as the Missouri Territory on June 4, 1812. The southeastern portion of the territory was admitted into the union as the State of Missouri the 24th state on August 10, 1821. As other states were created from its huge territorial boundaries, Missouri settled on its present shape as it is found today.

1825 Marriage of Absalom Blanton and Cynthia A. (PRATT)

[1] Greene County Tennessee Marriage Record Book "A", page 390, record #2626. GS#

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Abraham Blanton and Cynthia Pratt, were married on 16 April 1825 in Greene, Tennessee, United States.

Cynthia A. (**PRATT**) Blanton was always known by her family as a Cherokee princess. Sister to Henry Pratt, Cynthia died in 1850-1852 and widowed husband Absalom married widow Nancy (**PRATT**) Carter in 1852.

1826 Childbirth of son; James Blanton

James Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1826.

1827 Childbirth of daughter; Elizabeth (BLANTON)

Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in February 1827-1828.

1827 Husband's Property Transaction

Greene County Tennessee Deed Register Book 1824-1846, Entry No.1049, dated 15 March 1827

Absalom Blanton was granted title to 100 acres in Greene Co., TN., by right of entry that joined William Dickson and included a Sugar Camp. Tennessee land grant to secure title in North Carolina.

1829 Childbirth of son; Alexander A. Blanton

Alexander A. Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 7 September 1829

1828-1835 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON)

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States between 1828-1835.

1830 Federal Census age 20

[There is an Absalom Bunton in Sumner County Tennessee. He could be Absalom's family according to William Blanton of Norwood, MO. But, I don't think so. A few doors up is a Thomas Bunton and family. So if the Bunton was a mistake and should have been a Blanton then why two people on the same page with the same mistake? Hardly any of the age records of the Bunton family match up to Absalom's family especially the 10-14 year old daughters since Absalom was married in 1825. According to the records, Absalom was in Greene Co., TN from 1825 (married) to October 30, 1830 when he was making inventory purchases at Nathan Carter's estate settlement. So, I think Absalom was still in Greene County Tennessee but was missed by the censustakers. FTP]

1830 Husband's Purchase

Greene, Tennessee, United States 26 April 1830

Absalom Blanton bought 6 head of sheep on Monday.

1830 Husband's Tax Record

"Greene County, Tennessee, 1830 Tax List", by Sandra Kelton Houston, (1984) page 89:

Captain Samuel Gass' Company 1830

Absalom Blanton 100 acres in tract, on The Roaring Fork, 1 white polls

1830 Husband's Purchase

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Greene, Tennessee, United States 25 October 1830

Absalom Blanton was purchasing items from the Estate sale of Daniel Carter who was deceased.

1831 Childbirth of son; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 4 April 1831.

1831-1838 Commentary

According to Elbert Sevier Blanton Sr.'s obituary, it states that his parents brought him to Missouri when he was less than a year old. This means all of Absalom's and Cynthia's children born after 1831-1832 were born in Missouri, because Elbert was born in 1831. However, Absalom purchased 40 acres in Franklin Co., MO in 1838. Where were they from 1830 to 1838?

1833 Childbirth of son; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1833.

1833-1837 Family Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to St. Louis, Missouri to Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1833-1837.

1837 Childbirth of son; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 February 1837.

1838 Husband's Property Transaction

St. Louis, Missouri, United States Land Purchase on 3 September 1838, Receipt #10604
Absalom Blanton buys 40 acres of land section 5, township 40, range 2 west, of the fifth principle meridian in Franklin County Missouri. This land purchase puts his home outside of Sullivan.
[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1839 Childbirth of son; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in March 1839.

1840 Federal Census age 30

Once again Absalom managed to elude the census takers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the 1830's to the 1840's...I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands during those turbulent years, she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Nevertheless, Absalom Blanton & family were living outside Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States by 1840. For a complete report read "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" © 2003 by Floyd Thomas Pratt

1840-1841 Childbirth of son; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1840-1841.

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1840 Husband's Property Transaction

Franklin County Missouri Deed Record Book Volume "D", page 211, 22 June 1840
Absalom Blanton and Cynthia Blanton sold to G.P. Hardy on 22 June 1840, for \$100 for 40 acres.

"This deed made this 22nd day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty. Witnessst that Absalom Blanton and Cynthia his wife of the County of Franklin and State of Missouri of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid by G.P. Hardy of this county and state aforesaid of the second part. The receipt wherefore is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain sell and convy and confirms to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land purchased by said Absalom Blanton on the third of September A.D. Eighteen hundred and thirty eight as will made fully apparent a reference from the Books of the United States Registers Office at St. Louis, and the receiver's receipt number ten thousand six hundred and four (10604) designates on the book of said registers office at St. Louis and in said receiver's receipt of Section Number Five in Township Number Forty of Range Number Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing forty acres to have and to hold the said tract of land with all and singular the priviledges and appertances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever. The said parties of the first part hereby coveting that they their heirs executors and administrators will warrant and defend the title to the land aforesaid to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs forever against all and every perso or persons claiming by through or under them the said parties of the first part. We witness whereof the parties of the first part have hereunto set theirs hands and seals the day and year first above written. Acknowledged in presence of: Thomas Buckner, Joseph Patton
"X" Blanton and Cynthia "X" Blanton" Absalom

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1840-1849 Family Move

From Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States

1849 Husband's Joint Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of
Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840__362 Metes and Bounds:No Land
Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24,
1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section
32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and
Absalom Blanton the South West ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section thirty-two in township 40,
Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres.
[This property is located off of Highway 202 south of Hamilton Creek near Meramec State Park
in HJohnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri cosisting of 40 acres.]

1849 Husband's Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 620 & 621, 3 November 1849
A homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty- North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and

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recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County.

[This property became known as the Blanton Hollow and is now known as Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri. Absalom built a large manison after he developed the land for mining. It is located off of Highway 202 along Hamilton Creek.]

1850 Federal Census age 40

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 26, house 958, family 958

BLANTON, Absalom w m 48; Cynthia w f 40; Alford w m 19; John w m 17; Caroline w f 15; Henry H. w m 13; William w m 11; Martin V. w m 9

[Absalom born in Kentucky the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. Living next to many Pratt and Blanton families.]

1850-1852 Death of Cynthia (PRATT) Blanton

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between October 30, 1850 from the census date and March 21, 1852 the date of her husband's 2nd marriage.

[Checking local newspapers would probably mention her death.]

1850-1852 Burial of Cynthia A. (PRATT) Blanton

Most likely Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

1970 Newspaper Article

St. Joe's Oldest Pensioner

Thirty-three years ago, June 1, 1937, Mr. Luther Blanton, 518 North Pine in Bonne Terre, Missouri, started his long life of leisure as a St. Joe pensioner. A visit to Mr. Blanton's home this past month for an interview found him on his way to his garden spot with a small box of tomato plants. He stated that he still does some gardening at his advanced age but he is limited by poor vision.

Mr. Blanton told us that he was born on a farm near Sullivan, Missouri, September 21, 1869, the son of William Wesley and Mary Ann Blanton. St. Joe records give Mr. Blanton's birthdate as September 21, 1871, which Mr. Blanton says is in error by two years. (Give or take a year or so, there isn't anyone around to dispute his 1869 birthdate.) He is the youngest of six children; two brothers, Charley and William Lee; three sisters, Sarah, Nancy and Jenny, all of whom died many years ago. His father was of French and Indian origin and his mother of Indian origin. He recalled working on the family farm and in the timber before coming to Bonne Terre in 1901. Mr. Blanton's name first appeared on St. Joe payrolls in November 1906 when he began work in the Bonne Terre Yard department. His jobs were those of caring for the stock on the company farm, section hand for the M.R. & B.T. Railway (a subsidiary of St. Joe at that time), crusherman, chat drag man, table man and laborer in the Bonne Terre mill. His last job prior to retirement in 1937 was that of watchman at the Bonne Terre yard. He mentioned the names of Hobbs, Kuchlin, McFarland, Donnegan, Delno and Aubuchon as some of his St. Joe foremen.

When asked to what he attributed his longevity, he said, "Indians live to be old and my mom was of the Cherokee Indian origin and lived to be over 100 years of age and I guess I take after her. I worked hard all during my life and I've never been married." (Author unknown newspaper unknown)

Research Note

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Since William Luther "Joker" Blanton died on 18 October 1970 and this article starts out stating that 33 years ago on 1 June 1937, which, when you add 33 years to 1937 you get 1970, then this article was written in 1970 and before he died on the 18th of October 1970.

This article is another example of a Cherokee heritage mentioned on both sides of Luther's parentage. This means the Pratts, Blantons and Harmons had Cherokee ancestry since Abraham Absalom and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton were the ancestors of Luther's father; William Wesley Blanton and Joshua and Bethanie "Nancy" (**HARMON**) Blanton were the ancestors of Luther's mother; Mary Ann (**BLANTON**).

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton and sister to Henry Pratt was always known by her descendants as a Cherokee princess. Thus the Cherokee connection through the Pratts. Bethanie's mother; Sarah (**LUSTER**) as the story goes was full blooded Cherokee. Stephen Nicholas "Nick" Harmon decided to look for his lost brother who was lost somewhere in the hills of Tennessee. Along his journey, Stephen Harmon met and became enchanted with this Cherokee beauty, named Sarah (**LUSTER**) and decided to marry her. So, in 1799 he married her in Greene County, Tennessee. Therefore, since Stephen Nicholas "Nick" and Sarah (**LUSTER**) Harmon are the parents of Bethanie "Nancy" (**HARMON**) Blanton, then this would make her $\frac{1}{2}$ Cherokee, and Joshua and Bethanie's daughter; Mary Ann (**BLANTON**), Luther's mother, would have been $\frac{1}{4}$ Cherokee.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 2 M i. **James Blanton** was born in 1826 in Greene, Tennessee, United States and died on 9 October 1898 in Miller, Arkansas, United States at age 72.

James married **Margaret Green Goforth** on 8 November 1849 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

James next married **Nancy A. Adams**.

James next married **Nancy H. Stevenson**.
- + 3 F ii. **Elizabeth Blanton** was born from February 1827 to 1828 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died on 22 February 1916 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 89, and was buried on 23 February 1916 in Hamilton Hollow Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Elizabeth married **John D. Allen Sr.** (d. 1880-1900) in 1846 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 4 M iii. **Alexander A. Blanton Sr.** was born on 7 September 1828 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died on 3 April 1882 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 53, and was buried in April 1882 in Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Alexander married **Nancy Mariah Pratt** (d. 27 January 1873) on 14 October 1849 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Alexander next married **Catherine Kimberlin** (d. 28 March 1912) on 17 October 1875 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 5 F iv. **Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton** was born on 24 July 1829 in Greene,

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Tennessee, United States, died on 21 March 1916 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 86, and was buried on 22 March 1916 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Mary married **John Absalom Pratt Sr.** (d. 27 June 1890) on 24 March 1853 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

- + 6 M v. **Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.** was born on 4 April 1831 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died on 14 May 1913 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 82, and was buried on 15 May 1913 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Elbert married **Mary Elizabeth Pratt** (d. 1902) on 24 March 1853 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

- + 7 M vi. **John Allen Blanton** was born in 1833 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died from 1897 to 1900 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried from 1897 to 1900 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

John married **Margaret Serice Blanton** (d. 30 May 1917) from 1858 to 1859.

- + 8 M vii. **Henry Hubert Blanton** was born on 23 February 1837 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 21 January 1908 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 70, and was buried in January 1908 in Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Henry married **Matilda Jane "Janie" Pratt** (d. 20 September 1910) on 5 January 1857 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

- + 9 M viii. **William Wesley Blanton** was born in March 1839 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 August 1902 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried in August 1902.

William married **Mary Ann Blanton** (d. 7 August 1940) on 8 October 1867 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.

- + 10 M ix. **Martin Van Buren Blanton** was born from 1840 to 1841 in Franklin, Missouri, United States and died from after 25 July 1860 to 1870 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Abraham next married **Nancy Carter**, daughter of **Jesse Carter Sr.** and **Susanna Harmon**, on 21 March 1852 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Nancy was born from 1802 to 1803 near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States, died on 17 November 1875 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried in November 1875 in Hamilton Hollow Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. They had no children.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Nancy (CARTER) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 5 July 2010

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you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1802-1804 Birthblock for Nancy (CARTER) daughter of Jesse Sr. & Susanna (HARMON) Carter

Nancy (**CARTER**) was born near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States 1802-1804.

Date from 1830 census states she was born 1801-1810.

Date from 1840 census states she was born 1791-1800.

Date from 1850 census states she was born 1802 in Tennessee.

Date from 1860 census states she was born 1804 in Tennessee.

Date from 1870 census states she was born 1803 in Tennessee.

Therefore she was born 1802-1804 near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States, because her father; Jesse & Susanna (**HARMON**) Carter bought property there.

1804 Childbirth of brother; James Carter

James Carter was born near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1804.

1804 Father's Greene County, Tennessee Marriage Surety

Greene County, Tennessee, Marriage Record #962, 1 September 1804- Jesse Carter is surety for the marriage of Moses Harmon and Hannah Pratt in Greene County, Tennessee, on September 1, 1804.

1805 Childbirth of brother; Levi Carter

Levi Carter was born near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1805.

1805 Father's Greene County, Tennessee Tax List

Jesse Carter is on the 1805 tax list of Greene, Tennessee, United States

1809 Father's Greene County, Tennessee Tax List

Jesse Carter is on the 1809 tax list for 184 acres of Capt. Benjamin Niels District on Gap Creek of Greene, Tennessee, United States.

1810 Federal Census age 7

1810 Childbirth of sister; Margaret (CARTER)

Margaret (**CARTER**) was born near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1810.

1810 Father's Greene County, Tennessee Tax List

Jesse Carter is on the 1810 tax list for 100 acres of Capt. Benjamin Neils District on Short Creek by occupancy of Greene, Tennessee, United States.

1811 Death of grandfather, Levi Carter Sr.

Levi Carter Sr. died on 22 April 1811 in near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States.

1811 Childbirth of brother; Jesse Carter Jr.

Jesse Carter Jr. was born near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1811.

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1811 Father's Greene County, Tennessee Marriage Surety

Greene County, Tennessee, Marriage Record #1447, 2 August 1811- Jesse Carter is joint surety with Stephen Harmon for the marriage of Stokley D. Luster and Elizabeth Fisher in Greene County, Tennessee, on August 2, 1811.

1811 Father's Greene County, Tennessee Marriage Surety

Greene County, Tennessee, Marriage Record #1452, 15 August 1811- Jesse Carter is joint surety with Joseph Carter for the marriage of Elijah Carter and Susanna Cassel in Greene County, Tennessee, on August 15, 1811.

1812 Father's Greene County, Tennessee Tax List

Jesse Carter is on the 1812 tax list of Greene, Tennessee, United States.

1813 Childbirth of brother; John Carter

John Carter was born near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States on 13 April 1813.

1814 Childbirth of sister; Susanna (CARTER)

Susanna (CARTER) was born near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1814.

1815 Father's Greene County, Tennessee Court of Common Pleas

Greene County, Tennessee, Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions (1814-1818), Page 253, 26 July 1815, Book 10, Page 487

Indenture made July 26, 1815, between Jesse, John, Levy, and Caleb and Joseph "sell and forever quit claim to heirs of a certain tract of land granted to Levy Carter, deceased, being in Greene County on the waters of Lick Creek wherein we have now been heirs which tract or piece of land as our part as legatees. After the death of our mother, Susannah Carter, we will forever warrant and defend" etc. Registered 24 October 1816, in the presence of David Key, and Samuel Keller. All signed with a mark.

1816 Death of grandmother; Susanna (HARMON) Carter

Susanna (HARMON) Carter died on 22 October 1816 in Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States

1818 Father's Greene County, Tennessee Court of Common Pleas

Greene County, Tennessee, Court of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions (1814-1818), Book 11, page 239, 1 February 1818

Jesse Carter of Hawkins County paid \$400. for 100 acres of land from Robert Ruader on February 1, 1818 on Puncheon Camp Creek ---original grant to Robert Ruader in 1787. John Prince and Caleb Carter witnesses. April Session 1818. Registered May 27, 1818.

1818 Childbirth of brother; Peter Carter

Peter Carter was born near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1818.

1820 Childbirth of brother; Lewis M. Carter

Lewis M. Carter was born near Lick Creek, Albany, Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1820.

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1820 Federal Census age 17

1820 Marriage of Henry Pratt and Nancy (CARTER)

[1] Greene County, Tennessee Marriage Book "A" Page 2207

Henry Pratt and Nancy Carter were married on 3 October 1820. Peter Harmon (Nancy's uncle) is surety married by William Jones.

1821 Childbirth of daughter; Susanna Rebecca (PRATT)

Susanna Rebecca (PRATT) was born 4 August 1821 in Greene, Tennessee, United States.

1822 Childbirth of son; James Pratt

James Pratt was born 30 September 1822 in Greene, Tennessee, United States.

1825-1826 Family Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to Monroe, Tennessee, United States. Gold was discovered in Monroe County, the first gold discovery in American history and this transformed Monroe County into a busy location for fortune seekers. Henry Pratt family moved from Greene, Tennessee, United States to Monroe, Tennessee, United States about the same time Nancy's parents and siblings moved to Monroe County around the time of the gold discovery in Monroe County in 1826. After selling his land to Abraham Weems on 25 April 1825, Nancy's father; Jesse Carter and family moved to Monroe County. This put an extreme hardship on the Cherokees and Gold was one of the reasons the white settlers wanted to remove them from their land. For a more comprehensive report see the book "Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee" © (2003) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. [This book is available on cd as a .pdf file from this author.]

1826-1830 Childbirth of a son; _____ Pratt

_____ Pratt was born between 1826-1830 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States.

1826-1830 Childbirth of a son; _____ Pratt

_____ Pratt was born between 1826-1830 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States.

1828 Childbirth of daughter; Lorenda (PRATT)

Lorenda (PRATT) was born in 1828 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States.

1830 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy Miriah (PRATT)

Nancy Miriah (PRATT) was born 10 July 1830 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States.

1830 Federal Census age 27

Regiment 67, Monroe, Tennessee, United States, page 111

PRATT, Henry 2-1-0-0-1-0-0-1 2-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [unknown son]; 4 & under [unknown son]; 5-9 [James age 8]; 20-29 [Henry age 30]; 50-60 [unknown male]

free white females 4 & under [Nancy Miriah age 1]; 4 & under [Lorenda age 2]; 5-9 [Susan age 9]; 20-29 [Nancy (CARTER) age 27]

[Should be noted that in this census and around the county there are Blantons and Carters and Harmons in close proximity of Henry's family, but Henry is the only Pratt family in the county at this time.]

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1831 Childbirth of son; Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

Alexander R. Pratt was born March 1831 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States. [My 4thggfather]

1834 Childbirth of son; Sarah Ann (PRATT)

Sarah Ann (**PRATT**) was born 31 October 1834 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States.

1837 Childbirth of son; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. was born 4 January 1837 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States.

1838 Husband's Property Participation

Monroe County Tennessee Registrar Book "K" pages 384,5,6 2 July 1838

"John Dyer to the trustees of Ebinezer Camp Grounds: This indenture made this 2nd of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight between John Dyer of the county of Monroe and state of Tennessee of the one part and Henry Pratt, John Key, Lewis Carter, John L. McKenzie, Jacob C. Brown, Joseph Forshaw, George Selvidge, Benjamin Parker, and Lewis Parks trustess of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Ebinezer meeting house and camp grounds all the county of the state aforesaid of the other part witnesseth that the said John Dyer for and consideration of the sum of fifty dollars when for the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged has granted bargained & sold all the parcel of land lying in the Hiwassee District on Bat Creek being a part of the north west quarter of section twenty thru and second township in the second range east of the meridian beginning at the north west corner of said quarter running south with the line of said section Bat Creek thence down the creek with it's border where the creek crosses the east and west line on the north side of said quarter thence with a line beginning containing two acres of land whereon Ebenezer Meeting House and camp grounds by the same more or less and all the estate right title interest property and claims of him the said John Dyer of in and to the same to have and to hold the land hereby conveyed with all and ingular the premises and very track and parcel thereof with the appointance with the aforementioned said trustees and the Methodist Episcopal Church forever and the said John Dyer for himself his heirs executors and administrators doth covenant promise and agree to and with the said trustees and their successors in office by these presents that he promises before now and forever hereafter shall remain free from all former and other gifts grants bargains sells charges and incumbrances does sell this land.

John Dyer

[Lewis Carter is Henry Pratt's brother-in-law, Joseph Forshee is the brother or father of a daughter that married a Harmon. Henry Pratt not an originator of the deed but Lewis talked him into the participation. Cherokees were not allowed to own land.]

1838 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT)

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) was born August 1838 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States.

1838 Move "Trail of Tears"

A full account of the Henry Pratt family is in my book "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**". in this book I give a full detail of the "Trail of Tears" episode and it is a lengthy discourse. Because of its length, I will not go into it here but suffice to say, due to Henry Pratt's Cherokee ancestry, the government forced him and his family on the Trail of Tears in September 1838 and they jumped the trail in March 1839 and settled first in Crawford County moving to Richwoods Twp of Washington County, Missouri by 1840.-Floyd Thomas Pratt

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1840-1849 Father's Family Move

Jesse Carter Sr. moved from Regiment 27, Monroe, Tennessee, United States to 23 Subdivision of East Tennessee, McMinn, Tennessee, United States. It appears this move was precipitated on the fact that the Cherokees were being forcibly removed from prime farmland in McMinn County and the Carters wanted to capitalize on their misfortune. Also, strange when, Henry & Nancy were forced on the "Trail of Tears" her parents didn't go with them. I explain Jesse's reasoning for this in the book, "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**" © (2003) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.
[This book is available on cd as a .pdf file from this author.]

1840 Federal Census age 37

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 198

Henry Pratt 1-1-1-0-0-1 1-2-1-1-0-0-1

free white males: 4 & under [John Absalom age 6]; 5-9 [Alexander R. age 8]; 10-14 [James age 18]; 40-49 [Henry age 40]

free white females: 4 & under [Mary Elizabeth age 1]; 5-9 [Sarah Ann age 5]; 5-9 [Nancy Miriah age 10]; 10-14 [Lorenda age 12]; 15-19 [Susan age 19]; 40-49 [Nancy age 37]

1841 Childbirth of daughter; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT)

Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) was born 20 October 1841 in Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1841-1850 Death of spouse; Henry Pratt

Henry Pratt fails to show up in the 1850 census and is presumed dead. His last child was born 1842 therefore it is likely he died 1841-1850.

1841 to 1850 Death of Henry Pratt

Death of Henry Pratt calculated to be between 1841 and 1850. This deduction derived from the presumption that he conceived his last known child; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) who was born according to her death certificate 20 October 1841. Going back 9 months from her birth date indicates he was alive February 1841 if... Matilda's birth date is correct. His son; Alexander R. Pratt told his son; Carac Pratt who told his son; Orville Carac Pratt, who told me that Alexander had gone to California in 1848-1849 during the gold rush. Maybe Henry went with the group but he does not show up in the 1850 census like Alexander does. I have checked available newspapers for that time period but have found no references to Henry Pratt. One of my mentor researchers; Geraldine Mabel (MILLER) Reed said that she thought she had seen a court report in one of those books in the Crawford County Courthouse that mentioned Nancy Pratt, widow of Henry Pratt receiving a cash allotment from the County Court. She could not remember where it was or anything more about it. I looked for it when I was at the Courthouse but there are so many books...hundreds that have not been documented but just piled up in the vault that I could not cover all of them and had no time, or luck in finding any information about Henry Pratt. Therefore, Henry Pratt could have died on his way to California or on his return to Missouri. After his death, his widow, Nancy (CARTER) Pratt moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri to be near her daughter; Susanna Rebecca (PRATT) Hansel family in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri. In 1852, Nancy married widower, Absalom Blanton in Crawford County. Regrettably, due to old age, I must leave the mystery of Henry Pratt's death for the next generation to solve.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

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1841-1850 Family Move

Nancy Pratt and family moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to District 24, Crawford, Missouri, United States between 1841-1850.

1849 Death of father; Jesse Carter Sr.

Jesse Carter Sr. died in Subdivision 23, McMinn, Tennessee, United States in August 1849.

1850 Federal Census age 47

District 24, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 244, 8 October 1850, line 6, house 767, family 767

PRATT, N. [Nancy] w f 48; E. [Alexander] w m 18; S. [Sarah] A. [Ann] w f 14; J.[John] A.

[Absalom] w m 12; M. [Mary] E. [Elizabeth] w f 11; M. [Matilda] J. [Jane] w f 8

[All born in Tennessee except Matilda Jane was born in Missouri. Next door to Henry & Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansell; daughter. Nancy is a widow. Nancy could not read and write. Notice that in the occupation section of the census the census taker wrote "widow" not the usual and customary "farmer". This supports my hypothesis that the Pratt's were Cherokee and not farmers.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1850-1852 Death of sister-in-law; Cynthia (PRATT)

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between October 30, 1850 from the census date and March 21, 1852 the date of her husband's 2nd marriage.

Research Note

Verification of date of death and burial location of Cynthia should be obtained from the local newspapers at the time of death. Absalom Blanton was a prominent businessman and employed many of the locals in his mining operations throughout the area. His mansion mentioned in several publications gives credence to his affluent and properous lifestyle. When I checked the newspapers of the Sullivan and surrounding areas back in the late 1970's and early 1980's, I did not know as much as I do now and overlooked key elements that I was not aware would be of value and interest to the Blanton-Pratt family history research community. Now, it is your turn to dig into those newspapers and extract the valuable and needed information to verify and answer some of the mysteries of these families.

1851 Father's McMinn County, Tennessee Estate Settlement

McMinn County, Tennessee, Probate Court, 25 January 1851

Jesse Carter desceased an account of sale of the personal property of the estate of Jesse Carter decd at his late residence in McMinn County after having advertised according to law: John Neal one iron wedge 41cts, John D. Holcum one dinner pot 59 cts, John Neal one pair of gears \$2.00, Susan Carter one pair of gears 50 cts, John Neal one ox yoke 41 cts, Joseph Neal one clivice 35 cts, William Rutherford 21 cts, Henderson Carter set hip-straps \$1.29, William Browder one hip-straps 15 cts, Philip Fry one set brick bands \$2.50, William Rutherford one grindstone \$3, Edwin Ivy one grind-stone 12 1/2 cts, Susan Carter one felling axe 25 cts, Susan Carter one coffee mill 12 1/2 cts, Henderson Carter one hog shed 50 cts, Philip Coats two meal sacks 26 cts, Susan Carter 3 meal sacks 25 cts, Peter Carter one pair steelyard \$2, Margaret Trim one mans saddle \$8,50, James Carter one stan lard \$3.57, J.W. Orr one gaither line 411/2 cts, John Casady one sickle 10 cts, Margaret Trim one shoal plow 55 cts, John Carter one bulltongue plow and one shoal plow 50 cts. William Wallace one barshears plow \$1.31, David D. Dean one hand saw 75 cts, John D. Holcum one drawing knife

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25 cts, Abraham Winkle one frow 50 cts, John D. Holcum one cow bell & collar 93 cts, John Cassada one bell & collar 10 cts, John D. Holcum 2 augers 40 cts, William Cate one auger and gemblet 63 cts, William Bowden one band irons \$1.01, John Neal 2 double-trees 36 cts, Peter Carter 2 couding pioes 35 cts, Margaret Trim one trough soap 61 1/4 cts, James Carter one ditto 37 1/2 cts, Henderson Carter one tub of soap and grease 50 cts, Jesse Carter 100 lbs pork \$3.85, Margaret Trim 100 lbs pork \$3.99, Henderson Carter 100 lbs pork \$3.99, Peter Carter 100 lbs pork \$4.00, Randolph Shipley 100 lbs pork \$4.00, Henderson Carter 100 lbs pork \$3.99, Randolph R. Shipley 176 lbs \$6.16, Philip Coal hand hammer 41 1/2 cts, James Carter one bedstead 10 cts, S.J. Bowen one side sole leather \$1.50, Susan Carter one bunch wool rolls 25 cts, Susan Carter bedstead & furniture \$1.00, Susan Carter bunch seed cotton 25 cts, John Carter 2 horse plows \$5.95, William Wallace one log chain \$2.50, John A. Bowen stretcher & singleline \$1.50, Jacob Williams one loom \$1.06 1/4, Margaret Trim scythe & cradle \$1.50, James Carter scythe & cradle \$1.51, Peter Carter one mowing scythe whitstone and stake 50 cts., R. R. Shipley one hatchet \$1.10, one hay fork H.B. Grywood? James Carter one cutting bow & knife 81 cts, one green hide J. H. Meoy \$3.12, one bridel John Casody \$1.10, one bridel Susan Carter 12 1/2 cts, one currecomb D.D. Deary 6 1/2 cts, 11 1/2 bushels of corn A.H. Meavy \$9.79, 6 bushel of wheat A.J. Shelton \$4.14,

Located in Monroe County: 201 bushels of corn, 147 dozen of oats, 1 fat hog and some smith tools (claims good)-----1 note on Fleming Thompson and D. H. Jamison \$4.00 due 15th November 1849, Hiel Buttrand\$2.00, one note on Noah Buttrand \$1.50, due 15th November 1849, Henderson Carter (claims btful) one note on D.D. Liana \$3.50 due 29th June 1849, 1 note on Henry Galliam for 44.00 due November 1848, 1 note on John Bradon \$2.00 due 15th November 1868, 1 note on Joseph Thompson \$2.50 due 15th November 1848, 1 note on Dudley Fields \$1.50 due the 15th November 1849, 1 note on Thompson Shipley \$1.50 due 15th November 1849, 1 note on J.M. Collins \$3.50 due 15th November 1849, 1 note on Lewis Mars \$2.00 due 15th November 1849. Total inventory sale \$415.57 1/2 cts, The foregoing is a full and perfect account of the sale of all the property of the estate of Jesse Carter decd directed by law to sold notes with good security was taken from the purchasers this twelve month after ? this the 25th January 1851. James Sewell Admistrator of Jesse Carter decd.

1852 Father's McMinn County, Tennessee Estate Settlement

McMinn County, Tennessee, Probate Court Book "E", page 197, 10 March 1852 Settlement by James Sewell Admistrator;, he paid equal amounts to heirs Peter, James, Henderson, John, and Lewis M. Carter, Margaret Trimm, and Levi Pressley.

[Missing from this list are three children; Susannah (**CARTER**) who married Levi Pressley, Jesse Carter Jr. who married Catherine Pressley and Nancy (**CARTER**) who married Henry Pratt. Each of these children married Cherokees and Jesse left them out of his will and settlement.]

1852 Father's McMinn County, Tennessee Will Probated

Jesse Carter Sr.'s Will probated in McMinn County, Tennessee, Probate Court, Will probated 10 March 1852.

1852 Marriage of widower Absalom Blanton and widow; Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "A", page 208

Widower Absalom Blanton and widow Nancy Pratt were married on 21 March 1852 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

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Research Note

This marriage was probably a marriage of convenience. Absalom and Nancy were white with no native ancestry whereas, their children were ½ Cherokee. After the death of Henry Pratt; full blooded Cherokee and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton; full blooded Cherokee, then Absalom and Nancy found themselves still interacting with their children whom had intermarried through 5 connections. Henry had died after the birth of his daughter; Matilda in 1841, and I presume he may have been the one mentioned in the diary of David Staples as they recorded on the way out to the 1848-1849 gold rush in California. David Staples diary stated, "*On May 27th, Staples wrote of Indians, mule trouble, double-teaming the wagons through the wet prairie, a party....returning haveing lost a husband father and friend of Cholera.*" Who this was and the party that returned is not mentioned. But, on June 8th, George Winslow died in Nebraska from cholera. David Staples and party continued on to California and in 1862 was one of the founders of the *Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, in San Francisco.*" [See C2G Profile for Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt for complete details.] Cynthia died between 1850-1852. With such a rich history of family ties and coupled with the convenience of Absalom Blanton's large house and well to do financial circumstances, then this marriage seemed convenient for both parties and I am sure was accepted by the children with astounding approval.

1853 Property Transaction

Monroe County, Tennessee Deed Record Book "O", Page 618, 29 October 1853: 2nd twp 2nd Range East

I Nancy Blanton of the County of Washington and the State of Missouri wife of Absalom Blanton, and heir at law of Jesse Carter deceased, late of the County of McMinn and State of Tennessee, have this day bargained and sold and do hereby transfer and convey to John Carter and his heirs forever in consideration of the sum of eighty dollars to me paid all right title & interest of and to the tracts or parcel, of land of which the aforesaid Jesse Carter died did seized and possessed, lying and situate in the county of Monroe and State of Tennessee. On and near the waters of Bat Creek in the second township, second range east of the meridian in the county last aforesaid, to have and to hold the same to the said John Carter, his heirs and assigns forever. I do further covenant and bind myself, my heirs and assigns and representatives to warrants and defend the title for said lands to the said John Carter his heirs and assigns forever against any claim to be made by me or through or under me, but no further. In testimony wherefore I hereunto set my hand and affirm my seal this 29th October 1853. Nancy Blanton [her X mark] witnesses: James M. Johnston, William M. McClung

[It appears that after Jesse's death, Nancy's mother, wanted to make things right with the children who were left out of Jesse's inheritance. Through her son; John she awarded property to each of the children. Also, this didn't take place until Henry Pratt the Cherokee, had died. A full account is in the book, "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**" © (2003) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

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1860 Federal Census age 57

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 130, 25 July 1860, house 882:

BLANTON, Absalom w m 55; Nancy w f 56; William W. w m 21; Martin w m 20

[Absalom born in Kentucky, nancy in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer.]

1860-1865 Death of mother; Susanna (HARMON) Carter

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Susanna "Susan" (**HARMON**) Carter died between the 7 June 1860 census date and 4 September 1865 date administrator to her estate was appointed by the court near Sweet Water Post Office, District 1, McMinn, Tennessee, United States.

1870 Federal Census age 67

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 16, house 110, family 110

BLANTON, Absalom w m 65; Nancy w f 67; **PRATT**, Nancy C. w f 15;

BLANTON, Green w m 19

[All born in Tennessee. Absalom is a farmer. Living next door to his sons. Green Blanton is Absalom's grandson and son of James & Margaret Green (**GOFORTH**) Blanton. Nancy C. (**PRATT**) is the daughter of John Absalom Pratt Sr. and Mary Caroline "Betsy" (**BLANTON**) Pratt.]

1872 Death of spouse; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt Blanton's second husband died on March 4, 1872 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322. [There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a landowner and business man with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

Research Note

Finding the death date of Absalom Blanton was an accident. I started to record all the property transactions I could find on the Blantons and Pratts and found very little on the Pratts. When I inquired from other fellow researchers concerning Absalom's death date none of them knew or had any idea when he died. Being a "hands-on" researcher and getting into those courthouse records which I enjoyed so much, I took many trips down in Potosi and sat at those tables in those dusty record rooms. One such occasion, I was recording as many of the deed records as time permitted, I ran across a Quit Claim Deed, Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "U" page 322, May 3, 1872 which I have recorded in its entirety below. In the actual deed itself, the date of death for Absalom Blanton was recorded!!!! I was elated and excited and shared with everyone my findings as they have always shared with me their research and discoveries. If more researchers would take the time to dig into those records in those courthouse vaults, many of our family history mysteries could be answered concerning our ancestors. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2 January 2012

1872 Property Transaction

Quit Claim Deed, Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "U" page 322 dated 3 May 1872:

Nancy Blanton to The Missouri Smelting and Mineral Land Co: This deed made and entered into this third day of May Eighteen hundred and Seventy- Two by and between Nancy Blanton widow of Absalom Blanton who died March 4th 1872 without minor heirs of the County of Washington and State of Missouri party of the first part and the Missouri Smelting and Mineral Land Company of the State of Missouri party of the second part witnesseth that the said party of the first part in consideration of three hundred dollars to her paid by the said party of the second part the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged do by these presents remise release and forever quit claim unto the said party of the second part the following real estate situate in

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Washington County in the State of Missouri being the homestead of the late husband of the party of the first part and all together consisting of less than one hundred and sixty acres of land with the family dwelling all of said land being what as a homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty-North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin A. Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County --Also all her right title and interest of every kind of the South East Quarter of Section thirty of township forty of range one west of 5th PM (SE SE 30, 40:1W) containing forty acres more or less which forty acres of land was also used by said Absalom Blanton as part of his homestead to have and to hold the same together with all the rights immunities privelidges and appurtenances to the same belonging unto the party of the second part and to it's heirs and assigns forever in witness whereof the said party of the first part has hereunto set her hand and seal the day and year first above written. Executed in presence of
Nancy X Blanton (seal) her mark
witnesses to mark Henry I. Cole, Alex Blanton, A.O. Melvin
W. E. McGready notarized the above deed on the 3 May 1872

1875 Death of Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton

Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton died at the Blanton mansion in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 17 November 1875.

[1] Date of 17 November 1875 and location according to following Administrator's bond.

1876 Administrator's Bond

Administrator's Bond, Washington County, Missouri, 14 January 1876.

As follows, Affidavit: State Of Missouri, County of Washington

Alexander R. Pratt, Administrator of the estate of Nancy Blanton, deceased, being duly sworn, says that the said Nancy Blanton died intestate, and without leaving any will, at Washington County, Missouri Nov 17th A.D. 1875 leaving as her heirs Alex R. Pratt, Jane Blanton wife of Henry Blanton, Sarah A. Blanton wife of Jno. A. Blanton, Mary Blanton wife of Alfred Blanton & Jacob H., Fanny, R.A. & Nancy Pratt children of Jas. Pratt decd living in Washington Co., Mo. and Catherine, Alexander, Louisa Blanton children of Alex & Nancy M. Blanton and Susan Hansel residing in Crawford Co., MO., and Lorinda Hull wife of Ira Hull residing in Laclede Co., Mo. And that he will make a perfect inventory of, and faithfully administer all the estate of the said Nancy Blanton, and pay the debts as far as the assets will extend and the law direct, and account for and pay all assets, which shall come to his possession or knowledge. Alexander R. Pratt his X mark

1875 Burial of Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton

Since many of her Pratt children are buried in the Hamilton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, then most likely she is buried there also. Son, Alexander R. Pratt was living in the Hamilton Hollow area with his family and as executor of her estate he probably buried her in the Hamilton Cemetery. Checking the local newspapers for a death notice might reveal her interment location.

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Second Generation (Children)

2. **James Blanton** (*Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1826 in Greene, Tennessee, United States and died on 9 October 1898 in Miller, Arkansas, United States at age 72.

1826 Birthblock of James Blanton son of Abraham Absalom and Cynthia Ann (PRATT) Blanton

James Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1826.

Date from the 1830 census states he was born

Date from the 1840 census states he was born

Date from the 1850 census states he was born in 1826.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born

Date from the 1870 census states he was born

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1824.

Research Note

Obviously, the "old timers" were in error when they stated John Blanton moved to Monroe County, Tennessee after he sold his property in Greene County, Tennessee in 1832. John Blanton Sr. who had moved from Harlan County, Kentucky, United States as listed in the 1820 census and sold a deed in Harlan County, Kentucky in 1821 may have settled first in Greene County, Tennessee then moved by the 1830 census to Monroe County, Tennessee. Evidence of his Greene County, Tennessee tenure can be found in his property purchases and his children's marriages commencing with Joshua's in 1825 and Absalom's in 1826. Gold was discovered in 1826 in Monroe County, Tennessee sparking a massive migration from all over the states to Monroe County. This would explain why many of the Blantons including John Sr. and my Pratts ended up in Monroe County, Tennessee by the 1830 census. However, curiously, Absalom Blanton seems to have retained his residency in Greene County, Tennessee. If he made a sojourn down into the gold fields of Monroe County, he did not remain or take up residence there for very long. This is evident by the his purchase of 6 head of sheep on April 6th of 1830 in Greene County. Why he was not recorded in the 1830 census will be discussed later. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2011

1827 Childbirth of sister; Elizabeth (BLANTON)

Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in February 1827-1828.

1827 Father's Property Transaction

Greene County Tennessee Deed Register Book 1824-1846, Entry No.1049, dated 15 March 1827

Absalom Blanton was granted title to 100 acres in Greene Co., TN., by right of entry that joined William Dickson and included a Sugar Camp. Tennessee land grant to secure title in North Carolina.

1829 Childbirth of sister; Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON)

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 24 July 1829.

1830 Childbirth of brother; Alexander A. Blanton

Alexander A. Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 11 November 1830.

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1830 Federal Census age 4

[There is an Absalom Bunton in Sumner County Tennessee. He could be Absalom's family according to William Blanton of Norwood, MO. But, I don't think so. A few doors up is a Thomas Bunton and family. So if the Bunton was a mistake and should have been a Blanton then why two people on the same page with the same mistake? Hardly any of the age records of the Bunton family match up to Absalom's family especially the 10-14 year old daughters since Absalom was married in 1825. According to the records, Absalom was in Greene Co., TN from 1825 (married) to October 30, 1830 when he was making inventory purchases at Nathan Carter's estate settlement. So, I think Absalom was still in Greene County Tennessee but was missed by the censustakers.]

1830 Father's Purchase

Greene, Tennessee, United States 26 April 1830
Absalom Blanton bought 6 head of sheep on Monday.

1830 Father's Tax Record

"Greene County, Tennessee, 1830 Tax List", by Sandra Kelton Houston, (1984) page 89:

Captain Samuel Gass' Company 1830
Absalom Blanton 100 acres in tract, on The Roaring Fork, 1 white polls

1830 Father's Purchase

Greene, Tennessee, United States 25 October 1830
Absalom Blanton was purchasing items from the Estate sale of Daniel Carter who was deceased.

1831 Childbirth of brother; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 4 April 1831.

1831-1838 Commentary

According to Elbert Sevier Blanton Sr.'s obituary, it states that his parents brought him to Missouri when he was less than a year old. This means all of Absalom's and Cynthia's children born after 1831-1832 were born in Missouri, because Elbert was born in 1831. However, Absalom purchased 40 acres in Franklin Co., MO in 1838. Where were they from 1830 to 1838?

1833 Childbirth of brother; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1833.

1833-1837 Family Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to St. Louis, Missouri to Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1833-1837.

1837 Childbirth of brother; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 February 1837.

1838 Father's Property Transaction

St. Louis, Missouri, United States Land Purchase on 3 September 1838, Receipt #10604
Absalom Blanton buys 40 acres of land section 5, township 40, range 2 west, of the fifth principle

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meridan in Franklin County Missouri. This land purchase puts his home outside of Sullivan. [This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1839 Childbirth of brother; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in March 1839.

1840 Federal Census age 14

Once again Absalom managed to elude the census takers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the 1830's to the 1840's...I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands during those turbulent years, she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Nevertheless, Absalom Blanton & family were living outside Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States by 1840. For a complete report concerning the Pratts and the Blantons on the "Trail of Tears" read "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" © 2003 by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1840-1841 Childbirth of brother; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1840-1841.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County Missouri Deed Record Book Volume "D", page 211, 22 June 1840
Absalom Blanton and Cynthia Blanton sold to G.P. Hardy on 22 June 1840, for \$100 for 40 acres.

*"This deed made this 22nd day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty. Witnessst that Absalom Blanton and Cynthia his wife of the County of Franklin and State of Missouri of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid by G.P. Hardy of this county and state aforesaid of the second part. The receipt wherefore is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain sell and convey and confirms to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land purchased by said Absalom Blanton on the third of September A.D. Eighteen hundred and thirty eight as will made fully apparent a reference from the Books of the United States Registers Office at St. Louis, and the receiver's receipt number ten thousand six hundred and four (10604) designates on the book of said registers office at St. Louis and in said receiver's receipt of Section Number Five in Township Number Forty of Range Number Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing forty acres to have and to hold the said tract of land with all and singular the privileges and appertances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever. The said parties of the first part hereby coveting that they their heirs executors and administrators will warrant and defend the title to the land aforesaid to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs forever against all and every perso or persons claiming by through or under them the said parties of the first part. We witness whereof the parties of the first part have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written. Acknowledged in presence of: Thomas Buckner, Joseph Patton
Absalom "X" Blanton and
Cynthia "X" Blanton"*

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

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1840-1849 Family Move

From Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States

1849 Father's Joint Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840___.362 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section 32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton the South West ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section thirty-two in township 40, Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres.

[This property is located off of Highway 202 south of Hamilton Creek near Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres.]

1849 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 620 & 621, 3 November 1849

A homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty- North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County.

[This property became known as the Blanton Hollow and is now known as Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri. Absalom built a large manison after he developed the land for mining. It is located off of Highway 202 along Hamilton Creek.]

1849 Marriage of James Blantona dn Margaret Green (GOFORTH)

Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "A " page 77

James Blanton and Margaret Green Goforth were married on 8 November 1849.

1850 Federal Census age 24

Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157, 30 October 1850, line , house 954,

BLANTON, James w m 24; Margaret w f 17

[James and Margaret both born in Kentucky. James is a farmer. Living next door to mother-in-law; Martha (**MARQUIS**) Goforth.]

(2) MARRIAGE: JAMES BLANTON and NANCY A. ADAMS

(3) MARIAGE: JAMES BLANTON and NANCY H. STEVENSON

1860 Federal Census age 34

-

1870 Federal Census age 44

1873 Property Transaction

Hempstead Co., Arkansas, Warranty Deed, July 3, 1873:

James Blanton and wife Nancy H. Blanton sell forty acres of land in Washington Co., MO to Alexander R. Pratt for Sixty dollars, To wit: undivided 1/8 of the north east quarter fo the south

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west quarter of section no. 30 township no. 40 range no. 1 west of the fifth principal meridian.

NOTE: NANCY ADAMS lived in Hempstead Co., AR between 1860-1892.

1880 Federal Census age 54

Spring Hill Twp, Hempstead, Arkansas, United States, page 342a,

BLANTON, James head w m 56; Nancy H. wife w f 553

[They were both born in Tennessee, as were their parents. James is a farmer.]

1898 Death of James Blanton

James Blanton died in Miller, Arkansas, United States on 9 October 1898. [needs verification]

James married **Margaret Green Goforth**, daughter of **Willoughby Goforth** and **Martha Marquis**, on 8 November 1849 in Washington, Missouri, United States. Margaret was born in 1833 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

CENSUS: 1840 Washington Co., MO., Richwoods Twsp., Page 197:

GOFORTH, Willoby

free white males

free white females

4 & under= Miles age 1

4 & under = America age 3

40-49 = Willoughby

5-9 = Deborah age 6

5-9 = Margaret age 7

30-39 = Martha age 35

The child from this marriage was:

+ 11 M i. **Green G. Blanton** was born in 1850 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

James next married **Nancy A. Adams**.

James next married **Nancy H. Stevenson**, daughter of **Unknown** and **Unknown**.

3. Elizabeth Blanton (*Abraham Absalom*¹) was born from February 1827 to 1828 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died on 22 February 1916 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 89, and was buried on 23 February 1916 in Hamilton Hollow Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Elizabeth (BLANTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. September 2012

1820-1827 Birthblock for Elizabeth (BLANTON) daughter of Absalom & Cynthia (PRATT) Blanton

Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in February 1827-1828.

Date from 1830 census states she was born (can't find)

Date from 1840 census states she was born (can't find)

Date from 1850 census states she was born in 1826.

Date from 1860 census states she was born in 1827.

Date from 1870 census states she was born in 1827.

Date from 1880 census states she was born in 1826.

Date from 1900 census states she was born February 1820.

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1812.

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Date from the death certificate states she was born 1818 in unknown.

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1827 Father's Property Transaction

[1] Greene County Tennessee Deed Register Book 1824-1846, Entry No.1049, dated 15 March 1827

Absalom Blanton was granted title to 100 acres in Greene Co., TN., by right of entry that joined William Dickson and included a Sugar Camp. Tennessee land grant to secure title in North Carolina.

1829 Childbirth of brother; Alexander A. Blanton

Alexander A. Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 7 September 1829

1828-1835 Childbirth of sister; Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON)

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States between 1828-1835.

1830 Federal Census age 4

[There is an Absalom Bunton in Sumner County Tennessee. He could be Absalom's family according to William Blanton of Norwood, MO. But, I don't think so. A few doors up is a Thomas Bunton and family. So if the Bunton was a mistake and should have been a Blanton then why two people on the same page with the same mistake? Hardly any of the age records of the Bunton family match up to Absalom's family especially the 10-14 year old daughters since Absalom was married in 1825. According to the records, Absalom was in Greene Co., TN from 1825 (married) to October 30, 1830 when he was making inventory purchases at Nathan Carter's estate settlement. So, I think Absalom was still in Greene County Tennessee but was missed by the censustakers.]

1830 Father's Purchase

Greene, Tennessee, United States 26 April 1830

Absalom Blanton bought 6 head of sheep on Monday.

1830 Father's Tax Record

[1] "Greene County, Tennessee, 1830 Tax List", by Sandra Kelton Houston, (1984) page 89:

Captain Samuel Gass' Company 1830

Absalom Blanton 100 acres in tract, on The Roaring Fork, 1 white polls

1830 Father's Purchase

Greene, Tennessee, United States 25 October 1830

Absalom Blanton was purchasing items from the Estate sale of Daniel Carter who was descesed.

1831 Childbirth of brother; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 4 April 1831.

1831-1838 Commentary

According to son; Elbert Sevier Blanton Sr.'s obituary, it states that his parents brought him to

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Missouri when he was less than a year old. This means all of Absalom's and Cynthia's children born after 1831-1832 were born in Missouri, because Elbert was born in 1831. However, Absalom purchased 40 acres in Franklin Co., MO in 1838. Where were they from 1830 to 1838?

1833 Childbirth of brother; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1833.

1833-1837 Family Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to Saint Louis, Missouri to Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1833-1837.

1837 Childbirth of brother; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 February 1837.

1838 Father's Property Transaction

[1] St. Louis, Missouri, United States Land Purchase on 3 September 1838, Receipt #10604 Absalom Blanton buys 40 acres of land Section 5, Township 40, Range 2 West, of the fifth principle meridian in Franklin County Missouri. This land purchase puts his home outside of Sullivan.

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1839 Childbirth of brother; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in March 1839.

1840 Federal Census age 14

Once again Absalom managed to elude the census takers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the 1830's to the 1840's...I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands during those turbulent years, she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Nevertheless, Absalom Blanton & family were living outside Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States by 1840. For a complete report read "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" © 2003 by Floyd Thomas Pratt

1840-1841 Childbirth of brother; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1840-1841.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

[1] Franklin County Missouri Deed Record Book Volume "D", page 211, 22 June 1840 Absalom Blanton and Cynthia Blanton sold to G.P. Hardy on 22 June 1840, for \$100 for 40 acres.

"This deed made this 22nd day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty. Witnessst that Absalom Blanton and Cynthia his wife of the County of Franklin and State of Missouri of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid by G.P. Hardy of this county and state aforesaid of the second part. The receipt

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wherefore is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain sell and convey and confirms to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land purchased by said Absalom Blanton on the third of September A.D. Eighteen hundred and thirty eight as will made fully apparent a reference from the Books of the United States Registers Office at St. Louis, and the receiver's receipt number ten thousand six hundred and four (10604) designates on the book of said registers office at St. Louis and in said receiver's receipt of Section Number Five in Township Number Forty of Range Number Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing forty acres to have and to hold the said tract of land with all and singular the privileges and appertances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever. The said parties of the first part hereby coveyng that they their heirs executors and administrators will warrant and defend the title to the land aforesaid to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs forever against all and every perso or persons claiming by through or under them the said parties of the first part. We witness whereof the parties of the first part have hereunto set theirs hands and seals the day and year first above written. Acknowledged in presence of: Thomas Buckner, Joseph Patton

Absalom

"X" Blanton and Cynthia "X" Blanton"

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1846 Marriage of John Allen and Elizabeth (BLANTON)

John Allen and Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) were married on 1846 in Sullivan, Franklin Co., MO. [Date and location from the book "**Our Seven Children**", page 54 & 55. Checking the actual marriage book might reveal their marriage that could have been overlooked. Also, checking the local churches in Sullivan might have their marriage record.]

Research Note

There seems to be some consistancy concerning the birth location of the children. They all seem to be under the impression they were born in or near Sullivan. Since my ancestors settled in Johnson Township near Absalom and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton family now called the Hamilton Hollow area, would indicate a close closed community of Native ancestry. Johnson Township in northern Washington County borders Meramec Township in southern Franklin County. Sullivan straddles the line between Washington and Franklin counties. To be living in Johnson Township would be a few miles south of Sullivan city, therefore, in harmony with their residence in the 1850 census of Johnson Township, would indicate they lived south of Sullivan in Johnson Township. Checking the deed books of both Washington and Franklin Counties might indicate where they bought property if they bought property at all. Since John Allen was born and raised in New York, he would be a man of educated means and taught in the value of property ownership. I would be very surprised if he did not buy property in Franklin, Washington or Crawford Counties of Missouri.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2010

1846 Childbirth of daughter; Eliza Ann (ALLEN)

Eliza Ann (**ALLEN**) was born either near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri or in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri in 1846. Internet source states she was born 12 December 1845 and died 26 April 1863 in Washington County, Missouri. [needs verification]

1848 Childbirth of daughter; Catherine Frances "Kate" (ALLEN)

Catherine Frances "Kate" (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 January 1848.

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1850 Federal Census age 24

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 22, house 957, family 957

ALLEN, John w m 33; Elizabeth w f 24; Eliza A. w f 4; Catherine w f 2

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth born in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri. John is a blacksmith. Living next door to the Blantons]

1850-1852 Death of mother; Cynthia (PRATT)

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between October 30, 1850 from the census date and March 21, 1852 the date of her husband's 2nd marriage.

1850-1860 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States between 1850-1860.

1850 Childbirth of son; John D. Allen Jr.

John D. Allen Jr. was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1850.

1853 Childbirth of daughter; Elizabeth M. (ALLEN)

Elizabeth M. (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 February 1853.

1855 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Jane (ALLEN)

Mary Jane (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 October 1855.

1858 Childbirth of son; Henry Allen

Henry Allen was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 February 1858.

1858-1860 Family Move

From near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. This assumption is based on the informant's information on Henry Allen's death certificate that stated he was born in Washington County, Missouri. If that be true, then they moved shortly after his birth. Checking Crawford County Deed Records might show that John Allen bought property in Liberty Twp, Crawford County, Missouri.

1860 Federal Census age 34

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 11, 8 August 1860, line 7, house 716, family 710

ALLEN, John w m 42; Elizabeth w f 33; Eliza A. w f 14; Catherine F. w f 12; John D. w m 10; Elizabeth w f 7; Mary w f 5; Henry w m 2

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth in Tennessee, then rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1861 Childbirth of son; William "Will" M. Allen

William "Will" M. Allen was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford,

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Missouri, United States on 25 December 1861. Even though his death certificate states he was born in 1856, the 1860 & 1870 census records do not support that hypothesis.

1863 Childbirth of daughter: Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (ALLEN)

Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (ALLEN) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 28 October 1863.

1867 Childbirth of Clara Emaline (ALLEN)

Clara Emaline (ALLEN) was born in either near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 20 January 1867.

1870 Federal Census age 44

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 602a, 10 July 1870, line 18, house 80, family 80

ALLEN, John w m 56; Elizabeth w f 43; John w m 19; Elizabeth w f 18; Mary w f 10; Henry w m 12; William w m 9; Louisa w f 7; Clara E. w f 4

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth in Tennessee, then rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1872 Death of father: Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton's second husband died on March 4, 1872 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322.

[There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a landowner and business man with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1880 Federal Census age 54

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 29a, 10 June 1880, line 40, house 122, family 122

ALLEN, John head w m 64; Elizabeth wife w f 54; Louisa dau w f 17; Clara dau w f 13; Henry son w m 22; William son w m 19

[John was born in New York as was his parents. Elizabeth was born in Tennessee as was her parents, the rest born in Missouri, their father in New York, their mother in Tennessee. John is a farmer.]

1880-1900 Death of John D. Allen Sr.

Even though the date of 1907 from the book "Our Seven Children", page 54 & 55 states he died in 1907, this is date maybe in error. In the 19th of June 1900 census his wife Elizabeth states she was a widow. So, he died between 1890-1900. Newspapers or a headstone might provide the proof.

1900 Federal Census age 74

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 26b, 18 & 19 June 1900, line 70, house 196, family 199

ALLEN, Elizabeth head w f born February 1820 age 80; Lou dau w f born October 1863 age 36; Della gdau w f born January 1885 age 15;

[Elizabeth born in Tennessee as was her parents, the rest born in Missouri as was their parents.]

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Elizabeth says she is a **widow** and has had 9 children born and 6 are living. Lou says she has had 1 child born and 1 is living. Elizabeth is a farmer and **owns** her farm.]

1910 Federal Census age 84

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 23a, 25 April 1910, line 4, house 155, family 157

SITES, Seymour W. head w m 51; Clara E. wife w f 42; Amy dau w f 17; Wesley T. son w m 15; Mary E. dau w f 10; Ethel M. dau w f 7; ?Silas E. dau w f 4; Evelyn D. dau w f 2; **ALLEN**, Elizabeth mother-in-law w f 98

[Seymour born in Virginia as was his parents. Clara born in Missouri her father in New York, her mother in Tennessee. The rest born in Missouri, their father in Virginia, their mother in Missouri. Elizabeth born in Tennessee and her parents born in the United States. Clara say she has been married 23 years and this is their first marriage. She has had 10 children born and 8 are living. Elizabeth is a widow and has had 9 children born and 6 are living. Seymour is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1916 Death of Elizabeth (BLANTON) Allen

Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 22 February 1916.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #5910

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website Elizabeth Allen February 22, 1916 Crawford 5910

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

Missouri State Board of Health, Death Certificate, File #5910, Elizabeth Allen was 78 years, 0 months, 0 days old when she died on 22 Feb 1916 in Boone Twp, Crawford Co., MO. She was born in 1818, place unknown. Parents unknown. Husband unknown. The doctor said she died of senility. The informant was W.S. Sites of Bourbon, MO. Place of burial unknown.

[Apparently Mr. Sites was not familiar with Elizabeth because the above lacks real information.]

1916 Burial of Elizabeth (BLANTON) Allen

Most likely Hamilton Cemetery, Johnson Twp, Washington Co., MO. next to her husband.

Source

From the book "**Our Seven Children**" by Rev. Sam D. Bohnenkamp, Pages 54 & 55:
*Now I will write you about my wife's Grandparents on her mother's side, Clara Emiline Sites parents as follows: Mr. & Mrs. Sullivan [should be John & Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen] were about 1824 at Sullivan, Mo. [They were born in New York and Greene County, Tennessee.]*

They were married about 1846 at Sullivan, Mo. [Can not locate a marriage document verifying the date]

They lived and owned their farm, which was probably homesteaded on the Meramec River, east of Sullivan, Mo. To get to their home from Sullivan, MO., you cross the Sappington bridge across the Meramec River. They built their house on a beautiful hill from the river. [Checking the Franklin or Washington County deed books might reveal the dates and location.]

Mr. Allen died about 1907 and they buried him in the Hamilton cemetery. [Not true, Elizabeth was a widow before the 1900 census.]

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*Mrs. Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen continued to live on her home place for a short time. In about 1908 she was doing the chores and while she was milking, a cow kicked her and broke her hip. So my wife's parents got her brought to their home, where she lived with them for about 8 years. [By the 1910 census Elizabeth is living with Seymour & Clara (**ALLEN**) Sites family.]*

Then on February 22, 1916, she died in their home and Mr. & Mrs. Seymour Sites buried her by her husband's side in the Hamilton Cemtery, Sullivan, MO. She was over 92 years old when she died. [No headstones have been located.]

Their son, John Allen, had built house near by to help his parents with the farm and after his mother died, he bought out the heirs of their share of the old home farm. Later he sold the farm to the Sappingtons.

*My wife's mother [Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen] was the youngest in her family. She had three brothers and three sisters. [Not true, Elizabeth was the oldest sister of Absalom & Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton family. Seven brothers and at least two sisters.]*

*Seven children in the Allen family as follows: Mary, Kate, John Henry Lou, William and Clara Emilien (**ALLEN**). [Not true, there were six sisters and three brothers; Eliza Ann (**ALLEN**), Catheine Frances (**ALLEN**), John D. Allen, Elizabeth M. (**ALLEN**), Mary Jane (**ALLEN**), Henry Allen, William "Will" M. Allen, Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (**ALLEN**) and Clara Emaline (**ALLEN**)]*

A tragedy happened in the Allen family on their farm near the Meramec River when my wife's mother was 7 years old. A flash flood came from the river and got up in their field, and some of their livestock was in this flood. So my wife's Grandfather Allen and his daughter, Mary, about 17 years old, were in a wagon and the flood took them, including the team and wagon down the swift stream. Mary drowned in the river.

*[His wife's mother was Clara Emaline (**ALLEN**) Sites and at age 7 would have been 1874, but other sources stated Mary Jane (**ALLEN**) died on 28 November 1879. Mary was born in 1855 so if she was 17 years old that would make her death in the year 1872. Checking the local newspapers should reveal the tragedy and the correct dates. Also it may not have been Mary after all, her older sister; Elizabeth M. (**ALLEN**) born 1853 disappears after the 1870 census and she is not with her parents in the 1880 census.]*

*Her father, Mr. Allen, saved himself by holding himself to a limb of a tree. So Mary (**ALLEN**) lost her life trying to help her father save some of their livestock.*

*Now I want to tell you about my wife's grandmother [Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen] who stayed in their home. When she was about 88 years old, and I would go to see my girl friend, Amy Sites, in 1912-1913, I would pull up my chair by her side and talk to her. Yes, Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen was a friendly, lovable person, she was charming in her conversation and I would listen to her talk. She told me about her home life when she grew up and about her family life.*

She said they never wasted anything. When they would want fresh meat the men folk would hunt for deer, turkey, and other small animals. Even sometimes they would kill a bear. And she said there was plenty of panthers around to molest the stock and people. She said they would

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only kill enough wild animals according to their needs and not waste any meat. Then she told me that she was one half english and one half Irish and that she married an Englisman, Mr. Allen. [Due to the prejudice of owning up to a Cherkoe hertiage she left out the part about her mother; Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton being a Cherokee princess. The English and Irish hertiage came from the Blanton side of the family.]

So I figured it out that my wife's mother was 75 per cent English and 25 percent Irish, and that my wife is 50 percent Dutch, 37 percent English and 12 one-half percent Irish. And that our seven children are 50 percent German; 25 percent Dutch; 18 threequarters percent English and 6 one-quarter Irish.

This makes an excellant combination of European blood, which makes them according to blood and training, outstanding personalities, intelligent, ambitious, self reliant, honest, benevolent, friendly, compassionate, religious, and kind.

[The author, Sam D. Bohnenkamp obviously was elderly when he wrote this book. There are several errors and I only was interested in the section where he talked about John & Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen family. He starts off by saying Mr. & Mrs. Sullivan when he meant to say Mr. & Mrs. Allen. Also he states that John Allen died in 1907 and this is an error. We know that Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen was a widow before the 1900 census. Too bad no one thought it important of know where John Allen was born in New York...or his parentage. This is all that concerns the Allens and Blantons in his book.--Floyd Thomas Pratt 2010]

Source

Ancestry.com

Family Data Collection - Births

Name:Elizabeth Blanton Father:Abraham Absalom Blanton Mother:Cynthia Ann Pratt Birth

Date:1827 City:Greene State:TN Country:USA

[I have found no evidence to suggest that Absalom Blanton was named Abraham. Also, there is no clear evidence that Cynthia's middle name was Ann. This is more unsubstantiated Blanton heresy and the serious researcher must take this information with caution.-FTP]

Elizabeth married **John D. Allen Sr.**, son of **Robert Allen** and **Martha Kerr**, in 1846 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. John was born on 9 March 1816 in New York, United States, died from 1880 to 1900 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried from 1880 to 1900 in Hamilton Hollow Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

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1816 Birthblock for John Allen Sr.

John Allen was born in New York on 9 March 1816. [Internet date...needs verification]

Date from the 1820 census states he was born

Date from the 1830 census states he was born

Date from the 1840 census states he was born

Date from the 1850 census states he was born 1817 in New York.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born 1818 in New York.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1814 in New York.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1816 in New York.

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Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

Since his birth state in consist ant and his birth year somewhat consistant 1814-1818, I must support his testimony in all four census records as being born 1814-1818 in New York. This removes him from consideration as a child of the Greene County, Tennessee Allen families.

AKA

I can not remember where I discovered that John D. Allen was a Senior. I believe it was from the book, "**Our Seven Children**" or it could have been Mabel Reed or Julia Harmon.

However, so far in my "update" research I have not been able to verify that information.

Therefore, I am not calling him a Senior at this point, until I rediscover where I found that information.

Also, while I have found several on ancestry.com calling him John William Allen, I asked Walter Fred Allen on 13 November 2010 where they got the William as his middle name and he replied..." *As to John Allen being John "William" Allen, that info was contained in a 1976 letter from an Aunt who was listing her memories of the family; John and Elizabeth would have been her greatgrandparents. I don't, however, have anything other than that; e.g., documents of any kind.*"

I'm afraid without supporting documentation, I can not in all clear conscience validate the middle name as William. I feel this could be the John Henry Pratt fiasco all over again. Therefore, I will not include the William in his name until it can be validated by a second source. -- Floyd Thomas Pratt 13 November 2010

1805 Greene County, Tennessee, Tax List

ALLEN, John Allen John James, John, Joseph, Reuben, Robert

[Should be noted that this is not John Allen from New York because he was not born yet.]

Research Note

I can find no evidence that John Allen was in Greene County, Tennessee. Since he and Elizabeth didn't get married until 1846 in Sullivan, Missouri per the book... "**Our Seven Children**", would indicate they met in Missouri. This individual needs a serious researcher to check the newspapers in and around Sullivan from the 1840's to his death date. There may be a hint in those papers as to his origins. Also, since he married at around age 30 would indicate he may have been previously married.

1820 Federal Census age 4

1830 Federal Census age 14

Research Note

In 1833 in Greene County, Tennessee, Absalom and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton named a son John Allen Blanton. Either they knew a John Allen in Greene County or knew of him. Naming a son, John Allen Blanton would indicate a previous knowledge of a John Allen 13 years before John Allen from New York married their daughter; Elizabeth (**BLANTON**).

1840 Federal Census age 24

too many variables

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1840-1846 Family Move

From New York to Washington Co., MO between 1840-1846. Actually, since we don't know where he was in the 1840 census, then we don't really know where he came from. The only evidence we have is that he married Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) in 1846 according to the book..."**Our Seven Children**", which I must caution the reader is riddled with errors.

1846 Marriage of John Allen and Elizabeth (BLANTON)

John Allen and Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) were married on 1846 in Sullivan, Franklin Co., MO. [Date and location from the book "**Our Seven Children**", page 54 & 55. Checking the actual marriage book might reveal their marriage that could have been overlooked. Also, checking the local churches in Sullivan might have their marriage record. Then again, we are dealing with a flawed source.]

Research Note

There seems to be some consistency concerning the birth location of the children. They all seem to be under the impression they were born in or near Sullivan. Since my Pratt ancestors settled in Johnson Township near Absalom and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton family now called the Hamilton Hollow area, would indicate a close closed community of Native ancestry. Johnson Township in northern Washington County borders Meramec Township in southern Franklin County. Sullivan straddles the line between Washington and Franklin counties. To be living in Johnson Township would be a few miles south of Sullivan city, therefore, in harmony with their residence in the 1850 census of Johnson Township, would indicate they lived south of Sullivan in Johnson Township. Checking the deed books of both Washington and Franklin Counties might indicate where they bought property if they bought property at all. Since John Allen was born and raised in New York, he should have been a man of educated means and taught the value of property ownership. I would be very surprised if he did not buy property in Franklin, Washington or Crawford Counties of Missouri.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2010

1846 Childbirth of daughter; Eliza Ann (ALLEN)

Eliza Ann (**ALLEN**) was born either near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri or in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri in 1846. Internet source states she was born 12 December 1845 and died 26 April 1863 in Washington County, Missouri. [needs source verification]

1848 Childbirth of daughter; Catherine Frances "Kate" (ALLEN)

Catherine Frances "Kate" (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 January 1848.

1850 Federal Census age 34

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 22, house 957, family 957

ALLEN, John w m 33; Elizabeth w f 24; Eliza A. w f 4; Catherine w f 2

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth born in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri. John is a blacksmith. Living next door to the Blantons]

1850-1860 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States between 1850-1860.

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1850 Childbirth of son; John D. Allen

John D. Allen was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1850.

1853 Childbirth of daughter; Elizabeth M. (ALLEN)

Elizabeth M. (ALLEN) was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 February 1853.

1855 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Jane (ALLEN)

Mary Jane (ALLEN) was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 October 1855.

1858 Childbirth of son; Henry Allen

Henry Allen was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 February 1858.

1858-1860 Family Move

From near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. This assumption is based on the informant's information on Henry Allen's death certificate that stated he was born in Washington County, Missouri. If that be true, then they moved shortly after his birth. Checking Crawford County Deed Records might show that John Allen bought property in Liberty Twp, Crawford County, Missouri.

1860 Federal Census age 44

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 11, 8 August 1860, line 7, house 716, family 710

ALLEN, John w m 42; Elizabeth w f 33; Eliza A. w f 14; Catherine F. w f 12; John D. w m 10; Elizabeth w f 7; Mary w f 5; Henry w m 2

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth in Tennessee, then rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1861 Childbirth of son; William "Will" M. Allen

William "Will" M. Allen was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 25 December 1861. Even though his death certificate states he was born in 1856, the 1860 & 1870 census records do not support that hypothesis.

?1862 Military Participation

"History of Franklin, Jefferson, Washington, Crawford & Gasconade Counties,

Missouri" © 2001 Reprint by Southern Historical Press, Inc., Greenville, South Carolina, page 578-579-580

[Page 578] *The Sixty-third Regiment Enrolled Missouri Militia [63rd Regiment E.M.M.]*

was raised mostly in Crawford County. John E. Davis was its first colonel. He was followed by Col. Isaac S. Warmoth, who was commissioned October 13, 1863, and vacated March 12, 1865. Lieutenant-colonels: H. F. Fellows, commissioned November 17, 1862, vacated by Special Order No. 126, 1864; J. G. Anderson; commission dated August 29, 1864, declined; J. C. Wheeling, commissioned September 15, 1864, vacated March 12, 1865. Majors: John Ellis, commissioned November 17, 1862, vacated by Special Order No. 126, 1864; 'V. G. Clark, commissioned November 23, 1864, vacated March 12, 1865. Adjutants: W. H. Davis, commissioned August 20, 1863, resigned September 6, 1864; M. L. Truman, commissioned

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October 27, 1864, vacated March 12, 1865. Quartermasters: Ezra Tiffany, commissioned November 17, 1862, vacated by special order March 29, 1864; H. W. Eggleston, commissioned March 28, 1864, resigned September 19, 1864; H. F. Fellows, commissioned September 19, 1864, vacated March 12, 1865. Surgeon, John A. J. Lee, commissioned November 14, 1864, vacated March 12, 1865. The commissioned officers of the various companies were as follows: **[Page 579]** Company K - Captains: C. Hart, commissioned October 23, 1862, vacated by Special Order No. 126, 1864; J. A. Lofton, commissioned December 23, 1864, vacated March 12, 1865. First **[Page 580]** lieutenants: E. Strutton, commissioned October 23, 1862, vacated by Special Order No. 126, 1864; W. M. Walls, commissioned December 23, 1864, vacated March 12, 1865; Second lieutenants: J. Allen, commissioned October 23, 1862, vacated by Special Order No. 126, 1864; William H. Cypert, commissioned November 12, 1864, vacated March 12, 1865. [Checking the Missouri State Archives Soldiers' Records: War of 1812 - World War I website at <http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/soldiers/results.asp?sType=unit&txtUnit=63rd Regiment E.M.M.&selConflict=Civil War>

[I found no reference to a J. Allen in the above Missouri State Archives or on any of ancestry.com's civil war records databases including the Civil War Pension database. I also checked the 1890 Veteran's Schedule census and no listing. Other than what is mentioned in the above book, I can not validate that this J. Allen from Crawford County, Missouri is our John Allen. Further research is required. It seems coincidental to me that a J. Allen from Crawford County would be listed as a 2nd Lieutenant for the Union. It would not be John's son...John D. because he was only 12 years old at the time of this man's enlistment.]

1863 Childbirth of daughter: Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (ALLEN)

Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (**ALLEN**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 28 October 1863.

1867 Childbirth of daughter: Clara Emaline (ALLEN)

Clara Emaline (**ALLEN**) was born in either near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 20 January 1867.

1870 Federal Census age 54

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 602a, 10 July 1870, line 18, house 80, family 80

ALLEN, John w m 56; Elizabeth w f 43; John w m 19; Elizabeth w f 18; Mary w f 10; Henry w m 12; William w m 9; Louisa w f 7; Clara E. w f 4

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth in Tennessee, then rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1880 Federal Census age 64

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 29a, 10 June 1880, line 40, house 122, family 122

ALLEN, John head w m 64; Elizabeth wife w f 54; Louisa dau w f 17; Clara dau w f 13; Henry son w m 22; William son w m 19

[John was born in New York as was his parents. Elizabeth was born in Tennessee as was her parents, the rest born in Missouri, their father in New York, their mother in Tennessee. John is a farmer.]

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1880-1900 Death of John Allen

Even though the date of 1907 from the book "**Our Seven Children**", page 54 & 55 states he died in 1907, this date may be in error. In the 19th of June 1900 census his wife Elizabeth states she was a widow. So, he died between 1880-1900. Newspapers or a headstone might provide the proof.

1880-1900 Burial of John Allen

Hamilton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp., Washington Co., MO.

[Location from the book "**Our Seven Children**", Page 54 & 55. I would actually believe they were buried in the Blanton Cemetery which is on the other hill across the road from Hamilton Cemetery. Since, Elizabeth was a Blanton, that would be my guess. Floyd Thomas Pratt]

Source

From the book "**Our Seven Children**" by Rev. Sam D. Bohnenkamp, Pages 54 & 55:
*Now I will write you about my wife's Grandparents on her mother's side, Clara Emiline Sites parents as follows: Mr. & Mrs. Sullivan [should be John & Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen] were about 1824 at Sullivan, Mo. [They were born in New York and Greene County, Tennessee.]*

They were married about 1846 at Sullivan, Mo. [Can not locate a marriage document verifying the date]

They lived and owned their farm, which was probably homesteaded on the Meramec River, east of Sullivan, Mo. To get to their home from Sullivan, MO., you cross the Sappington bridge across the Meramec River. They built their house on a beautiful hill from the river. [Checking the Franklin or Washington County deed books might reveal the dates and location.]

Mr. Allen died about 1907 and they buried him in the Hamilton cemetery. [Not true, Elizabeth was a widow before the 1900 census.]

*Mrs. Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen continued to live on her home place for a short time. In about 1908 she was doing the chores and while she was milking, a cow kicked her and broke her hip. So my wife's parents got her brought to their home, where she lived with them for about 8 years. [By the 1910 census Elizabeth is living with Seymour & Clara (**ALLEN**) Sites family.]*

Then on February 22, 1916, she died in their home and Mr. & Mrs. Seymour Sites buried her by her husband's side in the Hamilton Cemetery, Sullivan, MO. She was over 92 years old when she died. [No headstones have been located.]

Their son, John Allen, had built house near by to help his parents with the farm and after his mother died, he bought out the heirs of their share of the old home farm. Later he sold the farm to the Sappington's.

*My wife's mother [Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen] was the youngest in her family. She had three brothers and three sisters. [Not true, Elizabeth was the oldest sister of Absalom & Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton family. Seven brothers and at least two sisters.]*

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*Seven children in the Allen family as follows: Mary, Kate, John Henry Lou, William and Clara Emilien (**ALLEN**). [Not true, there were six sisters and three brothers; Eliza Ann (**ALLEN**), Catherine Frances (**ALLEN**), John D. Allen, Elizabeth M. (**ALLEN**), Mary Jane (**ALLEN**), Henry Allen, William "Will" M. Allen, Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (**ALLEN**) and Clara Emaline (**ALLEN**)]*

A tragedy happened in the Allen family on their farm near the Meramec River when my wife's mother was 7 years old. A flash flood came from the river and got up in their field, and some of their livestock was in this flood. So my wife's Grandfather Allen and his daughter, Mary, about 17 years old, were in a wagon and the flood took them, including the team and wagon down the swift stream. Mary drowned in the river.

*[His wife's mother was Clara Emaline (**ALLEN**) Sites and at age 7 would have been 1874, but other sources stated Mary Jane (**ALLEN**) died on 28 November 1879. Mary was born in 1855 so if she was 17 years old that would make her death in the year 1872. Checking the local newspapers should reveal the tragedy and the correct dates. Also it may not have been Mary after all, her older sister; Elizabeth M. (**ALLEN**) born 1853 disappears after the 1870 census and she is not with her parents in the 1880 census.]*

*Her father, Mr. Allen, saved himself by holding himself to a limb of a tree. So Mary (**ALLEN**) lost her life trying to help her father save some of their livestock.*

*Now I want to tell you about my wife's grandmother [Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen] who stayed in their home. When she was about 88 years old, and I would go to see my girl friend, Amy Sites, in 1912-1913, I would pull up my chair by her side and talk to her. Yes, Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen was a friendly, lovable person, she was charming in her conversation and I would listen to her talk. She told me about her home life when she grew up and about her family life.*

*She said they never wasted anything. When they would want fresh meat the men folk would hunt for deer, turkey, and other small animals. Even sometimes they would kill a bear. And she said there was plenty of panthers around to molest the stock and people. She said they would only kill enough wild animals according to their needs and not waste any meat. Then she told me that she was one half English and one half Irish and that she married an Englishman, Mr. Allen. [Due to the prejudice of owning up to a Cherokee heritage she left out the part about her mother; Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton being a Cherokee princess. The English and Irish heritage came from the Blanton side of the family.]*

So I figured it out that my wife's mother was 75 per cent English and 25 percent Irish, and that my wife is 50 percent Dutch, 37 percent English and 12 one-half percent Irish. And that our seven children are 50 percent German; 25 percent Dutch; 18 three quarters percent English and 6 one-quarter Irish.

This makes an inequities combination of European blood, which makes them according to blood and training, outstanding personalities, intelligent, ambitious, self reliant, honest, benevolent, friendly, compassionate, religious, and kind.

*[The author, Sam D. Bohnenkamp obviously was elderly when he wrote this book. There are several errors and I only was interested in the section where he talked about John & Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen family. He starts off by saying Mr. & Mrs. Sullivan when he meant to say*

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Mr. & Mrs. Allen. Also he states that John Allen died in 1907 and this is an error. We know that Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen was a widow before the 1900 census. Too bad no one thought it important of know where John Allen was born in New York...or his parentage. This is all that concerns the Allens and Blantons in his book.--Floyd Thomas Pratt 2010]

2010 John Allen Commentary

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

I stand amazed that after 35 years and more, of Allen family history research, no one has taken the time or responsibility to determine John Allen's parentage.

When I began my research in 1975, there were many older researchers with many more years of experience than I, especially concerning the Blanton family, that still had no clue about this John Allen born in New York.

Since the Allen family is so remote from my direct line of interest, being that Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton was the sister of my 5th Great Grandfather Henry Pratt, I researched what I knew and could locate but not with an eye to solving the parentage of John Allen.

To give you my relationship to John Allen is as follows: husband of stepdaughter of 3rd great grandmother.

Someone from the Allen or related families who would like to know the answers to John Allen's identity, needs to do the following research.

[1] Go to the Franklin County, Missouri Courthouse and look at the Deed books for John Allen references.

- a) Check the marriage books for a missed marriage record
- b) Check the court records for references to John Allen's activities
- c) Check the local newspapers for John Allen & Family references

[2] Go to the Washington County, Missouri Courthouse and look at the Deed books for John Allen references.

- a) Check the marriage books for a missed marriage record
- b) Check the court records for references to John Allen's activities
- c) Check the local newspapers for John Allen & Family references

[3] Go to the Crawford County, Missouri Courthouse and look at the Deed books for John Allen references.

- a) Check the marriage books for a missed marriage record
- b) Check the court records for references to John Allen's activities
- c) Check the local newspapers for John Allen & Family references

More than likely the newspapers are housed at The State Historical Society of Missouri in Columbia, Missouri. <http://shs.umsystem.edu/newspaper/index.shtml>

Taking a trip to those locations would probably reveal John Allen's parentage and other family data.

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I think after 35 years, with no one making any progress on his family...is a shame and disgrace. Too many interested researchers in his family lines are too lazy to go and do the "hardcore" research it takes to solve this type of mystery.

Too many people want someone "else" to give them the information without paying their dues. This type of attitude is not how the information you have today was acquired...but by long, tedious, time consuming hard work sitting in front of microfilm machines, visiting old courthouses and reviewing their records and talking to relatives down dusty dirt roads. Traveling from state to state, trying to locate anything or anyone that may have information about your ancestor.

This is how the information you now see "online" was acquired and someone "else" had to pay his or her dues for what you take for granted with a push of a button.

Until someone cares enough about the Allen family to validate their ancestry, I hope that in another 35 years, my words will not be as accurate and appropriate as they are today.

Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 10 November 2010

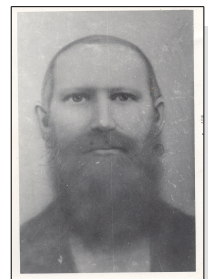
Children from this marriage were:

- + 12 F i. **Eliza Ann Allen** was born on 12 December 1845 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 26 April 1863 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 17.
- + 13 F ii. **Catherine Frances "Kate" Allen** was born on 16 January 1848 near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 25 May 1929 in Sorento, Shoal Creek Twp, Bond, Illinois, United States at age 81, and was buried on 27 May 1929 in Sunny Side Cemetery, Shoal Creek Twp, Bond, Illinois, United States.
Catherine married **Thomas Kitchen** (d. 21 August 1932).
- + 14 M iii. **John D. Allen Jr.** was born on 7 September 1850 near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 28 February 1946 in Bellflower, Bear Creek Twp, Montgomery, Missouri, United States at age 95, and was buried on 2 March 1946 in Saint Anthony's Catholic Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
John married **Ruth Minerva Matlock** (d. 22 September 1932) on 29 September 1878 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 15 F iv. **Elizabeth M. Allen** was born on 4 February 1853 near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 11 September 1882 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 29.

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- + 16 F v. **Mary Jane Allen** was born on 26 October 1855 near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 28 November 1879 in Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 24.
Mary married **Horace Jennings**.
Mary next married **Capt. John Keyes**.
- + 17 M vi. **Henry Allen** was born on 16 February 1858 near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 21 February 1940 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 82, and was buried on 21 February 1940 in Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
Henry married **Margaret Cain** (d. 29 March 1901) on 12 September 1880 in Washington, Missouri, United States.
Henry next married **Dora**.
- + 18 M vii. **William "Will" Mitchell Allen** was born on 25 December 1861 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 28 July 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 29 July 1925 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
William married **Lillian Margaret A. "Lillie" Hanson** (d. 29 May 1925) on 2 October 1887 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 19 F viii. **Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" Allen** was born on 28 October 1863 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 20 January 1936 in Hermosa Beach, Los Angeles, California, United States at age 72.
Lucille married **Cyrus Frank Snyder** on 14 September 1902 in Saint Clair, Illinois, United States.
- + 20 F ix. **Clara Emaline Allen** was born on 20 January 1867 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 2 February 1947 in rural Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 80, and was buried on 4 February 1947 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
Clara married **William Seymour Sites** (d. 17 February 1935) on 14 October 1886 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

4. Alexander A. Blanton Sr. (*Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 7 September 1828 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died on 3 April 1882 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 53, and was buried in April 1882 in Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.



Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Alexander A. Blanton Sr. by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to

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your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1830 Birthblock of Alexander A. Blanton son of Absalom & Cynthia Ann (PRATT) Blanton

Alexander A. Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 7 September 1829.
Date from 1830 census states he was born in ?? [family not found in census]
Date from 1840 census states he was born in ?? [family not found in census]
Date from 1850 census states he was born in 1828 in Tennessee.
Date from 1860 census states he was born in 1827 in Tennessee.
Date from 1870 census states he was born in 1828 in Tennessee.
Date from 1880 census states he was born in 1830 in Tennessee.
Date from headstone states his birth as September 7, 1829.
Date from family bible states he was born November 11, 1830.
Therefore his birth is from 1827-1830.

1830 Federal Census age 1

Could not find him or his parents in the 1830 census. However, strong evidence suggests he was with his parents in Greene, Tennessee, United States. Since his father was buying sheep in 1830 in Greene County, Tennessee, this would indicate they were still living in that county during the 1830 census.

1831-1838 Commentary

According to Alexander's brother; Elbert Sevier Blanton Sr.'s obituary, it states that his parents; Absalom & Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton, brought him to Missouri when he was less than a year old. This would indicate all of Absalom's and Cynthia's children born after 1831-1832 were born in Missouri, because Elbert was born in 1831. Not sure if the obituary is true. Absalom purchased 40 acres in Franklin County, Missouri in 1838. Where were they from 1830 to 1838?

1832-1838 Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to St. Louis, Missouri then to Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1832-1838.

1840 Federal Census age 11

Once again Absalom managed to elude the censustakers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the census of 1830 and 1840. I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Therefore I think they were still living near Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri when the 1840 census was taken. For a complete report read "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" by Floyd Thomas Pratt

1840-1849 Family Move

Moved with his parents from Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States. His father built a large mansion and developed some property in 1849 called Blanton Hollow. Alexander was 19 years old at this time and had met, widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt's family when they lived in Johnson Twp, Washington County and moved to Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri after the death of Henry Pratt. Alexander started courting widow Pratt's 18 year-old daughter, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).

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1849 Marriage of Alexander A. Blanton and Nancy Mariah (PRATT)

Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "A", Page 176

Alexander Stanton and Nancy M. Pratt both of Crawford County were married on 14 October 1849.

Research Note

Misspelled name in marriage record as Alexander Stanton and Nancy M. Pratt BOTTO. The Botto is from the next two words of the marriage license which states " **both of** Crawford County". Most likely she was married at her mother's residence next door to her sister; Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel's home in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. After the death of Henry Prattt, their father, it appears that widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt moved from the Richwoods area in Washington County closer to Susanna near the Hansel home in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1850 Childbirth of daughter; Catherine "Kate" Jane (BLANTON)

Catherine "Kate" Jane (**BLANTON**) was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 September 1850 . However, the 1850 census states she was 1 month old on 30 October 1850. This would make her birth in September 1850.

1850 Federal Census age 21

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 19, house 956, family 956

BLANTON, Alexandrew w m 22; Mariah w f 20; Catherine w f 1month born in September [All born in Tennessee. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to John & Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen family, Absalom & Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton family, his parents. Notice how the censustaker wrote his name as Alexandrew Blanton. I wonder if the middle initial A. stands for Andrew?]

1854 Childbirth of son; Alexander A. Blanton Jr.

Alexander A. Blanton Jr. was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 31 May 1854.

1854 Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "D" page 469, 2 August 1854

Alexander Blanton sold to Drewry Skaggs SW¼-NW¼ Section 36, Township 40 North, Range 2 West

[This property is located in Crawford County Northeast of the Sappington Bridge road east of the Meramec River close to the Crawford and Washington Counties border consisting of 40 acres.]

1856 Childbirth of son; Absalom B. Blanton

Absalom B. Blanton was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 2 April 1856.

1858 Childbirth of son; Augustus "Gus" Blanton

Augustus "Gus" Blanton was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United State or near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 2 March 1858.

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1860 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON)

Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 20 January 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 31

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870 & 871, 8 August 1860, line 37, house 744, family 748

BLANTON, Alexander w m 33; Nancy M. w f 30; Catherine J. w f 10; Alexander w m 6; [page 871] Absalom w m 4; Augustus w m 2; Nancy w f 7/12

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next doot to John & Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt family.]

1860 Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", p534, 12 November 1860

Alexander Blanton sold to James F. Garland SW¼-NW¼ of Section 36, Township 40 north, Range 2 west

[This property is located in Crawford County Northeast of the Sappington Bridge road east of the Meramec River close to the Crawford and Washington Counties border consisting of 40 acres.]

1862 Childbirth of daughter; Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON)

Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 8 January 1862.

1863 Childbirth of daughter; Louisa (BLANTON)

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1866-1869 Family Move

From near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1869 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah F. (BLANTON)

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1870 Federal Census age 41

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b & 99a, 17 August 1870, line 33, house 113, family 113

BLANTON, Alexander w m 42; Nancy M. w f 40; Catherine J. w f 20; Alexander Jr. w m 16; Absalom w m 14; Augustus w m 12; Nancy w f 10; Isibell w f 8; [page 99a] Louisa w f 6; Susan w f 4; Sarah w f 2

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1873 Death of spouse: Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

1875 Marriage of widower Alexander A. Blanton Sr. & widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

Alexander Blanton and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875.

[This is widow Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) who married 1st James Pratt. James Pratt died in 1874.]

1880 Federal Census age 51

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Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 33a, 23 June 1880, line 6, house 204, family 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Agustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

1882 or 1888 Death of Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

[1] Date from headstone states he died April 3, 1882.

[2] Date from family bible states he died April 29, 1888.

1882 or 1888 Burial of Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Blanton, Alexander Sept. 7, 1829- April 3, 1882 age 53yrs 5mos 4days

Blanton, Nancy M. wife of Alex Blanton July 10, 1830-January 27, 1873 age 42yrs 6mos 17days

[Using the birth date, his death calculates out to be 11 February 1883. Using the death date his birth calculates out to be 30 Oct 1828. So we don't know when he was born or when he really died. Checking the local newspapers might reveal the truth.]

Blanton Family Bible

In the possession of Lucille Reed of Oklahoma, granddaughter of Alexander A. Blanton, Jr, son of Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton:

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Blanton, Isabel born Jan 8, 1862

Blanton, Louisa born Mar 11, 1864

Blanton, Susan born June 19, 1866

Blanton, Sarah F. born Jan 15, 1869

Blanton, Benjamin Franklin born Nov 11, 1870

Marriages from Family Bible

Alex Blanton and Maria Pratt was married on October 14 1849

Alex Blanton and Catherine Pratt was married on Oct 13 1875

Deaths from Family Bible

Maria Blanton died Jan. 27, 1873 aged 42yrs

Alexander Blanton died Apr 29, 1888

William Henry Blanton died (no date)

Isabel Blanton died April 1901 aged 39yrs

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Alexander married **Nancy Mariah Pratt**, daughter of **Henry Pratt** and **Nancy Carter**, on 14 October 1849 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Nancy was born on 10 July 1830 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States, died on 27 January 1873 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 42, and was buried in January 1873 in Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Nancy Mariah (PRATT) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1830 Birthblock of Nancy Mariah (PRATT) daughter of Henry & Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

Nancy Miriah (**PRATT**) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in 10 July 1830.

Date from 1830 census states she was born 1825-1830.

Date from 1840 census states she was born 1825-1830.

Date from 1850 census states she was born 1830 in Tennessee.

Date from 1860 census states she was born 1830 in Tennessee.

Date from 1870 census states she was born 1830 in Tennessee.

Date from headstone states she was born 10 July 1830.

1830 Federal Census age <1

Regiment 67, Monroe, Tennessee, United States, page 111

PRATT, Henry 2-1-0-0-1-0-0-1 2-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [unknown son]; 4 & under [unknown son]; 5-9 [James age 8]; 20-29 [Henry age 30]; 50-60 [unknown male]

free white females 4 & under [Nancy Miriah age 1]; 4 & under [Lorenda age 2]; 5-9 [Susanna Rebecca age 9]; 20-29 [Nancy (**CARTER**) age 30]

[Should be noted that in this census and around the county there are Blantons and Carters and Harmons in close proximity of Henry's family, but Henry is the only Pratt family in the county at this time.]

1831 Childbirth of brother; Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

Alexander R. Pratt was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in March 1831 . [My 4thggfather]

1834 Childbirth of sister; Sarah Ann (PRATT)

Sarah Ann (**PRATT**) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in 31 October 1834.

1837 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in 4 January 1837.

1838 Father's Property Participation

Monroe County Tennessee Registrar Book "K" pages 384,5,6 2 July 1838

"John Dyer to the trustees of Ebinezer Camp Grounds: This indenture made this 2nd of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight between John Dyer of the county of Monroe and state of Tennessee of the one part and Henry Pratt, John Key, Lewis

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Carter, John L. McKenzie, Jacob C. Brown, Joseph Forshaw, George Selvidge, Benjamin Parker, and Lewis Parks trustess of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Ebinezer meeting house and camp grounds all the county of the state aforesaid of the other part witnessst that the said John Dyer for and consideration of the sum of fifty dollars when for the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged has granted bargained & sold all the parcel of land lying in the Hiwassee District on Bat Creek being a part of the north west quarter of section twenty thru and second township in the second range east of the meridian beginning at the north west corner of said quarter running south with the line of said section Bat Creek thence down the creek with it's border where the creek crosses the east and west line on the north side of said quarter thence with a line beginning containing two acres of land whereon Ebenezer Meeting House and camp grounds by the same more or less and all the estate right title interest property and claims of him the said John Dyer of in and to the same to have and to hold the land hereby conveyed with all and ingular the premises and very track and parcel thereof with the appointance with the aforementioned said trustees and the Methodist Episcopal Church forever and the said John Dyer for himself his heirs executors and administrators doth covenant promise and agree to and with the said trustees and their successors in office by these presents that he promises before now and forever hereafter shall remain free from all former and other gifts grants bargains sells charges and incumbrences does sell this land.

John Dyer

[Lewis Carter is Henry Pratt's brother-in-law, Joseph Forshee is the brother or father of a daughter that married a Harmon. Henry Pratt not an originator of the deed but Lewis talked him into the participation. Cherokees were not allowed to own land.]

1838 Childbirth of sister; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT)

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in August 1838. Red Clay State Park, the site of the last Cherokee council before The Trail of Tears began, is located in Bradley County.

1838 Forced Move "Trail of Tears"

A full account of the Henry Pratt family is in my book "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**" © 2002 by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. In this book I give a full detail of the "Trail of Tears" episode and it is a lengthy discourse. Because of its length, I will not go into it here but suffice to say, due to Henry Pratt's Cherokee ancestry, the government forced him and his family on the "Trail of Tears" in September 1838 and they jumped the trail in March 1839 and settled first in Crawford County moving to Richwoods Twp of Washington County, Missouri by the 1840 census.-Floyd Thomas Pratt

1939 Arrival in Missouri

After a long cold, hard winter the Pratt's found a way to escape from their military escort and followed the creeks from the "Trail of Tears" or what is now known as highway 8 in Crawford County, Missouri and settled 12 miles north in Crawford County before moving into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri by the 1840 census. They began to make friends with other "exiles" who were also in hiding from the government. A local family, the Rinard (Rhinehart) Kimberin(g) family befriended the Pratts and was instrumental in helping the Pratt family to adjust to their new home life. Also, the Absalom Blanton family helped the Pratts and intermarried which was Cherokee tradition. More in the book "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**" (2003) by Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

1839 Good Friends

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It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family.

When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship.

When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for indians to own or buy land.

Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt.

Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother. After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 10

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 198:

PRATT, Henry 1-1-1-0-0-0-1 1-2-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [John Abasalom age 6]; 5-9 [Alexander R. age 8]; 10-14 [James age 18]; 40-49 [Henry age 40]

free white females 4 & under [Mary Elizabeth age 1]; 5-9 [Sarah Ann age 5]; 5-9 [Nancy Miriah age 10]; 10-14 [Lorenda age 12]; 15-19 [Susanna Rebecca age 19]; 40-49 [Nancy age 40]

1841 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT)

Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) was born in Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 20 October 1841.

1841 to 1850 Death of father; Henry Pratt

Death of Henry Pratt calculated to be between 1841 and 1850. This deduction derived from the presumption that he conceived his last known child; Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) who was born according to her death certificate 20 October 1841. Going back 9 months from her birth date indicates he was alive February 1841 if... Matilda's birth date is correct. His son; Alexander R. Pratt told his son; Carac Pratt who told his son; Orville Carac Pratt that Alexander had gone to California in 1848/1849 during the gold rush. Maybe Henry went with the group but he does not show up in the 1850 census like Alexander does. I have checked available newspapers for that time period but have found no references to Henry Pratt. One of my mentor researchers; Geraldine Mabel (**MILLER**) Reed said that she thought she had seen a court report in one of those books in the Crawford County Courthouse that mentioned Nancy Pratt, widow of Henry Pratt receiving a cash allotment from the County Court. She could not remember where it was or anything more about it. I looked for it when I was at the Courthouse but there are so many books...hundreds that have not been documented but just piled up in the vault that I could not cover all of them and had no time, or luck in finding any information about Henry Pratt. Therefore, Henry Pratt could have died on his way to California or on his return to Missouri. After his death, his widow, Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri to be near her daughter; Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel family in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri. In 1852, Nancy married widower, Absalom Blanton in Crawford County.

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Regrettably, due to old age, I must leave the mystery of Henry Pratt's death for the next generation to solve.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

1849 Marriage of Alexander A. Blanton and Nancy Mariah (PRATT)

[1] Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "A", Page 176

Alexander Stanton and Nancy M. Pratt both of Crawford County were married on 14 October 1849. [Misspelled name in marriage record as Alexander Stanton and Nancy M. Pratt BOTTO. The Botto is from the next two words of the marriage license which states " **both of** Crawford County". Most likely she was married at her mother's residence next door to her sister; Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel's home in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. After the death of Henry Prattt, their father, it appears that widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt moved from the Richwoods area in Washington County closer to Susanna near the Hansel home in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1850 Childbirth of daughter; Catherine "Kate" Jane (BLANTON)

Catherine "Kate" Jane (**BLANTON**) was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, Untied States on 28 September 1850 . However, the 1850 census states she was 1 month old on 30 October 1850. This would make her birth in September 1850.

1850 Federal Census age 20

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 19, house 956, family 956

BLANTON, Alexandrew w m 22; Mariah w f 20; Catherine w f 1month born in September [All born in Tennessee. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to John & Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen family, Absalom & Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton family, his parents. Notice how the censustaker wrote his name as Alexandrew Blanton. I wonder if the middle initial A. stands for Andrew?]

1854 Childbirth of son; Alexander A. Blanton Jr.

Alexander A. Blanton Jr. was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 31 May 1854.

1854 Husband's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "D" page 469, 2 August 1854

Alexander Blanton sold to Drewry Skaggs SW¼-NW¼ Section 36, Township 40 North, Range 2 West

[This property is located in Crawford County Northeast of the Sappington Bridge road east of the Meramec River close to the Crawford and Washington Counties border consisting of 40 acres.]

1856 Childbirth of son; Absalom B. Blanton

Absalom B. Blanton was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 2 April 1856.

1858 Childbirth of son; Augustus "Gus" Blanton

Augustus "Gus" Blanton was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United State or near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 2 March 1858.

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1860 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON)

Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 20 January 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 30

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870 & 871, 8 August 1860, line 37, house 744, family 748

BLANTON, Alexander w m 33; Nancy M. w f 30; Catherine J. w f 10; Alexander w m 6; [page 871] Absalom w m 4; Augustus w m 2; Nancy w f 7/12

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next doot to John & Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt family.]

1860 Husband's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", p534, 12 November 1860

Alexander Blanton sold to James F. Garland SW¼-NW¼ of Section 36, Township 40 north, Range 2 west

[This property is located in Crawford County Northeast of the Sappington Bridge road east of the Meramec River close to the Crawford and Washington Counties border consisting of 40 acres.]

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1873 Death of Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

[1] Date of 27 January 1873 from headstone.

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 21 F i. **Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton** was born on 28 September 1850 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 24 February 1922 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried on 25 February 1922 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Catherine married **Charles "Charley" W. Boles** (d. 29 November 1922) on 5 March 1876 in Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 22 M ii. **Alexander A. Blanton Jr.** was born on 31 May 1854 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 23 October 1931 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried on 25 October 1931 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Alexander married **Eliza Jane "Jennie" Dace** (d. 24 February 1953) on 28 September 1890 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 23 M iii. **Absalom B. Blanton** was born on 2 April 1856 in Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 13 January 1933 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 76, and was buried on 15 January 1933 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Absalom married **Martha Ellen Jackson** (d. 17 April 1933) on 18 March 1883 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

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- + 24 M iv. **Augustus "Gus" Blanton** was born on 2 March 1858 in Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 3 January 1933 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 74, and was buried on 5 January 1933 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- Augustus married **Hannah Eliza Burley** (d. 31 March 1904) on 13 December 1883 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 25 F v. **Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton** was born on 11 November 1859 in Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 9 March 1923 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 11 March 1923 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- Nancy married **William E. "Uncle Bill" Keys** (d. 22 March 1934) on 1 June 1884 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 26 F vi. **Isabelle "Belle" Blanton** was born on 8 January 1862 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died in April 1901 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 39, and was buried in April 1901 in Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.
- Isabelle married **James H. Eads** (d. 12 November 1932) on 10 May 1886 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 27 F vii. **Louisa Blanton** was born on 11 March 1863 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 9 February 1912 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 48, and was buried on 10 February 1912 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- Louisa married **John Henry Clark** (d. 1951) on 25 September 1889 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 28 F viii. **Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton** was born on 19 June 1866 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 3 January 1941 in 26th & Tyler Avenue, Joplin, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 74, and was buried on 6 January 1941 in Fairview Cemetery, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.
- Susan married **Andrew Jackson Archer "Jack" Bigley** (d. 23 November 1919) on 7 December 1884 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 29 F ix. **Sarah F. Blanton** was born on 15 January 1869 in Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.
- Sarah married **Henry A. Landers III** on 30 October 1890 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 30 M x. **Benjamin Franklin Blanton** was born on 11 November 1870 in Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1909 to 1910 in Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States at age 39.
- Benjamin married **Mary Christine "Tenne" Rutledge** on 27 May 1902 in McAlester, Pittsburg, Oklahoma, United States.

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Alexander next married **Catherine Kimberlin**, daughter of **Rhinehart "Rinard" E. Kimberlin** and **Frances Jane Peters**, on 17 October 1875 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Catherine was born in August 1828 in Meramec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 28 March 1912 near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 83, and was buried in March 1912 in Kimberlin Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. They had no children.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Catherine (KIMBERLIN) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2009

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1828 Birthblock for Catherine (KIMBERLIN) daughter of Rhinehart "Rinard" & Frances Jane (PETERS) Kimberling

Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) was born in Meremec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on August 1828.

Date from 1830 census states she was born 1825-1830.

Date from 1840 census states she was born 1825-1830.

Date from 1850 census states she was born 1828 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states she was born 1830 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states she was born 1824 in Tennessee.

Date from 1880 census states she was born 1829 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states she was born August 1828 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1828 in Missouri.

Date from the obituary states she was born 1828.

1827 Family Move

From Botetourt, Virginia, United States to Meremec Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

"Forest Hills and Vicinity" by John Steele McCormick, © 1970, page 140

"Besides the Harrison's, Summers, Anthonys and various Harman families, the Kimberlin family has always been associated with this area. There were at least two and possibly three founding families of which the best known is the Rhinard and Frances Kimberlin family who came from Virginia in 1827 and settled in Washington County (according to Stevens history.) They settled at Anthonies Mill about 1845. They were parents of four sons and four daughters all of whom married into local families. Unfortunately, family data was not made available. They were: Joseph, Jacob, Michael, Henry, Mary, Nancy, Catherine, and Vermetta. Vermetta, in 1853 married Ruben Harman. Curiously, she used the name Henrietta, when she married Ruben. The marriage is recorded at Potosi and the dates correspond to Vermetta's. The family often spelled the name Kimberling. Ben Kimberling in 1825 in St. Louis, made the first entry for land in Township 40; Range 1 West of Washington County."

1830 Federal Census age 2

Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 71, line 3

KIMBOLING, Renard 0-0-0-1-1 1-0-0-0-1

free white males 15-19 [unknown male]; 20-29 [Rinard age 24]

free white females 4 & under [**Catherine age 2**]; 20-29 Frances age 25]

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[This unknown male could have been a younger brother of Rinard's.]

1830-1840 Family Move

From Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Depends on when they moved. We cannot determine in what township the children were born.

1831 Childbirth of brother; Jacob Kimberling

Jacob Kimberling was born in Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 6 March 1831.

1832 Childbirth of sister; Vernetta (KIMBERLING)

Vernetta (KIMBERLING) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1832.

1835 Childbirth of brother; Michael L. Kimberling

Michael Kimberling was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 21 August 1835.

1835 Childbirth of sister; Mary (KIMBERLING)

Mary (KIMBERLING) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1835.

1835-1840 Childbirth of unknown sister (KIMBERLING)

Unknown daughter (KIMBERLING) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1835 and 1 June 1840 census date.

1837 Childbirth of sister; Nancy (KIMBERLING)

Nancy (KIMBERLING) was born in either Meremac Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1837.

1839 Good Friends

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family.

When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship.

When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for indians to own or buy land.

Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt.

Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother. After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes which he later sold to the Ambrose

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Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 12

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 196, 1 June 1840, line 16

KIMBERLIN, Burnard (*sic*) 1-2-0-0-0-0-1 3-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Joseph age 1]; 5-9 [Michael age 6]; 5-9 [Jacob age 9]; 40-49 [Rinard age 34]

free white females 4 & under [unknown female]; 4 & under [Nancy age 3]; 4 & under [Mary age 5]; 5-9 [Vermetta age 8]; 10-14 [Catherine age 12]; 30-39 [Frances age 35]

[Should be Renard not Burnard. Next door to father-in-law, John Peters Sr., a few doors down from John Peters Jr.]

1840 Family Move

From Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 248 21 September 1840

John Peters and wife Mary sold to Rinard Kimberlin for one hundred and twenty-five dollars, the South East ¼ of South West ¼ of section 33 in township No. 40 of Range No. 1 East containing forty acres and 42/100 in the district of St. Louis, State of Missouri which said land lays in Washington County and state aforesaid entered by the said John Peters as will appear on Recorder of St. Louis in said office of date December 13th 1837. [This property is located south of what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1840 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name: Rinard Kimberlin Issue Date: 1 October 1840 State of Record: Missouri Acres: 78.96

Accession Number: MO0720___.124 Metes and Bounds: No Land Office: St. Louis Canceled: No

US Reservations: No Mineral Reservations: No Authority: April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3

Stat. 566) Document Number: 9948 Legal Land Description: [1] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington [2] Section 30 Twp 40-N, Range 1-E, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington North East ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section 30 in Township Forty of range one east in the District of lands subject to sale at Saint Louis, Missouri containing seventy-eight acres and and ninety-six hundredths of an acre. [This property is located near what is now known as Hamilton Hollow.]

1841 Childbirth of brother; Joseph (KIMBERLING)

Joseph (**KIMBERLING**) was born near Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on February 1841.

1844 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "F", page 494, 23 October 1844

Thomas Calvin and wife Elizabeth sold to Rinard Kimberlin for three hundred dollars, the south west quarter of the north east quarter east of the Meremac River of section thirteen in township forty of range two

west in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing thirty seven acres and seven hundredths of an acre. [This property is located in what is now known as Hulse in the Hamilton Hollow area.]

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1848 Father's Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin Issue Date:1 February 1848 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40
Accession Number:MO0830__442 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No
US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3
Stat. 566) Document Number:15803 Legal Land Description: Section 17, Twp 40-N, Range 1-
W, Meridian 5th PM Counties: Franklin, Washington
the South East ¼ of the South West ¼ of Section 17, in Township 40 Range 1 West in the
district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is
located on the border between Franklin and Washington counties near what is now known as
Hamilton Hollow.]

1848 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page 195, 3 February 1848
Rinard Kimberlin and wife Frances Kimberlin sold to Jacob Clark and Daniel Hibler, for five
hundred dollars, One undivided half of the South west quarter of the North West quarter of
section No. 32 in Township No. 40 of Range No. 1w, containing forty acres more or less. [This
property is located near what is now known a Hamilton Hollow.]

1847-1848 Marriage James Pratt & Catherine (KIMBERLING)

James Pratt and Cathreine (**KIMBERLIN**) were married on 1847/1849 in Missouri. Most
likely in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, because that is where her parents
were living and their first born; Jacob Henry Pratt was born in 1848.

1848 Childbirth of son: Jacob Henry Pratt

Jacob Henry Pratt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28
November 1848.

1850 Federal Census age 22

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156a, 29 October 1850, line 31,
house 945, family 945

KIMBERLO, Renor E. w m 44; Frances w f 45; Catherine w f 22; Jacob w m 19;
Vermetta w f 18; Michael w m 16; Mary w f 15; Nancy w f 13; Joseph w m 9
[Rinard and Frances born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. Rinard & Jacob were farmers.]

Research Note

I am not sure of the significance of Frances listing Catherine with her family on 29 October
1850 to the census taker and then Catherine is shown as married to James Pratt on 30
October 1850. Since little Jacob Henry was 1 year old then we can rule out the possibility they
may have just married. Another possibility we would have to rule out, is if the census taker
asked Frances to list her children, she listed all of her children even Catherine who was already
married and moved out of her parent's home.

1850 Federal Census age 22

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157b, 30 October 1850, line 20,
house 964, family 964

PRATT, James w m 27; Catherine w f 21; Jacob H. w m 1
[James was born in Tennessee, Catherine was born in Missouri as was Jacob.]

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1852 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah Frances "Fannie" (PRATT)

Sarah Frances "Fannie" (PRATT) was born 16 January 1852 Antonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1856 Childbirth of son; Rhinehart "Rinard" A. Pratt

Rhinehart "Rinard" A. Pratt was born July 1856 near Antonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1860 Federal Census age 32

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 465, 26 July 1860, line 3, house 891, family 881

PRATTE, James w m 36; Catherine w f 30; Jacob H. w m 11; Sarah w f 9; Rinard w m 4

[James was born in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri. James is a farmer. Living next door to Jacob & Delilah (**HARPER**) Kimberlin, Reuban & Vernetta (**KIMBERLIN**) Harmon, Rinard & Frances (**PETERS**) Kimberlin, Marion Pennock who bought the Alexander & mary (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt place, Jacob & Nancy (**KIMBERLIN**) Pollard family all around the White Creek area now known as Anthony's Mill.]

1864 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy "Nannie" Young (PRATT)

Nancy "Nannie" Young (PRATT) was born 1 December 1864 at Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1870 Federal Census age 42

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 97b, 16 August 1870, line 6, house 95, family 95

PRATT, James w m 46; Catherine w f 46; Sarah F. w f 18; Renard A. w m 13; Nancy w f 4

[All born in Tennessee (*sic*). Living next door to son, Jacob Henry & Sarah Elizabeth "Lizzie" (**PINSON**) Pratt. James is a farmer.]

1874 Spousal Will of James Pratt

Washington, Missouri, United States dated 22 June 1874 named as spouse in husband's will.

1874 Death of spouse; James Pratt

James Pratt died at Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 25 June 1874.

1875 Marriage of widower Alexander Blanton Sr. and widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

Alexander Blanton Sr. and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875 in Crawford Co., MO.

1880 Federal Census age 52

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 21, 24 June 1880, house 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Agustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f

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14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

1882 or 1888 Death of spouse; Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

Date from headstone states he died April 3, 1882.

Date from family bible states he died April 29, 1888.

1886-1900 Death of parents; Rhinehart "Rinard" E. & Frances Jane (PETERS)

Kimberlin

Rhinehart "Rinard" E. & Frances Jane (**PETERS**) Kimberlin died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after a deed record in 1886 and before the 1900 census.

1900 Federal Census age 72

Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 55, 2 June 1900, line 62, house 12, family 12

HARMON, Page head w m born May 1857 age 43; Nancy Y. wife w f born December 1865 age 34; John B. son w m born March 1884 age 16; Stephen H. son w m born August 1885 age 14; Lizzie C. dau w f born December 1887 age 12; Elmer I. son w m born April 1889 age 9; Thaddeus son born December 1892 age 7; Ava E. dau w f born December 1897 age 2;

PRATT, Catherine mother-in-law born August 1828 age 71

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Page's father was born in Virginia and Catherine's parents were born in Virginia. Page and Nancy have been married for 17 years and Nancy says she has had 6 children born and 6 are living. Catherine is a widow. Page is a farmer.]

1910 Federal Census age 82

Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 58b, 15 April 1910, line 91, house 20, family 20

HARMON, Page J. head w m 53; Nannie Y. wife w f 45; Lizzie C. dau w f 22; Elmer J. son w m 20; Thaddeus son w m 17; Ava E. dau w f 12; Raymond O. son w m 5; Oral R. son w m 1 7/12; **BLANTON, Katherine mother-in-law w f 82**

[All born in Missouri and was their parents except page's father was born in Virginia. They have been married 27 years and 8 children have been born and 8 are living. Katherine is a widow and she says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Page is a farmer.]

1912 Death of Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton

Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt Blanton died near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 March 1912.

1912 Obituary of Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton

[1] Death notice from the Sullivan News, April 4, 1912, in the Aldire Articles.

Died-March 28th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Page Harmon, near Anthonies Mill, Mrs. Catherine Blanton, age 84 years, maiden name Kimberlin. Deceased was twice married, her first husband being James Pratt. Both husbands had preceded her to the great beyond several years ago. She had been a member of the Methodist Church for many years and a faithful

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Christian. Funeral was conducted by Rev. M.A. Clayton. Interment was made in the Kimberlin Cemetery.

[I found her death notice in the newspaper at Columbia, Missouri at the Missouri State Historical Society. I could not find her in the Missouri Death Certificate search engine]

1912 Burial of Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton

Kimberlin Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
(no headstone) Probably buried next to her 1st husband, James Pratt.

5. Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton (*Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 24 July 1829 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died on 21 March 1916 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 86, and was buried on 22 March 1916 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

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1829 Birthblock of Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) daughter of Absalom & Cynthia Ann (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 24 July 1829.

Date from the 1830 census states she was born in [missing]

Date from the 1840 census states she was born in [missing]

Date from the 1850 census states she was born in 1835 in Missouri.

Date from the 1860 census states she was born in 1833 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born in 1834 in Missouri.

Date from the 1876 Missouri state census states she was born 1831-1855.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born in 1834 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born December 1828 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born in 1834 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 24 July 1829.

Date from headstone states she was born 24 July 1829.

Therefore she was born December 1828-1835. There is such a wide range of birth dates it is hard to extrapolate the correct year.

Aka

Since Betsy is her nickname and Betsy is a derivative from Elizabeth and Mary Elizabeth was a common combination back then, it appears her full name was Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**). Her first name Mary shows up in her son's death certificate.

1830 Childbirth of brother; Alexander A. Blanton

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Alexander A. Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 11 November 1830.

1830 Federal Census age 1

[There is an Absalom Bunton in Sumner County Tennessee. He could be Absalom's family according to William Blanton of Norwood, MO. But, I don't think so. A few doors up is a Thomas Bunton and family. So if the Bunton was a mistake and should have been a Blanton then why two people on the same page with the same mistake? Hardly any of the age records of the Bunton family match up to Absalom's family especially the 10-14 year old daughters since Absalom was married in 1825. According to the records, Absalom was in Greene Co., TN from 1825 (married) to October 30, 1830 when he was making inventory purchases at Nathan Carter's estate settlement. So, I think Absalom was still in Greene County Tennessee but was missed by the censustakers.]

1830 Father's Purchase

Greene, Tennessee, United States 26 April 1830
Absalom Blanton bought 6 head of sheep on Monday.

1830 Father's Tax Record

"**Greene County, Tennessee, 1830 Tax List**", by Sandra Kelton Houston, (1984)
page 89:

Captain Samuel Gass' Company 1830
Absalom Blanton 100 acres in tract, on The Roaring Fork, 1 white polls

1830 Father's Purchase

Greene, Tennessee, United States 25 October 1830
Absalom Blanton was purchasing items from the Estate sale of Daniel Carter who was descesed.

1831 Childbirth of brother; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 4 April 1831.

1831-1838 Commentary

According to Elbert Sevier Blanton Sr.'s obituary, it states that his parents brought him to Missouri when he was less than a year old. This means all of Absalom's and Cynthia's children born after 1831-1832 were born in Missouri, because Elbert was born in 1831. However, Absalom purchased 40 acres in Franklin Co., MO in 1838. Where were they from 1830 to 1838?

1833 Childbirth of brother; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1833.

1833-1837 Family Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to St. Louis, Missouri to Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1833-1837.

1837 Childbirth of brother; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 February 1837.

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1838 Father's Property Transaction

St. Louis, Missouri, United States Land Purchase on 3 September 1838, Receipt #10604 Absalom Blanton buys 40 acres of land section 5, township 40, range 2 west, of the fifth principle meridian in Franklin County Missouri. This land purchase puts his home outside of Sullivan.

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1839 Childbirth of brother; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in March 1839.

1840 Federal Census age 11

Once again Absalom managed to elude the census takers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the 1830's to the 1840's...I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands during those turbulent years, she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Nevertheless, Absalom Blanton & family were living outside Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States by 1840. For a complete report concerning the Pratts and the Blantons on the "Trail of Tears" read "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" © 2003 by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1840-1841 Childbirth of brother; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1840-1841.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County Missouri Deed Record Book Volume "D", page 211, 22 June 1840 Absalom Blanton and Cynthia Blanton sold to G.P. Hardy on 22 June 1840, for \$100 for 40 acres.

"This deed made this 22nd day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty. Witnessst that Absalom Blanton and Cynthia his wife of the County of Franklin and State of Missouri of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid by G.P. Hardy of this county and state aforesaid of the second part. The receipt wherefore is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain sell and convey and confirms to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land purchased by said Absalom Blanton on the third of September A.D. Eighteen hundred and thirty eight as will made fully apparent a reference from the Books of the United States Registers Office at St. Louis, and the receiver's receipt number ten thousand six hundred and four (10604) designates on the book of said registers office at St. Louis and in said receiver's receipt of Section Number Five in Township Number Forty of Range Number Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing forty acres to have and to hold the said tract of land with all and singular the priviledges and appertances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever. The said parties of the first part hereby coveting that they their heirs executors and administrators will warrant and defend the title to the land aforesaid to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs forever against all and every perso or persons claiming by through or under them the said parties of the first part. We witness whereof the parties of the first part have hereunto set theirs hands and seals the day and year first above written. Acknowledged in

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presence of: Thomas Buckner, Joseph Patton
"X" Blanton and Cynthia "X" Blanton"

Absalom

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1840-1849 Family Move

From Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States

1849 Father's Joint Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840__362 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section 32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton the South West ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section thirty-two in township 40, Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres.

[This property is located off of Highway 202 south of Hamilton Creek near Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres.]

1849 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 620 & 621, 3 November 1849
A homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty- North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County.

[This property became known as the Blanton Hollow and is now known as Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri. Absalom built a large manison after he developed the land for mining. It is located off of Highway 202 along Hamilton Creek.]

1850 Federal Census age 21

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 26, house 958, family 958

BLANTON, Absalom w m 48; Cynthia w f 40; Alford w m 19; John w m 17; Caroline w f 15; Henry H. w m 13; William w m 11; Martin V. w m 9

[Absalom born in Kentucky the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. Living next to many Pratt and Blanton families.]

1850-1852 Death of mother; Cynthia (PRATT)

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between October 30, 1850 from the census date and March 21, 1852 the date of her husband's 2nd marriage.

Research Note

Verification of date of death and burial location of Cynthia should be obtained from the local newspapers at the time of death. Absalom Blanton was a prominent businessman and

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employed many of the locals in his mining operations throughout the area. His mansion mentioned in several publications gives credence to his affluent and properous lifestyle. When I checked the newspapers of the Sullivan and surrounding areas back in the late 1970's and early 1980's, I did not know as much as I do now and overlooked key elements that I was not aware would be of value and interest to the Blanton-Pratt family history research community. Now, it is your turn to dig into those newspapers and extract the valuable and needed information to verify and answer some of the mysteries of these families.

1851 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "H", page 617, 15 November 1851

"This Deed made and entered into this fifteenth day of November Eighteen hundred and fifty-one by and between George T. Westover and Nancy Jane Westover his wife of the first part of Crawford County and State of Missouri and Absalom Blanton of Washington County and State aforsaid of the second part ?? That the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred dollars to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part receipt whereof is herby conveyed and acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and ssll convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever the following described lots pieces and parcels of land. Towit: The north half [N½] of lot number one[1] south west quarter [SW¼] of Section number thirty [30] in Township number forty [40] of range number one west [1W] containing forty acres also, the north half [N½] of lot number two [2] of the souhtwest quarter [SW¼] of section number [30] in township number forty [40] of range one west [1W] containing forty-five acres."

[George T. & Nancy Jane Westover sell 40 acres for \$300: N½ of L1, SW¼ of S30 in T40 R1W and N½ of lot L2 SW¼ of Section 30 in T40 R1W containing 45 acres on 16 November 1851.

[This property is located right in the middle of the Meramec State Park. When the Corp. of Engineers were going to put in a dam in the early 1970's they bought all the property from landowners in and around the park which was to be flooded by the proposed lake. After the project was defeated by the local citizens, the government failed to return the property to private hands but kept the best land and expanded the Meramec State Park to its present boundries.]

1852 Father's marriage of widower; Abraham Absalom Blanton and widow; Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "I", page 208 21 March 1852
Absalom Blanton and widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt were married on 21 March 1852.
Groom from Washington County, Missouri.

Research Note

This marriage was probably a marriage of convenience. Absalom and Nancy were white with no native ancestry whereas, their children were ½ Cherokee. After the death of spouses; Henry Pratt; full blooded Cherokee and sister Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton; full blooded Cherokee, then Absalom and Nancy found themselves still interacting with their children whom had intermarried through 5 connections. Henry had died after the birth of his daughter; Matilda in 1841, and I presume he may have been the one mentioned in the diary of David Staples as they recorded on the way out to the 1848-1849 gold rush in California. David Staples diary stated, *"On May 27th, Staples wrote of Indians, mule trouble, double-teaming the wagons through the wet prairie, a party....returning haveing lost a husband father and friend of Cholera."* Who this was and the party that returned is not mentioned. But, on June 8th, George Winslow died in Nebraska from cholera. David Staples and party continued on to California and in 1862 was

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one of the founders of the *Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, in San Francisco.*" [See C2G Profile for Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt for complete details.] Cynthia died between 1850-1852. With such a rich history of family ties and coupled with the convenience of Absalom Blanton's large mansion house and well to do financial circumstances, then this marriage seemed convenient for both parties and I am sure was accepted by the children with astounding approval.

1853 Marriage of John Absalom Pratt & Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON)

Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 126

John A. Pratt and Caroline Blanton were married on 24 March 1853 in Washington Co., MO.

1854 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy C. (PRATT)

Nancy C. (PRATT) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1854.

1856 Childbirth of daughter; Lorinda J. (PRATT)

Lorinda J. (PRATT) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1856.

1850-1860 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Since we don't know exactly when they moved we really don't know the approximate birth location of the children.

1857 Childbirth of daughter; Mary F. (PRATT)

Mary F. (PRATT) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1857.

1860 Childbirth of son; Henry Absalom Pratt

Henry Absalom Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in July 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 31

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870, 8 August 1860, line 41, house 743, family 747

PRATT, John w m 21; Caroline w f 27; Nancy C. w f 6; Lorinda J. w f 4; Mary F. w f 3;

Henry A. w m 1/12 born in July

[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to Alexander & Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton family.]

1861 Childbirth of son; Alexander Pratt

Alexander Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 January 1861.

1865 Childbirth of son; James A. Pratt

James A. Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1865.

1867 Childbirth of daughter; Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT)

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT) was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford,

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Missouri, United States on 24 March 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 41

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 601b, 9 July 1870, line 14, house 73, family 73

PRATT, John w m 32; Caroline w f 36; Nancy w f 16; Lorinda w f 15; Mary F. w f 12; Henry A. w m 10; Alexander w m 9; James A. w m 5; Tilda w f 3
[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1870 Childbirth of son; John Absalom Pratt Jr.

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1870.

1870-1876 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1876 Childbirth of Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) was born near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1876.

1876 Missouri State Census age 47

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

PRATT, John E. w m 21-45[40]; Caroline w f 21-45[42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45[22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21[21]; Mary F. w f 10-18[18]; Henry A. w m 10-18[16]; Alexander w m 10-18[15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under[8]; John w m 9 & under[6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under[1]
[Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (**PRATT**) Campbell family.]

1880 Federal Census age 51

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 188a, 26 June 1880, line 9, [no house or family number]

PRATT, John head w m 44; Caroline wife w f 46; Alexander son w m 18; Matilda dau w f 15; John son w m 10; Elizabeth dau w f 5
[John born in Tennessee as was his parents, Caroline born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri, their father born in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1890 Death of spouse; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 June 1890.

1900 Federal Census age 71

Sullivan City, Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 193a, 6 June 1900, line 40, house 171, family 177

PRATT, Elexander head w m born December 1869 age 30; B. Caroline mother w f born December 1828 age 71; **CAIN**, Bettie sister w f born July 1877 age 22; Elexander nephew w m born December 1894 age 5
[All was born in Missouri as was their parents except Caroline's parents were born in

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Tennessee. Caroline is a widow and says she had 2 children born and 2 are living. Bettie is a widow. Elexander is a farmer and renting.].

1910 Federal Census age 81

Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 246a, 2 & 3 May 1910, line 31, house 385, family 395

PRATT, Alexander head w m 49; Caroline mother w f 76; **CAIN**, Alexander nephew w m 12

[Alexander born in Missouri as was his mother his father in Tennessee, Caroline born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, Alexander born in Missouri as was his parents. Caroline is a widow and says she had 9 children born and 8 are living. Alexander is a farmer and renting.]

1916 Death of Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) Pratt died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 21 March 1916.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #9826

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Caroline Pratt March 21, 1916 Franklin County, Missouri Certificate #9826

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

[2] Date of March 21, 1916 from headstone.

1916 Burial of Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Pratt, John E. 4 January 1834-27 June 1890 husband of Caroline Pratt

Pratt, Caroline 24 July 1929-21 March 1916

[I saw these headstones when I was there in the 1970's.]

FAG# 93299811

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) Pratt {FAG# 93299811} was born 24 July 1829 - Greene, Tennessee, United States 21 March 1916 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried 22 March 1916 - Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Abraham Absalom Blanton {FAG#* 95891078} (1802/1805-1872) Mother: Cynthia Ann (**PRATT**) {FAG#* 95890986} (1810-1850/1851). Spouse: John Absalom Pratt Sr. {FAG# 53641372} (4 January 1837 - 27 June 1890) Marriage: 24 March 1853 - Washington, Missouri, United States. Children: Nancy Catherine (**PRATT**) Dyle (1854-1880/1900) Malinda Jane (**PRATT**) Campbell {FAG# 62624243} (1855-1931) Lorinda J. (**PRATT**) (1856-After 1876) Mary F. (**PRATT**) (1858-) Henry Absalom Pratt {FAG#+ 80160089} (1860-1915) Alexander Pratt {FAG# 93300938} (1861-1928) James A. Pratt (1865-1870/1876) Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) Blanton {FAG#* 95913280} (1868-1915) John Absalom Pratt Jr. {FAGI# 93301150} (1870-1945) Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) Cain Lahmann {FAG# 79863596} (1876-1941)

Mary married **John Absalom Pratt Sr.**, son of **Henry Pratt** and **Nancy Carter**, on 24 March 1853 in Washington, Missouri, United States. John was born on 4 January 1837 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States, died on 27 June 1890 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 53, and was buried in June 1890 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for John Absalom Pratt Sr. by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

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1837 Birthblock for John Absalom Pratt Sr. son of Henry & Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

John Absalom Pratt was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States on 4 January 1837.

Date from the 1840 census states he was born 1835-1840.

Date from the 1850 census states he was born in 1838 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born in 1839 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born in 1838 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1876 census states he was born 1831-1855.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born in 1836 in Tennessee.

The date from headstone states his birth as 4 January 1834.

[Since his mother listed his age as 12 in the 1850 census, then his birthdate should be 1838,

Also Sarah Ann is listed in the same census as being older than John. Therefore, he was probably born on 4 January 1837.]

Aka

Confusion seems to exist concerning John Pratt's middle name. This is the proof I offer for his middle name being Absalom.

[1] Elbert S. Blanton's obituary dated May 15, 1913, lists a number of children that survive and the article lists two of Elbert's sisters; Mrs. John Allen Sr. and Mrs. John Pratt Sr.

[2] We know Mrs. John Allen Sr. was Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) daughter of Absalom and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton and Elizabeth's sister; Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) married John A. Pratt Sr.

[3] Since Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) is Mrs. John A. Pratt Sr. and we know they had a son John A. Pratt, then the John Absalom Pratt that married Phoebe (**BLANTON**) must have been junior.

[4] Therefore, John A. Pratt senior's middle was Absalom also.

[5] For further information read Elbert Sevier Blanton's notes for the obituary.--Floyd Thomas Pratt

1838 Father's Property Participation

Monroe County Tennessee Registrar Book "K" pages 384,5,6 2 July 1838

"John Dyer to the trustees of Ebinezer Camp Grounds: This indenture made this 2nd of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight between John Dyer of the county of Monroe and state of Tennessee of the one part and Henry Pratt, John Key, Lewis Carter, John L. McKenzie, Jacob C. Brown, Joseph Forshaw, George Selvidge, Benjamin Parker, and Lewis Parks trustess of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Ebinezer meeting house and camp grounds all the county of the state aforesaid of the other part witnesseth that the said John Dyer for and consideration of the sum of fifty dollars when for the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged has granted bargained & sold all the parcel of land lying in the Hiwassee District on Bat Creek being a part of the north west quarter of section twenty thru and second township in the second range east of the meridian beginning at the north west corner of said quarter running south with the line of said section Bat Creek thence down the creek with it's border where the creek crosses the east and west line on the north side of said quarter thence with a line

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beginning containing two acres of land whereon Ebenezer Meeting House and camp grounds by the same more or less and all the estate right title interest property and claims of him the said John Dyer of in and to the same to have and to hold the land hereby conveyed with all and ingular the premises and very track and parcel thereof with the appointment with the aforementioned said trustees and the Methodist Episcopal Church forever and the said John Dyer for himself his heirs executors and administrators doth covenant promise and agree to and with the said trustees and their successors in office by these presents that he promises before now and forever hereafter shall remain free from all former and other gifts grants bargains sells charges and incumbrances does sell this land.

John Dyer

[Lewis Carter is Henry Pratt's brother-in-law, Joseph Forshee is the brother or father of a daughter that married a Harmon. Henry Pratt not an originator of the deed but Lewis talked him into the participation. Cherokees were not allowed to own land.]

1838 Childbirth of sister; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT)

Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States on August 1838 .

1838 Family Move "Trail of Tears"

A full account of the Henry Pratt family is in my book "Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee". in this book I give a full detail of the "Trail of Tears" episode and it is a lengthy discourse. Because of its length, I will not go into it here but suffice to say, due to Henry Pratt's Cherokee ancestry, the government forced him and his family on the Trail of Tears in September 1838 and they jumped the trail in March 1839 and settled first in Crawford County moving to Richwoods Twp of Washington County, Missouri by 1840.-Floyd Thomas Pratt

1840 Federal Census age 3

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 198

Henry Pratt 1-1-1-0-0-0-1 1-2-1-1-0-0-1

free white males: 4 & under [John Absalom age 3]; 5-9 [Alexander R. age 8]; 10-14 [James age 18]; 40-49 [Henry age 40]

free white females: 4 & under [Mary Elizabeth age 1]; 5-9 [Sarah Ann age 5]; 5-9 [Nancy Miriah age 10]; 10-14 [Lorenda age 12]; 15-19 [Susan age 19]; 40-49 [Nancy age 40]

1841 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT)

Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) was born 20 October 1841 in Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1841-1850 Death of father; Henry Pratt

Henry Pratt fails to show up in the 1850 census and is presumed dead. His last child was born 1842 therefore it is likely he died 1841-1850.

1841-1850 Family Move

Widow Nancy Pratt and family moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to District 24, Crawford, Missouri, United States between 1841-1850.

1850 Federal Census age 13

District 24, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 244, 8 October 1850, line 6, house 767, family 767

PRATT, N. [Nancy] w f 48; E. [Alexander] w m 18; S. [Sarah] A. [Ann] w f 14; J.[John] A.

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[Absalom] w m 12; M. [Mary] E. [Elizabeth] w f 11; M. [Matilda] J. [Jane] w f 8
[All born in Tennessee except Matilda Jane was born in Missouri. Next door to Henry & Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansell; daughter. Nancy is a widow. Nancy could not read and write. Notice that in the occupation section of the census the census taker wrote "widow" not the usual and customary "farmer". This supports my hypothesis that the Pratt's were Cherokee and not farmers.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1852 Mother's Marriage of widower; Abraham Absalom Blanton and widow; Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "A", page 208
Widower; Absalom Blanton and widow; Nancy Pratt were married on 21 March 1852 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1853 Marriage of John Absalom Pratt & Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON)

Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 126
John A. Pratt and Caroline Blanton were married on 24 March 1853 in Washington Co., MO.

1854 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy Catherine (PRATT)

Nancy Catherine (**PRATT**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1854.

1856 Childbirth of daughter; Lorinda J. (PRATT)

Lorinda J. (**PRATT**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1856.

1850-1860 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Since we don't know exactly when they moved we really don't know the approximate birth location of the children.

1857 Childbirth of daughter; Mary F. (PRATT)

Mary F. (**PRATT**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1857.

1860 Childbirth of son; Henry Absalom Pratt

Henry Absalom Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in July 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 23

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870, 8 August 1860, line 41, house 743, family 747

PRATT, John w m 21; Caroline w f 27; Nancy C. w f 6; Lorinda J. w f 4; Mary F. w f 3;

Henry A. w m 1month born in July

[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to Alexander & Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton family.]

1861 Childbirth of son; Alexander Pratt

Alexander Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 January 1861.

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1864 Military Physical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to men for pension applications at Potosi, MO. These records are called "The John B. Bell Papers" and are housed at the library at the University of Missouri in the manuscript room in Rolla, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: # 56 John Pratt age 29-
Diagnosis: enlargement of liver & rhumetism." [He is listed next to his brother Alexander Pratt.]

1865 Childbirth of son; James A. Pratt

James A. Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1865.

1867 Childbirth of daughter; Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT)

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 24 March 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 33

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 601b, 9 July 1870, line 14, house 73, family 73

PRATT, John w m 32; Caroline w f 36; Nancy w f 16; Lorinda w f 15; Mary F. w f 12; Henry A. w m 10; Alexander w m 9; James A. w m 5; Tilda w f 3

[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1870 Childbirth of son; John Absalom Pratt Jr.

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1870.

1870-1876 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1876 Childbirth of Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) was born near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1876.

1876 Missouri State Census age 39

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

PRATT, John E. w m 21-45[39]; Caroline w f 21-45[42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45[22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21[21]; Mary F. w f 10-18[18]; Henry A. w m 10-18[16]; Alexander w m 10-18[15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under[8]; John w m 9 & under[6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under[1]

[Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (**PRATT**) Campbell family.]

1880 Federal Census age 43

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 188a, 26 June 1880, line 9, [no house or family number]

PRATT, John head w m 44; Caroline wife w f 46; Alexander son w m 18; Matilda dau w f 15; John son w m 10; Elizabeth dau w f 5

[John born in Tennessee as was his parents, Caroline born in Missouri her parents in

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Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri, their father born in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1890 Death of John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 June 1890.

Date from headstone states he died 27 June 1890.

1890 Burial of John Absalom Pratt Sr.

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Pratt, John E. 4 January 1834-27 June 1890 husband of Caroline Pratt

Pratt, Caroline 24 July 1929-21 March 1916

[I saw these headstones when I was there in the 1970's.]

FAG# 53641372

John Absalom Pratt Sr. {FAG# 53641372} was born 4 January 1837 - Monroe, Tennessee, United States and died 27 June 1890 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried June 1890 - Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Henry Pratt {FAG#* 95866626} (1800/1803-1841/1850) Mother: Nancy (**CARTER**) {FAG#* 95865582} (1802/1803-1875). Spouse: Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) {FAG# 93299811} (24 July 1829 - 21 March 1916) Marriage: 24 March 1853 - Washington, Missouri, United States. Children: Nancy Catherine (**PRATT**) Dyle (1854-1880/1900) Malinda Jane (**PRATT**) Campbell {FAG# 62624243} (1855-1931) Lorinda J. (**PRATT**) (1856-After 1876) Mary F. (**PRATT**) (1858-) Henry Absalom Pratt {FAG#+ 80160089} (1860-1915) Alexander Pratt {FAG# 93300938} (1861-1928) James A. Pratt (1865-1870/1876) Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) Blanton {FAG#* 95913280} (1868-1915) John Absalom Pratt Jr. {FAG# 93301150} (1870-1945) Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) Cain Lahmann {FAG# 79863596} (1876-1941)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 31 F i. **Nancy Catherine Pratt** was born in 1854 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1880 to 1900 at age 26.
Nancy married **Peter Dyle** (d. 1880-1900) in 1876-1880.
- + 32 F ii. **Malinda Jane Pratt** was born on 11 March 1855 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 20 February 1931 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried on 21 February 1931 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
Malinda married **Isaac Campbell** (d. 28 June 1931) from 1875 to 1877.
- + 33 F iii. **Lorinda J. Pratt** was born in 1856 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died after 1876.
- + 34 F iv. **Mary F. Pratt** was born in 1858 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 35 M v. **Henry Absalom Pratt** was born in July 1860 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 13 April 1915 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States at age 54, and was buried on 16 April 1915 in Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

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Henry married **Cynthia Anna Missé Missey** (d. 31 August 1925) on 21 September 1882 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

+ 36 M vi. **Alexander Pratt** was born on 1 January 1861 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 2 March 1928 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 67, and was buried on 3 March 1928 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 37 M vii. **James A. Pratt** was born in 1865 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died from 1870 to 1876 near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 5.

+ 38 F viii. **Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt** was born on 24 March 1868 near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 23 April 1915 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 47, and was buried in April 1915 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Matilda married **John Stephen "Steve" H. Blanton Jr.** (d. 24 November 1939) on 10 December 1889 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

+ 39 M ix. **John Absalom Pratt Jr.** was born on 7 September 1870 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 24 November 1945 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried on 27 November 1945 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

John married **Phoebe Blanton** (d. 1898 to 1910) on 10 May 1891 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 40 F x. **Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" Pratt** was born on 27 March 1876 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 20 June 1941 in 509 South Lily Street, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 65, and was buried on 22 June 1941 in Greenlawn Memorial Gardens, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

Lula married **Burton Cain** (d. From 1894 to 1900) on 7 January 1894 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Lula next married **Alfred Lahmann** (d. 25 April 1942) on 28 November 1901 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

6. Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. (*Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 4 April 1831 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died on 14 May 1913 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 82, and was buried on 15 May 1913 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1831 Birthblock for Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton son of Absalom & Cynthia Ann (PRATT) Blanton

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 4 April 1831.

Date from the 1840 census states he was born [not found]

Date from the 1850 census states he was born 1831 in Missouri.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born 1831 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1831 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1831 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born April 1831 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1831 in Tennessee.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 4 April 1831 in Green County, Tennessee.

Date from the obituary states he was born April 4, 1831 in Tennessee.

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Name Variations

He used various spellings of his first name, Alford, Alfred, Alphreas, Albert.

1831-1838 Commentary

According to Elbert Sevier Blanton Sr.'s obituary, it states that his parents brought him to Missouri when he was less than a year old. This means all of Absalom's and Cynthia's children born after 1831-1832 were born in Missouri, because Elbert was born in 1831. However, Absalom purchased 40 acres in Franklin Co., MO in 1838. Where were they from 1830 to 1838?

1833 Childbirth of brother; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States in 1833.

1833-1837 Family Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to St. Louis, Missouri to Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1833-1837.

1837 Childbirth of brother; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 February 1837.

1838 Father's Property Transaction

St. Louis, Missouri, United States Land Purchase on 3 September 1838, Receipt #10604 Absalom Blanton buys 40 acres of land section 5, township 40, range 2 west, of the fifth principle meridian in Franklin County Missouri. This land purchase puts his home outside of Sullivan.

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

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1839 Childbirth of brother; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in March 1839.

1840 Federal Census age 9

Once again Absalom managed to elude the census takers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the 1830's to the 1840's...I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands during those turbulent years, she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Nevertheless, Absalom Blanton & family were living outside Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States by 1840. For a complete report concerning the Pratts and the Blantons on the "Trail of Tears" read "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" © 2003 by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1840-1841 Childbirth of brother; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1840-1841.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County Missouri Deed Record Book Volume "D", page 211, 22 June 1840
Absalom Blanton and Cynthia Blanton sold to G.P. Hardy on 22 June 1840, for \$100 for 40 acres.

*"This deed made this 22nd day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty. Witnesseth that Absalom Blanton and Cynthia his wife of the County of Franklin and State of Missouri of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid by G.P. Hardy of this county and state aforesaid of the second part. The receipt wherefore is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain sell and convey and confirms to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land purchased by said Absalom Blanton on the third of September A.D. Eighteen hundred and thirty eight as will made fully apparent a reference from the Books of the United States Registers Office at St. Louis, and the receiver's receipt number ten thousand six hundred and four (10604) designates on the book of said registers office at St. Louis and in said receiver's receipt of Section Number Five in Township Number Forty of Range Number Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing forty acres to have and to hold the said tract of land with all and singular the privileges and appertances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever. The said parties of the first part hereby coveeting that they their heirs executors and administrators will warrant and defend the title to the land aforesaid to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs forever against all and every perso or persons claiming by through or under them the said parties of the first part. We witness whereof the parties of the first part have hereunto set theirs hands and seals the day and year first above written. Acknowledged in presence of: Thomas Buckner, Joseph Patton
Absalom "X" Blanton and Cynthia "X" Blanton"*

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1840-1849 Family Move

From Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States

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1849 Father's Joint Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840__362 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section 32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton the South West ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section thirty-two in township 40, Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres.

[This property is located off of Highway 202 south of Hamilton Creek near Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres.]

1849 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 620 & 621, 3 November 1849
A homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty- North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County.

[This property became known as the Blanton Hollow and is now known as Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri. Absalom built a large manison after he developed the land for mining. It is located off of Highway 202 along Hamilton Creek.]

1850 Federal Census age 19

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 26, house 958, family 958

BLANTON, Absalom w m 48; Cynthia w f 40; Alford w m 19; John w m 17; Caroline w f 15; Henry H. w m 13; William w m 11; Martin V. w m 9

[Absalom born in Kentucky the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. Living next to many Pratt and Blanton families.]

1850-1852 Death of mother; Cynthia (PRATT)

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between October 30, 1850 from the census date and March 21, 1852 the date of her husband's 2nd marriage.

Research Note

Verification of date of death and burial location of Cynthia should be obtained from the local newspapers at the time of death. Absalom Blanton was a prominent businessman and employed many of the locals in his mining operations throughout the area. His mansion mentioned in several publications gives credence to his affluent and properous lifestyle. When I checked the newspapers of the Sullivan and surrounding areas back in the late 1970's and early 1980's, I did not know as much as I do now and overlooked key elements that I was not aware would be of value and interest to the Blanton-Pratt family history research community. Now, it is your turn to dig into those newspapes and extract the valuable and needed information to verify and answer some of the mysteries of these families.

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1851 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "H", page 617, 15 November 1851

"This Deed made and entered into this fifteenth day of November Eighteen hundred and fifty-one by and between George T. Westover and Nancy Jane Westover his wife of the first part of Crawford County and State of Missouri and Absalom Blanton of Washington County and State aforesaid of the second part ?? That the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred dollars to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part receipt whereof is hereby conveyed and acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever the following described lots pieces and parcels of land. To wit: The north half [N½] of lot number one [1] south west quarter [SW¼] of Section number thirty [30] in Township number forty [40] of range number one west [1W] containing forty acres also, the north half [N½] of lot number two [2] of the southwest quarter [SW¼] of section number [30] in township number forty [40] of range one west [1W] containing forty-five acres."

[George T. & Nancy Jane Westover sell 40 acres for \$300: N½ of L1, SW¼ of S30 in T40 R1W and N½ of lot L2 SW¼ of Section 30 in T40 R1W containing 45 acres on 16 November 1851.

[This property is located right in the middle of the Meramec State Park. When the Corp. of Engineers were going to put in a dam in the early 1970's they bought all the property from landowners in and around the park which was to be flooded by the proposed lake. After the project was defeated by the local citizens, the government failed to return the property to private hands but kept the best land and expanded the Meramec State Park to its present boundaries.]

1852 Father's Marriage of widower Absalom Blanton and wWidow Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "I", page 208 21 March 1852

Absalom Blanton and widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt were married on 21 March 1852.

Groom from Washington County, Missouri.

Research Note

This marriage was probably a marriage of convenience. Absalom and Nancy were white with no native ancestry whereas, their children were ½ Cherokee. After the death of Henry Pratt; full blooded Cherokee and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton; full blooded Cherokee, then Absalom and Nancy found themselves still interacting with their children whom had intermarried through 5 connections. Henry had died after the birth of his daughter; Matilda in 1841, and I presume he may have been the one mentioned in the diary of David Staples as they recorded on the way out to the 1848-1849 gold rush in California. David Staples diary stated, *"On May 27th, Staples wrote of Indians, mule trouble, double-teaming the wagons through the wet prairie, a party....returning haveing lost a husband father and friend of Cholera."* Who this was and the party that returned is not mentioned. But, on June 8th, George Winslow died in Nebraska from cholera. David Staples and party continued on to California and in 1862 was one of the founders of the *Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, in San Francisco.*" [See C2G Profile for Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt for complete details.] Cynthia died between 1850-1852. With such a rich history of family ties and coupled with the convenience of Absalom Blanton's large house and well to do financial circumstances, then this marriage seemed convenient for both parties and I am sure was accepted by the children with astounding approval.

1853 Marriage of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton and Mary Elizabeth (PRATT)

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "B" page 126

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State of Missouri Washington County

This is to certify that I did on the 24th of March 1853, solemnize the rite of matrimony between Alpreas Blanton and Mary Elizabeth Prat. Valentine S. Carter, Socal preceacher of the Methodist Episcopal Church June 17th 1853, Filed June 18th 1853. W.A. Matthews, Recorder.

1854 Childbirth of daughter; Susan Jane (BLANTON)

Susan Jane (BLANTON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 October 1854.

1857 Childbirth of son; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1857.

1858 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy Caroline (BLANTON)

Nancy Caroline (BLANTON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 March 1858.

1859 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 11, May 27, 1859

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from John Wiley Pinnell at one undivided one fourth [$\frac{1}{4}$] part of the west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1859 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 12, June 1, 1859:

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from Calvin V. Lynch and wife Matilda at west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1860 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Ellen (BLANTON)

Mary Ellen (BLANTON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 January 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 29

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 26 July 1860, line 13, house 877, family 867

BLANTON, Elbert w m 29; Mary w f 20; Susan w f 5; Absalom w m 3; Mary C. w f 4months

[All born in Tennessee. Elbert is a miner. Living next door to several Blanton and Pratt families. They were not all born in Tennessee, the children were born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.]

1864 Military Physical

Between 1860 and 1875 Dr. John B. Bell for the Union Army gave various individuals

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physicals for service in the Civil War. These records are known as "The Dr. John B. Bell Papers" and are housed in the University of Missouri Manuscript Department at Rolla, in the University's Library. Various Blantons and others are listed. The physicals took place at Potosi, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864 Elbert S. Blanton age 33- Diagnosis: Pulse 136, palpitation of heart & symptoms of phthisis." [This is all that is written about Elbert. Palpitation of heart means his heart beats in a rapid rate. Phthisis means tuberculosis of the lungs, consumption. He is listed next to his brothers Henry H. & Alexander Blanton.]

1865 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

Sarah Ann (BLANTON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 5 December 1865.

1868 Childbirth of son; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1868.

1870 Childbirth of daughter; Delila Catherine (BLANTON)

Delila Catherine (BLANTON) near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on May 1870.

1870 Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, Deed Record Book"", page "", 11 August 1870

Elbert S. & wife, Mary E. Blanton sold for \$700 to the Austin Clark c/o Franklin City & Ross M. Crow the "Blanton Specular Mine" N1/2 SE1/4, Sec 29, T40N, R1w.

ORE MINE: The Iron Ores, p344, "Hematities of the Filled Sinks", "Blanton Specular Mine"

"Some rounded surface ore, mostley small, is found here, on three spurs of a low ridge. The spurs point about north and strata of solid snadstone crop out at foot of each. A hole, dug fifteen feet deep on the top of the most eastern spur passed through drifted, sandy detrtus, with little ore, then struck a layer of chert. This bank is on a hill thickly covered with detrius, through which single pieces of speclar ore are unequally distributed. The ore itself is of good quality."

1870 Federal Census age 39

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 1, house 108, family 108

BLANTON, A.[Albert] S.[Sevier] w m 39; Mary E. w f 35; Susan J. w f 15; Absalom w m 13; Mary E. w f 11; Sarah A. w f 5; Martin V. w m 3; Delila C. w f 2months born in May [Albert and Mary were born in Tennessee the children born in Missouri. Albert is a lead miner. They are living next door to brothers and father.]

1871 Family Move

From Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 13 August 1871.

1871 Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 13 August 1871

Bradley G. Beavers and wife Amanda M. sold to Elbert S. Blanton of Washington County, for

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\$600, in the county of Crawford NE quarter of the SW quarter and the NW quarter of the SE quarter of Section (14) Township (40) Range 2W containing 80 acres. NE¼ of the SW¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14, T40N, R2W 80 acres.

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1871 Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 30 August 1871, FHL# 0914709

B.J. Beavir to E.S. Blanton NE¼ of the SE¼ & NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14 T40N R2W 80acres

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1872 Death of father; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

1872 Childbirth of son; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. was born west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 5 May 1872.

1872-1880 Family Move

From west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1878 Childbirth of daughter; Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 49

Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 80a, 25 June 1880, line 42, house 308, family 328

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 49; Mary wife w f 43; Ellen dau w f 21; Sarah dau w f 14; Martin son w m 12; Catherine dau w f 9; Sevier son w m 8; Lucy A. dau w f 2;

HOLLINHEAD, Jasper boarder w m 23

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, the children born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Jasper born in Ohio as was his parents. Elbert, Martin and Jasper work at an iron works.]

From 1880 to 1900 Move

From Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1880-1900.

Research Note

In order to trace Albert's footsteps we need to track each and every property transaction he made after his marriage until his death. This would reveal where they were living at the time of each child's birth and give us an understanding to his movements.

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1900 Federal Census age 69

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 187b, 15 June 1900, line 90, house 136, family 139

BLANTON, Elbert head w m born April 1831 age 69; Mary E. wife w f born August 1836 age 63; Lucey E. dau w f born May 1878 age 22

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, Lucy born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. They have been married for 48 years. Mary says she has had 12 children born and 8 are living. Elbert is a farmer and is renting. Living two doors down from the Campbell and Pratt families]

1900-1902 Newspaper Article

"Elbert Blanton is still confined to his bed with an abcess on his lung caused by pueumonia, but it is hoped that an operation may be avoided. He has been ill more than five weeks. Mrs. Blanton has been ill, too, but is up again." [Newspaper unknown, date unknown. Most likely before Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902.]

1902 Death of spouse; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census age 79

Springfield Road, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 249a, 19 & 20 April 1910, line 39, house 47, family 48

FRASUER, Albert W. head w m 49; Ellen wife w f 50; **SIMMONS**, William sson w m 19; Carl sson w m 15; **BLANTON**, Albert S. fnlw w m 79

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Ellen father was born in Tennessee and Albert Blanton was born in Tennessee as was his parents adn he is a widower. Albert and Ellen say they have been married twice and they have been married for 2 years. Ellen say this is her second marriage and she has been married 6 years and she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Albert Frasier is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1913 Death of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #16204

Elbert Severe Blanton white widowed male born 4 April 1831 in Green County, Tennessee to Absalom Blanton born in Kentucky and [unknown] born in Kentucky. He died on 14 May 1913 at Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried on 15 May 1913 at Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. The informant was M.V. Blanton of Sullivan, Missouri. [Martin Van Buren Blanton is his son.]

As listed on the SOS website: Elbert Severe Blanton May 14, 1913 Franklin 16204

[2] Date of 15 May 1913 from his obituary. [In error]

1913 Burial of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

[no headstones found]

Date of 15 May 1913 per death certificate.

1913 Obituary of Elbert S. Blanton

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"Elbert S. Blanton was born April 4, 1831 in Tennessee and died at the home of his son, Elbert, Jr., near Sullivan, May 15, 1913, aged 82 years, 1 month, 11 days. He came to Missouri with his parents when less than a year old. His life was spent in the counties of Washington, Crawford and Franklin. In 1852 he married Mary E. Pratt, who died in 1902. Twelve children were born to them, seven of whom survive, namely Mrs. Nancy Brandt, Mrs. Susan Claspill, Mrs. Ellen Fraseur, Mrs. Sarah Dace, Mrs. Lucy Moss, Martin V., and Elbert S., Jr. Two of his sisters are still living, Mrs. John Allen, Sr. and Mrs. John Pratt, Sr. The funeral service was conducted Friday, May 16, by the Rev. C.R. Disney of the M. E. Church and burial was made in Buffalo Cemetery." [Newspaper unknown date unknown.]

Elbert married **Mary Elizabeth Pratt**, daughter of **Henry Pratt** and **Nancy Carter**, on 24 March 1853 in Washington, Missouri, United States. Mary was born in August 1838 in Monroe, Tennessee, United States, died in 1902 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried in 1902 in most likely Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1838 Birthblock for Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) daughter of Henry & Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in August 1838.

Date from 1840 census states she was born 1836-1840.

Date from 1850 census states she was born 1839 in Tennessee.

Date from 1860 census states she was born 1840 in Tennessee.

Date from 1870 census states she was born 1835 in Tennessee.

Date from 1880 census states she was born 1837 in Tennessee.

Date from 1900 census states she was born August 1836 in Tennessee.

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

Since Nancy, her mother listed Mary as 11 years old in the 1850 census then I am inclined to believe she was born either before they left on the "Trail of Tears" in September 1838 or after they had arrived in Missouri in March of 1839. If her brother; John was born 4 January 1838 then Mary could not have been born in March 1838. Since she is one year younger than John I suspect that John was born in 1837 and Mary was born in August 1838. Since she was so adamant about being born in Tennessee and reports the same in 5 census reports over a period of 50 years, then I must conclude that she was born in Monroe, Tennessee, United States in August 1838 before they were forced on the "Trail of Tears".

1838 Forced Move "Trail of Tears"

A full account of the Henry Pratt family is in my book "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**". In this book, I give a full detail of the "Trail of Tears" episode and it is a lengthy discourse. Because of its length, I will not go into it here but suffice to say, due to Henry Pratt's

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Cherokee ancestry, the government forced him and his family on the "Trail of Tears" in September 1838 and they jumped the trail in March 1839 and settled first in Crawford County moving to Richwoods Twp of Washington County, Missouri area by the 1840 census.-Floyd Thomas Pratt

1939 Arrival in Missouri

After a long cold, hard winter the Pratt's found a way to escape from their military escort and followed the creeks from the "Trail of Tears" or what is now known as highway 8 in Crawford County, Missouri and settled 12 miles north in Crawford County before moving into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri by the 1840 census. They began to make friends with other "exiles" who were also in hiding from the government. A local family, the Rinard (Rhinehart) Kimberlin(g) family befriended the Pratts and was instrumental in helping the Pratt family to adjust to their new home life. Also, the Absalom Blanton family helped the Pratts and intermarried, which was Cherokee tradition. More in the book "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**" (2003) by Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

1839 Good Friends

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2008

It should be noted here that Rinard Kimberlin was a good neighbor and a friend to the Henry Pratt family. When the Pratts arrived in eastern Crawford County in March 1839, they moved into Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri after their ordeal on the "Trail of Tears". They settled near the Kimberlins and struck up a good friendship. When James Pratt married Rinard's daughter, Catherine in 1847-1848, James probably told Rinard that he wanted a piece of property near Rinard or Catherine told James to buy some property near her parents either way, **it was against** the law for indians to own or buy land. Rinard bought the land, the James Pratt family settled on from Firmin Desloge and 3 weeks later sold 24 acres of the 105 acres to his son-in-law, James Pratt.

Rinard did the same for his daughter, Mary after she married Alexander Pratt...James' brother. After James became a property owner it was easier for James and Alexander to pass themselves off as a white man even though they were ½ Cherokee. This led to Alexander's land purchase two years later in May 1856 from William & Martha Hughes which he later sold to the Ambrose Marion Pennock family from Ohio in 1859.

1840 Federal Census age 2

Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 198

PRATT, Henry 1-1-1-0-0-0-1 1-2-1-1-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [John Absalom age 6]; 5-9 [Alexander R. age 8]; 10-14 [James age 18]; 40-49 [Henry age 40]

free white females 4 & under [Mary Elizabeth age 2]; 5-9 [Sarah Ann age 5]; 5-9 [Nancy Miriah age 10]; 10-14 [Lorenda age 12]; 15-19 [Susanna Rebecca age 19]; 40-49 [Nancy age 40]

1841 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT)

Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) was born in Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 20 October 1841.

1841-1850 Death of father; Henry Pratt

Death of Henry Pratt calculated to be between 1841 and 1850. This deduction derived from the presumption that he conceived his last known child; Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) who was

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born according to her death certificate 20 October 1841. Going back 9 months from her birth date indicates he was alive February 1841 if... Matilda's birth date is correct. His son; Alexander R. Pratt told his son; Carac Pratt who told his son; Orville Carac Pratt, who told me that Alexander had gone to California in 1848-1849 during the gold rush. Maybe Henry went with the group but he does not show up in the 1850 Crawford County census like son; Alexander does. I have checked available newspapers for that time period but have found no references to Henry Pratt. One of my mentor researchers; Geraldine Mabel (**MILLER**) Reed said that she thought she had seen a court report in one of those books in the Crawford County Courthouse that mentioned Nancy Pratt, widow of Henry Pratt receiving a cash allotment from the County Court. She could not remember where it was or anything more about it. I looked for it when I was at the Courthouse but there are so many books...hundreds that have not been documented but just piled up in the vault that I could not cover all of them and had no time, or luck in finding any information about Henry Pratt. Therefore, Henry Pratt could have died on his way to California or on his return to Missouri. After his death, his widow, Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri to be near her daughter; Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel family in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri. In 1852, Nancy married widower, Absalom Blanton in Crawford County. Regrettably, due to my old age, I must leave the mystery of Henry Pratt's death for the next generation to solve.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

1850 Federal Census age 12

District 24, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 244, 8 October 1850, line 6, house 767, family 767

PRATT, N. [Nancy] w f 48; E. [Alexander] w m 18; S. [Sarah] A. [Ann] w f 14; J.[John] A. [Absalom] w m 12; M. [Mary] E. [Elizabeth] w f 11; M. [Matilda] J. [Jane] w f 8
[All born in Tennessee except Matilda Jane was born in Missouri. Next door to Henry & Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansell; daughter. Nancy is a widow. Nancy could not read and write. Notice that in the occupation section of the census the census taker wrote "widow" not the usual and customary "farmer". This supports my hypothesis that the Pratt's were Cherokee and not farmers.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1853 Marriage of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton and Mary Elizabeth (PRATT)

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "B" page 126

State of Missouri Washington County

This is to certify that I did on the 24th of March 1853, solemnize the rite of matrimony between Alpreas Blanton and Mary Elizabeth Prat. Valentine S. Carter, Socal preceacher of the Methodist Episcopal Church June 17th 1853, Filed June 18th 1853. W.A. Matthews, Recorder.

1854 Childbirth of daughter; Susan Jane (BLANTON)

Susan Jane (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 October 1854.

1857 Childbirth of son; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1857.

1858 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy Caroline (BLANTON)

Nancy Caroline (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 March 1858.

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1859 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 11, May 27, 1859

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from John Wiley Pinnell at one undivided one fourth [$\frac{1}{4}$] part of the west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1859 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 12, June 1, 1859:

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from Calvin V. Lynch and wife Matilda at west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1860 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Ellen (BLANTON)

Mary Ellen (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 January 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 22

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 26 July 1860, line 13, house 877, family 867

BLANTON, Elbert w m 29; Mary w f 20; Susan w f 5; Absalom w m 3; Mary C. w f 4months

[All born in Tennessee. Elbert is a miner. Living next door to several Blanton and Pratt families. They were not all born in Tennessee, the children were born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.]

1864 Military Physical

Between 1860 and 1875 Dr. John B. Bell for the Union Army gave various individuals physicals for service in the Civil War. These records are known as "The Dr. John B. Bell Papers" and are housed in the University of Missouri Manuscript Department at Rolla, in the University's Library. Various Blantons and others are listed. The physicals took place at Potosi, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864 Elbert S. Blanton age 33- Diagnosis: Pulse 136, palpitation of heart & symptoms of phthisis." [This is all that is written about Elbert. Palpitation of heart means his heart beats in a rapid rate. Phthisis means tuberculosis of the lungs, consumption. He is listed next to his brothers Henry H. & Alexander Blanton.]

1865 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

Sarah Ann (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 5 December 1865.

1868 Childbirth of son; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1868.

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1870 Childbirth of daughter: Delila Catherine (BLANTON)

Delila Catherine (**BLANTON**) near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on May 1870.

1870 Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "", page "", 11 August 1870

Elbert S. & wife, Mary E. Blanton sold for \$700 to the Austin Clark c/o Franklin City & Ross M. Crow the "Blanton Specular Mine" N1/2 SE1/4, Sec 29, T40N, R1W.

ORE MINE: The Iron Ores, p344, "Hematities of the Filled Sinks", "Blanton Specular Mine"

"Some rounded surface ore, mostley small, is found here, on three spurs of a low ridge. The spurs point about north and strata of solid snadstone crop out at foot of each. A hole, dug fifteen feet deep on the top of the most eastern spur passed through drifted, sandy detrtus, with little ore, then struck a layer of chert. This bank is on a hill thickly covered with detrius, through which single pieces of speclar ore are unequally distributed.The ore itself is of good quality."

1870 Federal Census age 32

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 1, house 108, family 108

BLANTON, A.[Albert] S.[Sevier] w m 39; Mary E. w f 35; Susan J. w f 15; Absalom w m 13; Mary E. w f 11; Sarah A. w f 5; Martin V. w m 3; Delila C. w f 2months born in May [Albert and Mary were born in Tennessee the children born in Missouri. Albert is a lead miner. They are living next door to brothers and father.]

1871 Family Move

From Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 13 August 1871.

1871 Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 13 August 1871

Bradley G. Beavers and wife Amanda M. sold to Elbert S. Blanton of Washington County, for \$600, in the county of Crawford NE quarter of the SW quarter and the NW quarter of the SE quarter of Section (14) Township (40) Range 2W containing 80 acres. NE¼ of the SW¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14, T40N, R2W 80 acres.

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1871 Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 30 August 1871, FHL# 0914709

B.J. Beavir to E.S. Blanton NE¼ of the SE¼ & NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14 T40N R2W 80acres

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1872 Childbirth of son: Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. was born west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 5 May 1872.

1872-1880 Family Move

From west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone

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Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1878 Childbirth of daughter: Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

Lucy Adeline (**BLANTON**) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 42

Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 80a, 25 June 1880, line 42, house 308, family 328

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 49; Mary wife w f 43; Ellen dau w f 21; Sarah dau w f 14; Martin son w m 12; Catherine dau w f 9; Sevier son w m 8; Lucy A. dau w f 2; **HOLLINHEAD**, Jasper boarder w m 23

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, the children born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Jasper born in Ohio as was his parents. Elbert, Martin and Jasper work at an iron works.]

From 1880 to 1900 Move

From Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1880-1900.

Research Note

In order to trace Albert's footsteps we need to track each and every property transaction he made after his marriage until his death. This would reveal where they were living at the time of each child's birth and give us an understanding to his movements.

1900 Federal Census age 62

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 187b, 15 June 1900, line 90, house 136, family 139

BLANTON, Elbert head w m born April 1831 age 69; Mary E. wife w f born August 1836 age 63; Lucey E. dau w f born May 1878 age 22

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, Lucy born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. They have been married for 48 years. Mary says she has had 12 children born and 8 are living. Elbert is a farmer and is renting. Living two doors down from the Campbell and Pratt families]

1900-1902 Newspaper Article

"Elbert Blanton is still confined to his bed with an abcess on his lung caused by pueumonia, but it is hoped that an operation may be avoided. He has been ill more than five weeks. Mrs. Blanton has been ill, too, but is up again." [Newspaper unknown, date unknown. Most likely before Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902.]

1902 Death of Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1902 Burial of Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Most likely at Buffalo Cemetery where husband will be buried in 1913. Local newspapers need to be reviewed to gain actual death date and location of interment.

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 41 F i. **Susan Jane Blanton** was born on 15 October 1854 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 18 September 1934 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 79, and was buried on 20 September 1934 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Susan married **James Martin Claspill** (d. 10 February 1919) on 7 November 1880 in Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 42 M ii. **Absalom Blanton** was born in 1857 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1880 to 1885 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States at age 23.

Absalom married **Clara Key** (d. 23 July 1949) on 30 November 1879 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 43 F iii. **Nancy Caroline Blanton** was born on 13 March 1858 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 9 April 1931 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried on 10 April 1931 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Nancy married **Charles "Carl" E. Brandt** (d. 19 February 1923) on 17 August 1881 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 44 F iv. **Mary Ellen Blanton** was born on 4 January 1860 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 12 February 1943 in 520 Freeburg Avenue, Belleville, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States at age 83, and was buried in February 1943 in Walnut Hill Cemetery, Belleville, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States.

Mary married **Harvey James Simmons** (d. 1892-1900) on 21 October 1887 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Mary next married **Albert W. Fraseur** (d. 15 July 1925) on 7 January 1904 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 45 F v. **Sarah Ann Blanton** was born on 5 December 1865 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 18 September 1943 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried on 20 September 1943 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Sarah married **Michael Edward Dace Jr.** (d. 30 November 1939) on 30 April 1893 near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 46 M vi. **Martin Van Buren Blanton** was born on 13 February 1868 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 1 February 1935 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 66, and was buried on 3 February 1935 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Martin married **Anna Burton** (d. 5 October 1962) on 10 November 1904 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
- + 47 F vii. **Delila Catherine Blanton** was born in May 1870 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died after 1910.

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Delila married **John Nelson Souders** (d. After 1910) on 11 December 1892 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

- + 48 M viii. **Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.** was born on 5 May 1872 east of Sullivan in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 10 April 1940 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 67, and was buried on 13 April 1940 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Elbert married **Alice Mary Garner** (d. 1 October 1933) on 17 September 1893 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.

- + 49 F ix. **Lucy Adeline Blanton** was born on 23 May 1878 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 31 July 1937 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 59, and was buried on 2 August 1937 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Lucy married **George Walter Moss** (d. 7 December 1949) on 14 April 1901 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

7. John Allen Blanton (*Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1833 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died from 1897 to 1900 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried from 1897 to 1900 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for John Allen Blanton by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1829-1833 Birthblock for John Allen Blanton son of Abraham Absalom & Cynthia Ann (PRATT) Blanton

John Allen Blanton was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States circa 1833.

Date from the 1840 census states he was born

Date from the 1850 census states he was born in 1833

Date from the 1860 census states he was born

Date from the 1870 census states he was born in 1829

Date from the 1880 census states he was born in 1837

Since we know his father Absalom was buying sheep in Greene Co., TN in 1830 then I would say John was born in Greene Co., TN. from 1829/1833.

1833-1837 Family Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to St. Louis, Missouri to Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1833-1837.

1837 Childbirth of brother; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 February 1837.

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1838 Father's Property Transaction

St. Louis, Missouri, United States Land Purchase on 3 September 1838, Receipt #10604 Absalom Blanton buys 40 acres of land section 5, township 40, range 2 west, of the fifth principle meridian in Franklin County Missouri. This land purchase puts his home outside of Sullivan.

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1839 Childbirth of brother; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in March 1839.

1840 Federal Census age 7

Once again Absalom managed to elude the census takers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the 1830's to the 1840's...I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands during those turbulent years, she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Nevertheless, Absalom Blanton & family were living outside Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States by 1840. For a complete report concerning the Pratts and the Blantons on the "Trail of Tears" read "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" © 2003 by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1840-1841 Childbirth of brother; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1840-1841.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County Missouri Deed Record Book Volume "D", page 211, 22 June 1840 Absalom Blanton and Cynthia Blanton sold to G.P. Hardy on 22 June 1840, for \$100 for 40 acres.

"This deed made this 22nd day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty. Witnessst that Absalom Blanton and Cynthia his wife of the County of Franklin and State of Missouri of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid by G.P. Hardy of this county and state aforesaid of the second part. The receipt wherefore is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain sell and convey and confirms to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land purchased by said Absalom Blanton on the third of September A.D. Eighteen hundred and thirty eight as will made fully apparent a reference from the Books of the United States Registers Office at St. Louis, and the receiver's receipt number ten thousand six hundred and four (10604) designates on the book of said registers office at St. Louis and in said receiver's receipt of Section Number Five in Township Number Forty of Range Number Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing forty acres to have and to hold the said tract of land with all and singular the privileges and appertances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever. The said parties of the first part hereby coveneting that they their heirs executors and administrators will warrant and defend the title to the land aforesaid to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs forever against all and every perso or persons claiming by through or under them the said parties of the first part. We witness whereof the parties of the first part have hereunto set theirs hands and seals the day and year first above written.

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*Acknowledged in presence of: Thomas Buckner, Joseph Patton
Absalom "X" Blanton and Cynthia "X" Blanton"*

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1840-1849 Family Move

From Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States

1849 Father's Joint Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840__362 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section 32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton the South West ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section thirty-two in township 40, Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres.

[This property is located off of Highway 202 south of Hamilton Creek near Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres.]

1849 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 620 & 621, 3 November 1849 *A homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty- North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County.*

[This property became known as the Blanton Hollow and is now known as Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri. Absalom built a large manison after he developed the land for mining. It is located off of Highway 202 along Hamilton Creek.]

1850 Federal Census age 17

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 26, house 958, family 958

BLANTON, Absalom w m 48; Cynthia w f 40; Alford w m 19; John w m 17; Caroline w f 15; Henry H. w m 13; William w m 11; Martin V. w m 9

[Absalom born in Kentucky the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. Living next to many Pratt and Blanton families.]

1850-1852 Death of mother; Cynthia (PRATT)

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between October 30, 1850 from the census date and March 21, 1852 the date of her husband's 2nd marriage.

Research Note

Verification of date of death and burial location of Cynthia should be obtained from the local

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newspapers at the time of death. Absalom Blanton was a prominent businessman and employed many of the locals in his mining operations throughout the area. His mansion mentioned in several publications gives credence to his affluent and properous lifestyle. When I checked the newspapers of the Sullivan and surrounding areas back in the late 1970's and early 1980's, I did not know as much as I do now and overlooked key elements that I was not aware would be of value and interest to the Blanton-Pratt family history research community. Now, it is your turn to dig into those newspapers and extract the valuable and needed information to verify and answer some of the mysteries of these families.

1851 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "H", page 617, 15 November 1851

"This Deed made and entered into this fifteenth day of November Eighteen hundred and fifty-one by and between George T. Westover and Nancy Jane Westover his wife of the first part of Crawford County and State of Missouri and Absalom Blanton of Washington County and State aforesaid of the second part ?? That the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred dollars to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part receipt whereof is herby conveyed and acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and ssll convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever the following described lots pieces and parcels of land. Towit: The north half [N½] of lot number one[1] south west quarter [SW¼] of Section number thirty [30] in Township number forty [40] of range number one west [1W] containing forty acres also, the north half [N½] of lot number two [2] of the souhtwest quarter [SW¼] of section number [30] in township number forty [40] of range one west [1W] containing forty-five acres."

[George T. & Nancy Jane Westover sell 40 acres for \$300: N½ of L1, SW¼ of S30 in T40 R1W and N½ of lot L2 SW¼ of Section 30 in T40 R1W containing 45 acres on 16 November 1851.

[This property is located right in the middle of the Meramec State Park. When the Corp. of Engineers were going to put in a dam in the early 1970's they bought all the property from landowners in and around the park which was to be flooded by the proposed lake. After the project was defeated by the local citizens, the government failed to return the property to private hands but kept the best land and expanded the Meramec State Park to its present boundries.]

1852 Father's marriage of widower Abraham Absalom Blanton and widow Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "I", page 208 21 March 1852

Abraham Absalom Blanton and widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt were married on 21 March 1852. Groom from Washington County, Missouri.

Research Note

This marriage was probably a marriage of convenience. Absalom and Nancy were white with no native ancestry whereas, their children were ½ Cherokee. After the death of Henry Pratt; full blooded Cherokee and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton; full blooded Cherokee, then Absalom and Nancy found themselves still interacting with their children whom had intermarried through 5 connections. Henry had died after the birth of his daughter; Matilda in 1841, and I presume he may have been the one mentioned in the diary of David Staples as they recorded on the way out to the 1848-1849 gold rush in California. David Staples diary stated, *"On May 27th, Staples wrote of Indians, mule trouble, double-teaming the wagons through the wet prairie, a party....returning haveing lost a husband father and friend of Cholera."* Who this was and the

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party that returned is not mentioned. But, on June 8th, George Winslow died in Nebraska from cholera. David Staples and party continued on to California and in 1862 was one of the founders of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, in San Francisco." [See C2G Profile for Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt for complete details.] Cynthia died between 1850-1852. With such a rich history of family ties and coupled with the convenience of Absalom Blanton's large house and well to do financial circumstances, then this marriage seemed convenient for both parties and I am sure was accepted by the children with astounding approval.

1858-1859 Marriage of John Allen Blanton and Margaret Serice (BLANTON)

1859 Father's Property Transaction

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 11, May 27, 1859
Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from John Wiley Pinnell at one undivided one fourth [$\frac{1}{4}$] part of the west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.
[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1859 Father's Property Transaction

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 12, June 1, 1859:
Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from Calvin V. Lynch and wife Matilda at west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.
[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1860 Federal Census age 27

1860 Childbirth of daughter; Cinthia A. (BLANTON)

Cinthia A. (BLANTON) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1860._

1863 Childbirth of son; Austin Clark Blanton

Austin Clark Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on April 1863._

1863 Childbirth of son; Christian C. Blanton

Christian C. Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1863._

1864 U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865

Name:John A. Blanton Side:Union Regiment State/Origin:Missouri Regiment Name:63 Reg't Enrolled Militia, Mo. Inf. (60 Days, 1864) Regiment Name Expanded:63rd Regiment, Enrolled Militia, Missouri Infantry (60 days 1864) COMPANY:K Rank In:Private Rank In Expanded:Private Rank Out:Private Rank Out Expanded:Private Film Number:M390 roll 4

Research Note

Not sure if this civil war record is John Allen Blanton's or John Anderson Blanton's.

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1866 Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, United States Deed Book , page , 1 November 1866:
George T. Westover to John A. Blanton of Franklin Co., MO for \$110.00 Lot #49, in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1866 Childbirth of son; John E. Blanton

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1870 Federal Census age 37

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 9, house 109, family 109
BLANTON, John w m 41; Margaret w f 28; Cintha A. w f 10; Nancy C. w f 13; Austin w m 6; John E. w m 4; Charles H. w m 1
[All born in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to his father and brothers. I believe this Nancy C. is Nancy Caroline (**BLANTON**) daughter of Elbert Sevier & Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton.]

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1872 Childbirth of son; William Joshua Blanton

William Joshua Blanton was born in Frankclay, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 19 December 1873.

1880 Federal Census age 47

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 458b, 3 June 1880, line 26, house 74, family 75
BLANTON, John head w m 43; Margerett S. wife w f 36; Christian C. son w m 17; Charles H. son w m 11; Josua Wm. son w m 6
[John was born in Missouri his parents in Tennessee, Margaret was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee the rest born in Missouri as was their parents. John is a laborer.]

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census.

1897-1900 Burial of John Allen Blanton

Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

John married **Margaret Serice Blanton**, daughter of **Joshua Blanton** and **Bethanie "Nancy" Harmon**, from 1858 to 1859. Margaret was born on 20 October 1833 in 67th Regiment District, Monroe, Tennessee, United States, died on 30 May 1917 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 83, and was buried on 31 May 1917 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Margaret Serice (BLANTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

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1833 Birthblock of Margaret Serice (BLANTON) daughter of Joshua & Bethanie "Nancy" (HARMON) Blanton

Margaret Serice (**BLANTON**) was born in 67th Regiment District, Monroe, Tennessee, United States on 20 October 1833.

Date from the 1840 census states she was born 1831-1835.

Date from the 1850 census states she was born

Date from the 1860 census states she was born

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1842 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1844 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born May 1843 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1835 in Missouri.

Date from headstone says she was born 20 October 1833.

Date from death certificate states she was born 20 October 1840.

Research Note

After 37 years of researching various families in the Franklin, Washington and Crawford county areas, I have come to the conclusion that most of these ancestors were not highly educated. It was not important for senior family members to share with their children vital aspects concerning when, where and how they were born and who were their ancestors. I have noticed that the Joshua Blanton family lacked basic understanding of dates, places and times and failed to convey these vital statistics to their children and grandchildren. One can offer the excuse, they were busy with surviving life and did not take the time to share information with other family members. However, other families did take the time and stories were told, and legends were passed from generation to generation and there was something for the next generation to learn. This lack of sharing brings me to ask..."Why did Margaret offer such a variance in birth dates from census to census?" When her parents listed her in the 1840 census they gave the correct dates of her birth between 1831-1835. We lost track of Margaret over the next 20 years and we don't know if she had married prior to John Allen Blanton or he was her first spouse. But, the age dates from the subsequent census from 1870-1910 never matched with her true birth year of 1833. This was usually due to lost family records or forgetful memories. However, her true birth year was finally

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depicted on her headstone of 1833. Obviously, son, Charles Henry Blanton the informant, who gave the death certificate information was not the same who gave the information on her headstone. Therefore, as researchers we can only guess to the approximate birth, marriage and death dates and until the Heavenly records are opened to us during the millennium, we can only do the best we can. Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

1835 Childbirth of brother; Peter Blanton

Peter Blanton was born in 67th Regiment District, Monroe, Tennessee, United States on 1835.

1837 Childbirth of sister; Sarah (BLANTON)

Sarah (BLANTON) was born in District 27, Monroe, Tennessee, United States in 1837.

1839 Childbirth of brother; Vincent Blanton

Vincent Blanton was born in District 27, Monroe, Tennessee, United States in March 1839.

1839 Childbirth of sister; Martha Catherine (BLANTON)

Martha Catherine (BLANTON) was born in District 27, Monroe, Tennessee, United States in 1839.

Research Note

Vincent and Martha may have been twins.

1840 Childbirth of sister; Margaret (BLANTON)

Margaret (BLANTON) was born in District 27, Monroe, Tennessee, United States in 1840.

Research Note

Why would Joshua and Bethanie (HARMON) Blanton name another daughter Margaret?

1840 Federal Censusa age 7

District 27, Monroe, Tennessee, United States, page 175

BLANTON, Jos 1-1-2-0-0-1 3-1-1-1-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Vincent age 1]; 5-9 [Peter age 5]; 10-14 [John age 10]; 10-14 [Stephen age 11]; 30-39 [Joshua age 39]

free white females 4 & under [Margaret age <1]; 4 & under [Martha age 1]; 4 & under [Sarah age 3]; 5-9 [Margaret age 7]; 10-14 [Nancy age 13]; 15-19 [Ruth age 14]; 30-39 [Bethanie (HARMON) age 36]

1842-1847 Family Move

Came from District 27, Monroe, Tennessee, United States, to Scott County, Missouri between 1842-1848. [According to Goodspeed]

1847 Childbirth of sister; Mary Ann (BLANTON)

Mary Ann (BLANTON) was born in Fredericktown, Saint Michael Twp, Madison, Missouri, United States on 20 February 1847. (This is the famous 124 year old)

1847-1849 Family Move

Came from Scott County, Missouri to Fredericktown, Saint Michael Twp, Madison, Missouri, United States between 1848-1849.

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1849-1850 Family Move

Moved from Madison County, Missouri to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1850 Childbirth of brother; William Joshua Blanton

William Joshua Blanton was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 10 September 1850.

1850 Federal Census age 17??

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156b, 30 October 1850, line 30, house 950, family 950

BLANTON, Joshua w m 49; Bethany w f 46; Stephen w m 21; Ruth A. w f 24; John w m 20; Peter w m 16; Sally A. w f 13; Vincent w m 11; Martha w f 11; Margaret w f 10; Mary w f 4; Joshua w m 1mos

[Joshua born in Kentucky, Bethany, Stephen, Ruth, John, Peter, Sally, Vincent in Virginia, Martha and the rest in Missouri. Joshua is a farmer.]

Research Note

If you notice, Margaret, who should be aged 17 is not in the 1850 census. One speculation could be that she was already married, or she was staying with someone else, in any case she was old enough to be married prior to her marriage to John Allen Blanton in 1858-1859.

1850-1860 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

1858-1859 Marriage of John Allen Blanton and Margaret Serice (BLANTON)

Checking the Sullivan, Postosi and Steelville newspapers for this marriage might reveal the date and location.

1860 Federal Census age 27

1860 Childbirth of daughter; Cinthia A. (BLANTON)

Cinthia A. (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1860._

1863 Childbirth of son; Austin Clark Blanton

Austin Clark Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on April 1863._

1863 Childbirth of son; Christian C. Blanton

Christian C. Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1863._

1864 Spouse's U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865?

Name:John A. Blanton Side:Union Regiment State/Origin:Missouri Regiment Name:63 Reg't Enrolled Militia, Mo. Inf. (60 Days, 1864) Regiment Name Expanded:63rd Regiment, Enrolled Militia, Missouri Infantry (60 days 1864) COMPANY:K Rank In:Private Rank In Expanded:Private Rank Out:Private Rank Out Expanded:Private Film Number:M390 roll 4

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Research Note

Not sure if this civil war record is John Allen Blanton's or John Anderson Blanton's.

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1880 Federal Census age 47

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 458b, 3 June 1880, line 26, house 74, family 75

BLANTON, John head w m 43; Margerett S. wife w f 36; Christian C. son w m 17; Charles H. son w m 11; Josua Wm. son w m 6

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1897-1900 Death of spouse: John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States after the 1880 census date and before the 1900 census date. Margaret is listed as a widow in the 1900 census.

1900 Federal Census age 67

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 87b, 6 June 1900, line 85, house 125, family 135

BLANTON, Margret head w f born May 1843 age 57; Henry son w m born Febraury 1869 age 31; William J. son w m born December 1874 age 25; Mary dnlw w f born January 1869 age 31; Cynthia gdau w f born August 1892 age 7; Stella gdau w f born October 1895 age 4; May gdau w f born December 1897 age 2; Della gdau w f born December 1898 age 1; **PULLEN**, George boarder w m born April 1871 age 29

[All born in Missouri, Margaret's parents born in Tennessee, Henry and William's father born in Tennessee, mother in Missouri, the rest parents born in Missouri. Margaret says she is a widow and she has had 9 children born and 3 are living. Henry and Mary have been married for 8 years and Mary says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Margaret is renting.]

1910 Federal Census age 77

County Road, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 46b, & 47a, 16 April 1910, line 3, house 31, family 33

BLANTON, Austin head w m 51; Lillie dau w f 14; John son w m 13; Rosa dau w f 11; Eva dau w f 9; Margaret mother w f 75; William brother w m 34

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except margaret's parents born in Tennessee. Living in his brother; Charles Henry Blanton's house. Austin is widowed and had been married 15 years. Margaret is widowed and has had 9 children born and 3 are living. Austin works in a lead mill and is renting.]

1917 Death of Margaret Serice (BLANTON) Blanton

Margaret Serice (**BLANTON**) Blanton died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 30 May 1917.

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, death certificate #19731

Margaret Serice Blanton was born 20 October 1833 in Sullivan, Missouri to Joshuay Blanton and [unknown] Harmon. She died 30 May 1917 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri. She was buried on 31 May 1917 at Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Saint Francois, Missouri. The informant was Henry Blanton of Bonne Terre, Missouri.

1917 Burial of Margaret Serice (BLANTON) Blanton

Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

Children from this marriage were:

- + 50 F i. **Cinthis A. Blanton** was born in 1860 in Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 51 M ii. **Christian L. Blanton** was born in 1863 in Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 52 M iii. **Austin Clark Blanton** was born in April 1863 in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 10 October 1927 in County Infirmary, Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried on 11 October 1927 in Bonne

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Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Austin married **Mary Jane Greenwood** (d. 1900-1901) on 21 September 1886 in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

+ 53 M iv. **John E. Blanton** was born in 1866 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died from 1870 to 1880 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 4.

+ 54 M v. **Charles Henry Blanton** was born on 8 February 1869 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 29 May 1932 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 1 June 1932 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Charles married **Mary Elizabeth Pullen** (d. 22 January 1946) on 28 April 1892 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

+ 55 M vi. **William Joshua Blanton** was born on 19 December 1873 in Frankclay, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 6 August 1947 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried on 7 August 1947 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

8. Henry Hubert Blanton (*Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 23 February 1837 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 21 January 1908 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 70, and was buried in January 1908 in Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

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1837 Birthblock for Henry Hubert Blanton son pf Absalom & Cynthia Ann (PRATT) Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 February 1837.

Date from 1840 census states he was born (unable to locate family in 1840 census.)

Date from 1850 census states he was born 1837 in Tennessee.

Date from 1860 census states he was born 1838 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states he was born 1841 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states he was born 1837 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states he was born February 1837 in Missouri.

[He was either born on the "Trail of Tears" or was already in Franklin County, Missouri by 1837.

Due to his consistency of stating he was born in Missouri in the census records, I believe his family was already here in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States by the time he was born. According to Elbert Sevier Blanton Sr.'s obituary (his brother), it states that his parents brought him to Missouri when he was less than a year old. This means all of Absalom's and Cynthia's children who were born after 1831/32 were born in Missouri, because Elbert was born

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in 1831. However, his father, Absalom purchased 40 acres in Franklin County, Missouri in 1838.]

1838 Father's Property Transaction

St. Louis, Missouri, United States Land Purchase on 3 September 1838, Receipt #10604
Absalom Blanton buys 40 acres of land section 5, township 40, range 2 west, of the fifth principle meridian in Franklin County Missouri. This land purchase puts his home outside of Sullivan.
[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1839 Childbirth of brother; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in March 1839.

1840 Federal Census age 3

Once again Absalom managed to elude the census takers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the 1830's to the 1840's...I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands during those turbulent years, she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Nevertheless, Absalom Blanton & family were living outside Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States by 1840. For a complete report concerning the Pratts and the Blantons on the "Trail of Tears" read "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" © 2003 by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1840-1841 Childbirth of brother; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1840-1841.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County Missouri Deed Record Book Volume "D", page 211, 22 June 1840
Absalom Blanton and Cynthia Blanton sold to G.P. Hardy on 22 June 1840, for \$100 for 40 acres.

"This deed made this 22nd day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty. Witnesseth that Absalom Blanton and Cynthia his wife of the County of Franklin and State of Missouri of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid by G.P. Hardy of this county and state aforesaid of the second part. The receipt wherefore is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain sell and convey and confirms to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land purchased by said Absalom Blanton on the third of September A.D. Eighteen hundred and thirty eight as will made fully apparent a reference from the Books of the United States Registers Office at St. Louis, and the receiver's receipt number ten thousand six hundred and four (10604) designates on the book of said registers office at St. Louis and in said receiver's receipt of Section Number Five in Township Number Forty of Range Number Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing forty acres to have and to hold the said tract of land with all and singular the privileges and appertances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever. The said parties of the first part hereby coveeting that they their heirs executors and administrators will warrant and defend the title to the land aforesaid to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs forever against all and every perso or persons claiming by through or under

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them the said parties of the first part. We witness whereof the parties of the first part have hereunto set theirs hands and seals the day and year first above written. Acknowledged in presence of: Thomas Buckner, Joseph Patton Absalom
"X" Blanton and Cynthia "X" Blanton"

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1840-1849 Family Move

From Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States

1849 Father's Joint Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840__362 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section 32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton the South West ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section thirty-two in township 40, Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is located off of Highway 202 south of Hamilton Creek near Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres.]

1849 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 620 & 621, 3 November 1849
A homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty- North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County.
[This property became known as the Blanton Hollow and is now known as Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri. Absalom built a large manison after he developed the land for mining. It is located off of Highway 202 along Hamilton Creek.]

1850 Federal Census age 13

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 26, house 958, family 958

BLANTON, Absalom w m 48; Cynthia w f 40; Alford w m 19; John w m 17; Caroline w f 15; Henry H. w m 13; William w m 11; Martin V. w m 9

[Absalom born in Kentucky the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. Living next to many Pratt and Blanton families.]

1850-1852 Death of mother; Cynthia (PRATT)

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between October 30, 1850 from the census date and March 21, 1852 the date of her husband's 2nd marriage.

Research Note

Verification of date of death and burial location of Cynthia should be obtained from the local

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newspapers at the time of death. Absalom Blanton was a prominent businessman and employed many of the locals in his mining operations throughout the area. His mansion mentioned in several publications gives credence to his affluent and properous lifestyle. When I checked the newspapers of the Sullivan and surrounding areas back in the late 1970's and early 1980's, I did not know as much as I do now and overlooked key elements that I was not aware would be of value and interest to the Blanton-Pratt family history research community. Now, it is your turn to dig into those newspapes and extract the valuable and needed information to verify and answer some of the mysteries of these families.

1857 Marriage of Henry Hubert Blanton and Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT)

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 198

Henry H. Blanton and Matilda J. Pratt were married on 5 January 1857. Since the Pratts and Blantons were sharing the Blanton Mansion, then they were probably married at the mansion in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1858 Childbirth of son; Henry W. A. Blanton

Henry W. A. Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 25 July 1858.

1860 Federal Census age 23

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 25 July 1860, line 27, house 879, family 869

BLANTON, Henry w m 22; Matilda w f 17; Henry W. w m 2

[All born in Missouri. Henry is a farmer. Living next door to Blanton realtives.]

1861 Childbirth of son; James Blanton

James Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 9 February 1861.

1863 Childbirth of son; Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton

Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 August 1863.

1864 Military Physical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to various men for application for a pension. These records are known as "The John B. Bell Manuscripts" and are housed in the library at the University of Missouri, Rolla, Mo. These physicals took place in Potosi, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: Henry H. Blanton age 28- Diagnosis: BC palpitation of the heart & and has had mine sickness & subject to epistaxis."

[Palpitation of the heart means that his heart beats at a rapid rate. He is listed next to his brothers Elbert S. and Alexander Blanton.]

1869 Childbirrth of son; Jesse Van Buren Blanton

Jesse Van Buren Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 August 1869.

1870 Federal Census age 33

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August

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1870, line 20, house 111, family 111

BLANTON, Henry w m 29; Matilda w f 27; Henry A. w m 12; James w m 9; Wesely B. w m 6; Jesse w m 2

[All born in Missouri. Henry works on a farm. Living next door to Blantons.]

1871 Childbirth of son; Wiley Blanton

Wiley Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1871.

1872 Death of father; Abraham Absalom Blanton

Abraham Absalom Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

[1] Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322. [There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a landowner and businessman with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1874 Childbirth of son; Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton

Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1874.

1876 Childbirth of son; William H. Blanton

William H. Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 April 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 43

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 7 June 1880, line 17, house 3, family 3

BLANTON, H.[Henry] H.[Hubert] head w m 43; M.[Matilda] J.[Jane] wife w f 40; James son w m 19; Valentine son w m 17; Jesse son w m 11; Wiley son w m 9; Edda son w m 7; William son w m 4

[All born in Missouri including parents, except Henry's father born in Kentucky his mother in Tennessee. Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. Henry is a farmer.]

1900 Federal Census age 63

Steeleville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 82b, 7 & 8th June 1900, line 78, house 129, family 132

BLANTON, H.[Henry] A.[Hubert] head w m born February 1857 age 63; M.[Matilda] J.[Jane] wife w f born October 1840 age 59

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1908 Death of Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton died in Steeleville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 21 January 1908.

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[1] Date of 21 January 1908 and location obtained from Blanton-Harmon family history researcher; Julia (**HARMON**) Blanton.

1908 Burial of Henry Hubert Blanton

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Henry married **Matilda Jane "Janie" Pratt**, daughter of **Henry Pratt** and **Nancy Carter**, on 5 January 1857 in Washington, Missouri, United States. Matilda was born on 20 October 1841 in Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 20 September 1910 in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States at age 68, and was buried in September 1910 in Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

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1841 Birthblock for Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) daughter of Henry & Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) was born in Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 20 October 1841.

Date from 1850 census states she was born 1842 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states she was born 1843 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states she was born 1843 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states she was born 1840 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states she was born October 1840 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1841 in Missouri.

Date from her death certificate states she was born 20 October 1841 in Washington County, Missouri.

1841-1850 Death of father; Henry Pratt

Death of Henry Pratt calculated to be between 1841 and 1850. This deduction derived from the presumption that he conceived his last known child; Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) who was born according to her death certificate 20 October 1841. Going back 9 months from her birth date indicates he was alive February 1841 if... Matilda's birth date is correct. His son; Alexander R. Pratt told his son; Carac Pratt who told his son; Orville Carac Pratt, who told me that Alexander had gone to California in 1848-1849 during the gold rush. Maybe Henry went with the group but he does not show up in the 1850 Crawford County census like Alexander does. I have checked

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available newspapers for that time period but have found no references to Henry Pratt. One of my mentor researchers; Geraldine Mabel (**MILLER**) Reed said that she thought she had seen a court report in one of those books in the Crawford County Courthouse that mentioned Nancy Pratt, widow of Henry Pratt receiving a cash allotment from the County Court. She could not remember where it was or anything more about it. I looked for it when I was at the Courthouse but there are so many books...hundreds that have not been documented but just piled up in the vault that I could not cover all of them and had no time, or luck in finding any information about Henry Pratt. Therefore, Henry Pratt could have died on his way to California or on his return to Missouri. After his death, his widow, Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri to be near her daughter; Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansel family in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri. In 1852, Nancy married widower, Absalom Blanton in Crawford County. Regrettably, due to old age, I must leave the mystery of Henry Pratt's death for the next generation to solve.-Floyd Thomas Pratt 2008

1841-1850 Family Move

Nancy Pratt and family moved from Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to District 24, Crawford, Missouri, United States between 1841-1850. After the death of Henry Pratt, Nancy moved near her daughter's family; Henry H. & Rebecca Susanna (**PRATT**) Hansel family near the New Rock Church area in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1850 Federal Census age 9

District 24, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 244, 8 October 1850, line 6, house 767, family 767

PRATT, N. [Nancy] w f 48; E. [Alexander] w m 18; S. [Sarah] A. [Ann] w f 14; J.[John] A. [Absalom] w m 12; M. [Mary] E. [Elizabeth] w f 11; M. [Matilda] J. [Jane] w f 8

[All born in Tennessee except Matilda Jane was born in Missouri. Next door to Henry & Susanna Rebecca (**PRATT**) Hansell; daughter. Nancy is a widow. Nancy could not read and write. Notice that in the occupation section of the census the census taker wrote "widow" not the usual and customary "farmer". This supports my conclusions that the Pratt's were Cherokee and not farmers.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1857 Marriage of Henry Hubert Blanton and Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT)

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "B", page 198

Henry H. Blanton and Matilda J. Pratt were married on 5 January 1857. Since the Pratts and Blantons were sharing the Blanton Mansion, then they were probably married at the mansion in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1858 Childbirth of son; Henry W. A. Blanton

Henry W. A. Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 25 July 1858.

1860 Federal Census age 19

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 25 July 1860, line 27, house 879, family 869

BLANTON, Henry w m 22; Matilda w f 17; Henry W. w m 2

[All born in Missouri. Henry is a farmer. Living next door to Blanton relatives.]

1861 Childbirth of son; James Blanton

James Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri,

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United States on 9 February 1861.

1863 Childbirth of son; Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton

Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 August 1863.

1864 Spouse's Military Physical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to various men for application for a pension. These records are known as "The John B. Bell Manuscripts" and are housed in the library at the University of Missouri, Rolla, Mo. These physicals took place in Potosi, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: Henry H. Blanton age 28-
Diagnosis: BC palpitation of the heart & and has had mine sickness & subject to epistaxis."
[Palpitation of the heart means that his heart beats at a rapid rate. He is listed next to his brothers Elbert S. and Alexander Blanton.]

1869 Childbirth of son; Jesse Van Buren Blanton

Jesse Van Buren Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 August 1869.

1870 Federal Census age 29

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 20, house 111, family 111

BLANTON, Henry w m 29; Matilda w f 27; Henry A. w m 12; James w m 9; Wesely B. w m 6; Jesse w m 2

[All born in Missouri. Henry works on a farm. Living next door to Blantons.]

1871 Childbirth of son; Wiley Blanton

Wiley Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1871.

1872 Death of step-father; Abraham Absalom Blanton

Abraham Absalom Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

[1] Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322. [There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a landowner and businessman with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1874 Childbirth of son; Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton

Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1874.

1875 Death of mother; Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton

Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton died at the Blanton mansion in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 17 November 1875.

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1876 Childbirth of son; William H. Blanton

William H. Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 April 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 39

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 7 June 1880, line 17, house 3, family 3

BLANTON, H.[Henry] H.[Hubert] head w m 43; M.[Matilda] J.[Jane] wife w f 40; James son w m 19; Valentine son w m 17; Jesse son w m 11; Wiley son w m 9; Edda son w m 7; William son w m 4

[All born in Missouri including parents, except Henry's father born in Kentucky his mother in Tennessee. Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. Henry is a farmer.]

1900 Federal Census age 59

Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 82b, 7 & 8th June 1900, line 78, house 129, family 132

BLANTON, H.[Henry] A.[Hubert] head w m born February 1857 age 63; M.[Matilda] J.[Jane] wife w f born October 1840 age 59

[All born in Missouri, Henry's father born in Kentucky his mother in Tennessee, Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. They have been married for 46 years. Matilda says she has had 9 children born and 6 are living. Henry is renting.]

1908 Death of spouse; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton died in Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 21 January 1908.

1908-1910 Family Move

After the death of her husband, Henry Hubert Blanton in 1908, Matilda moved from Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States to live with her son, Edward Charles Blanton and family.

1910 Federal Census age 69

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 216a, 27 April 1910, line 11, house 191, family 191

BLANTON, Edward C. head w m 36; Rebecca A. wife w f 36; Dema G. dau w f 6; Eva P. dau w f 4; Della M. dau w f 2; Matilda J. mother w f 69

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Rebecca's father born in Illinois and her mother in Kentucky, Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years and Rebecca says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Matilda is a widow and says she has had 9 children born and 6 are living. Edward is a moulder of iron and they are renting.]

1910 Death of Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 20 September 1910.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, File #26955

Jane Blanton white widowed female born 20 October 1841 in Washington, Missouri to Pratt born [unknown] and mother [unknown]. She died 20 September 1910 in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent,

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Missouri, United States. She was buried [no date] in Steeleville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri. Cemetery not listed. The informant was Ed Blanton from Sligo, Missouri.

[2] As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: _

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search> Jane Blanton
September 20, 1910 Dent 26955

1910 Burial of Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Steeleville Cemetery, Steeleville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Matilda was living in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 27 April 1910 with her son, Edward Charles Blanton & family, and she requested to be buried next to her husband; Henry Hubert Blanton in a cemetery near Steeleville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, then in all probability they were both buried in the Steeleville Cemetery, Steeleville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Not all cemeteries around the Steeleville area have been surveyed and maybe their headstones are somewhere yet to be found, checking the local newspapers for that time period may reveal their interment location..

Children from this marriage were:

- + 56 M i. **Henry W. A. Blanton** was born on 25 July 1858 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died after 1920.

Henry married **Martha Brooks** (d. After 1920) on 30 November 1879 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 57 M ii. **James Blanton** was born on 9 February 1861 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 11 June 1933 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 72, and was buried on 13 June 1933 in Woodlawn Cemetery, Leadington, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

James married **Ava C. Hill** (d. 13 October 1957) from 1885 to 1887.
- + 58 M iii. **Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton** was born on 26 August 1863 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 24 February 1926 in 4472 Vista Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 62, and was buried on 27 February 1926 in Valhalla Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Wesley married **Julia Ann H. Benton** (d. 16 July 1909) on 25 April 1886 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 59 M iv. **Jesse Van Buren Blanton** was born on 11 August 1869 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 20 July 1911 in Vandeventer & Kentucky Ave., St. Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 41, and was buried on 23 July 1911 in Edwards Cemetery, Pasty, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Jesse married **Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth Edwards** (d. 5 December 1955) on 20 December 1900 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 60 M v. **Wiley Blanton** was born in 1871 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1880 to 1900 in Washington, Missouri, United States at age 9.
- + 61 M vi. **Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton** was born on 3 April 1874 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 2 October 1963 at age 89, and was

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buried in October 1963 in Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

Charles married **Rebecca Ann "Becky" Edwards** (d. 13 October 1963) on 8 June 1900 in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

- + 62 M vii. **William Blanton** was born on 28 April 1876 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 19 July 1944 in Max C. Starkloff Memorial Hospital, 2220 Lemp Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 68, and was buried on 22 July 1944 in Concordia Lutheran Cemetery, 4209 Bates Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

William married **Anna**.

9. William Wesley Blanton (*Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in March 1839 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 August 1902 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried in August 1902.

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1839 Birthblock of William Wesley Blanton son of Abraham Absalom and Cynthia A. (PRATT) Blanton

William Wesley Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in March 1839.

Date from the 1840 census states he was born

Date from the 1850 census states he was born in 1839 in Missouri.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born in 1839 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born in 1840 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born in 1833 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born March 1834 in Missouri.

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

Therefore I would tend to believe his parents and say 1839.

1840 Federal Census age 1

Once again Absalom managed to elude the census takers and fails to show up in Franklin County where he was living in 1840. I have a theory as to why he tried to disappear from the 1830's to the 1840's...I believe it was because his wife, Cynthia (**PRATT**) was a Cherokee princess as told by Blanton descendants. If she had fallen into the wrong hands during those turbulent years, she could have suffered bodily harm and her family could have been in danger. Nevertheless, Absalom Blanton & family were living outside Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States by 1840. For a complete report concerning the Pratts and the

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Blantons on the "Trail of Tears" read " **Henry Pratt Family of Greene County Tennessee**" © 2003 by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1840-1841 Childbirth of brother; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1840-1841.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County Missouri Deed Record Book Volume "D", page 211, 22 June 1840
Absalom Blanton and Cynthia Blanton sold to G.P. Hardy on 22 June 1840, for \$100 for 40 acres.

*"This deed made this 22nd day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty. Witnessst that Absalom Blanton and Cynthia his wife of the County of Franklin and State of Missouri of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid by G.P. Hardy of this county and state aforesaid of the second part. The receipt wherefore is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain sell and convey and confirms to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land purchased by said Absalom Blanton on the third of September A.D. Eighteen hundred and thirty eight as will made fully apparent a reference from the Books of the United States Registers Office at St. Louis, and the receiver's receipt number ten thousand six hundred and four (10604) designates on the book of said registers office at St. Louis and in said receiver's receipt of Section Number Five in Township Number Forty of Range Number Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing forty acres to have and to hold the said tract of land with all and singular the privileges and appertances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever. The said parties of the first part hereby coveting that they their heirs executors and administrators will warrant and defend the title to the land aforesaid to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs forever against all and every person or persons claiming by through or under them the said parties of the first part. We witness whereof the parties of the first part have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written. Acknowledged in presence of: Thomas Buckner, Joseph Patton
Absalom "X" Blanton and Cynthia "X" Blanton"*

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1840-1849 Family Move

From Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States

1849 Father's Joint Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840___.362 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section 32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton the South West ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section thirty-two in township 40, Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres.

[This property is located off of Highway 202 south of Hamilton Creek near Meramec State

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Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres.]

1849 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 620 & 621, 3 November 1849
A homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty- North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County.
[This property became known as the Blanton Hollow and is now known as Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri. Absalom built a large manison after he developed the land for mining. It is located off of Highway 202 along Hamilton Creek.]

1850 Federal Census age 11

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 26, house 958, family 958

BLANTON, Absalom w m 48; Cynthia w f 40; Alford w m 19; John w m 17; Caroline w f 15; Henry H. w m 13; William w m 11; Martin V. w m 9

[Absalom born in Kentucky the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. Living next to many Pratt and Blanton families.]

1850-1852 Death of mother; Cynthia (PRATT)

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between October 30, 1850 from the census date and March 21, 1852 the date of her husband's 2nd marriage.

Research Note

Verification of date of death and burial location of Cynthia should be obtained from the local newspapers at the time of death. Absalom Blanton was a prominent businessman and employed many of the locals in his mining operations throughout the area. His mansion mentioned in several publications gives credence to his affluent and properous lifestyle. When I checked the newspapers of the Sullivan and surrounding areas back in the late 1970's and early 1980's, I did not know as much as I do now and overlooked key elements that I was not aware would be of value and interest to the Blanton-Pratt family history research community. Now, it is your turn to dig into those newspapes and extract the valuable and needed information to verify and answer some of the mysteries of these families.

1851 Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "H", page 617, 15 November 1851
"This Deed made and entered into this fifteenth day of November Eighteen hundred and fifty-one by and between George T. Westover and Nancy Jane Westover his wife of the first part of Crawford County and State of Missouri and Absalom Blanton of Washington County and State aforesaid of the second part ?? That the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred dollars to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part receipt whereof is herby conveyed and acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and ssll convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever the following described lots pieces and parcels of land. Towit: The north half [N½] of lot number one[1] south west quarter [SW¼] of

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Section number thirty [30] in Township number forty [40] of range number one west [1W] containing forty acres also, the north half [N½] of lot number two [2] of the southwest quarter [SW¼] of section number [30] in township number forty [40] of range one west [1W] containing forty-five acres."

[George T. & Nancy Jane Westover sell 40 acres for \$300: N½ of L1, SW¼ of S30 in T40 R1W and N½ of lot L2 SW¼ of Section 30 in T40 R1W containing 45 acres on 16 November 1851.

[This property is located right in the middle of the Meramec State Park. When the Corp. of Engineers were going to put in a dam in the early 1970's they bought all the property from landowners in and around the park which was to be flooded by the proposed lake. After the project was defeated by the local citizens, the government failed to return the property to private hands but kept the best land and expanded the Meramec State Park to its present boundaries.]

1852 Father's marriage of widower Abraham Absalom Blanton and widow Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "I", page 208 21 March 1852 Absalom Blanton and widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt were married on 21 March 1852. Groom from Washington County, Missouri.

Research Note

This marriage was probably a marriage of convenience. Absalom and Nancy were white with no native ancestry whereas, their children were ½ Cherokee. After the death of Henry Pratt; full blooded Cherokee and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton; full blooded Cherokee, then Absalom and Nancy found themselves still interacting with their children whom had intermarried through 5 connections. Henry had died after the birth of his daughter; Matilda in 1841, and I presume he may have been the one mentioned in the diary of David Staples as they recorded on the way out to the 1848-1849 gold rush in California. David Staples diary stated, *"On May 27th, Staples wrote of Indians, mule trouble, double-teaming the wagons through the wet prairie, a party....returning haveing lost a husband father and friend of Cholera."* *Who this was and the party that returned is not mentioned. But, on June 8th, George Winslow died in Nebraska from cholera. David Staples and party continued on to California and in 1862 was one of the founders of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, in San Francisco.* [See C2G Profile for Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt for complete details.] Cynthia died between 1850-1852. With such a rich history of family ties and coupled with the convenience of Absalom Blanton's large house and well to do financial circumstances, then this marriage seemed convenient for both parties and I am sure was accepted by the children with astounding approval.

1859 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 11, May 27, 1859

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from John Wiley Pinnell at one undivided one fourth [¼] part of the west fractional half [W½] of north east quarter [NE¼] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1859 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 12, June 1, 1859:

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Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from Calvin V. Lynch and wife Matilda at west fractional half [W½] of north east quarter [NE¼] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1860 Federal Census age 21

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 25 July 1860, line 34, house 882, family 872

BLANTON, Absalom w m 55; Nancy w f 56; William W. w m 21; Martin w m 20

[Absalom born in Kentucky, Nancy born in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. They were living in the Blanton Mansion in Blanton Hollow.]

1867 Marriage of William Wesley Blanton and Mary Ann (BLANTON)

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "C" 1858-1874, page 109

William W. Blanton and Mary A. (**BLANTON**) were married on 8 October 1867.

1868 Childbirth of son; Charles W. "Charley" Blanton

Charles W. "Charley" Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 31

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 99a, 17 August 1870, line 5, house 114, family 114

BLANTON, William w m 30; Mary A.. w f 24; Charles W. w m 2

[All born in Missouri. William is a day lanborer. Living next door to father and brothers.]

1872 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

Sarah Ann (**BLANTON**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 27 November 1872.

1873 Childbirth of daughter; Bethany (BLANTON)

Bethany (**BLANTON**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1873.

1873-1876 Family Move

From near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1876 Childbirth of daughter; Katherine Jane "Jennie" (BLANTON)

Katherine Jane "Jennie" (**BLANTON**) was born Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States in 5 April 1876.

1879 Childbirth of son; Luther "Joker" Blanton

Luther "Joker" Blanton was born near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 21 November 1879.

1880 Federal Census age 41

Village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 454a, 1 June

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1880, line 47, house 7, family 8

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m 47; Maryan wife w f 34; Charles son w m 12; Sarah A. dau w f 10; Bethinia dau w f 7; Jennie dau w f 5; Luther son w m 7months

[All born in Missouri as was thier parents except Mary Ann's parents born in Kentucky. William is a laborer.]

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1883 Death of daughter; Bethany (BLANTON)

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1884 Childbirth of son; William Robert General Lee Blanton

William Robert General Lee Blanton was born near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 30 April 1884.

1884-1900 Family Move

From near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census age 61

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9a, 6 June 1900, line 73, house 160, family 165

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m born March 1834 age 66; Mary A.. wife w f born February 1847 age 53; Sarah A. dau w f born November 1872 age 27; Jennie dau w f born April 1878 age 22; Luthor son w m born September 1881age18; Robert J. son w m born April 1884 age16

[All born in Missouri as was thier parents except William's parents born in Tennessee. they have been married for 30 years. Mary Ann says she had six children born 4 are living. William is a farmer and they are renting.]

1902 Death of spouse; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 August 1902.

Research Note

Locating a headstone for William Wesley Blanton has been difficult. Some believe he died in Bonne Terre however, he did make it to Sullivan by the 6 June 1900 census. They could have moved back to the Bonne Terre region before he died. One needs to check the local newspapers of Sullivan and Bonne Terre to see when and where he actually died and a possible burial location. One should be mindful that Mary Ann stated that William was an invalid and had to be carried around and attended to on a 24 hour basis.

1970 Newspaper Article

St. Joe's Oldest Pensioner

Thirty-three years ago, June 1, 1937, Mr. Luther Blanton, 518 North Pine in Bonne Terre, Missouri, started his long life of leisure as a St. Joe pensioner. A visit to Mr. Blanton's home

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this past month for an interview found him on his way to his garden spot with a small box of tomato plants. He stated that he still does some gardening at his advanced age but he is limited by poor vision.

Mr. Blanton told us that he was born on a farm near Sullivan, Missouri, September 21, 1869, the son of William Wesley and Mary Ann Blanton. St. Joe records give Mr. Blanton's birthdate as September 21, 1871, which Mr. Blanton says is in error by two years. (Give or take a year or so, there isn't anyone around to dispute his 1869 birthdate.) He is the youngest of six children; two brothers, Charley and William Lee; three sisters, Sarah, Nancy and Jenny, all of whom died many years ago. His father was of French and Indian origin and his mother of Indian origin.

He recalled working on the family farm and in the timber before coming to Bonne Terre in 1901.

Mr. Blanton's name first appeared on St. Joe payrolls in November 1906 when he began work in the Bonne Terre Yard department. His jobs were those of caring for the stock on the company farm, section hand for the M.R. & B.T. Railway (a subsidiary of St. Joe at that time), crusherman, chat drag man, table man and laborer in the Bonne Terre mill. His last job prior to retirement in 1937 was that of watchman at the Bonne Terre yard. He mentioned the names of Hobbs, Kuchlin, McFarland, Donnegan, Delno and Aubuchon as some of his St. Joe foremen.

When asked to what he attributed his longevity, he said, "Indians live to be old and my mom was of the Cherokee Indian origin and lived to be over 100 years of age and I guess I take after her. I worked hard all during my life and I've never been married." (Author unknown newspaper unknown)

Research Note

Since William Luther "Joker" Blanton died on 18 October 1970 and this article starts out stating that 33 years ago on 1 June 1937, which, when you add 33 years to 1937 you get 1970, then this article was written in 1970 and before he died on the 18th of October 1970.

This article is another example of a Cherokee heritage mentioned on both sides of Luther's parentage. This means the Pratts, Blantons and Harmons had Cherokee ancestry since Abraham Absalom and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton were the ancestors of Luther's father; William Wesley Blanton and Joshua and Bethanie "Nancy" (**HARMON**) Blanton were the ancestors of Luther's mother; Mary Ann (**BLANTON**).

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton and sister to Henry Pratt was always known by her descendants as a Cherokee princess. Thus the Cherokee connection through the Pratts. Bethanie's mother; Sarah (**LUSTER**) as the story goes was full blooded Cherokee. Stephen Nicholas "Nick" Harmon decided to look for his lost brother who was lost somewhere in the hills of Tennessee. Along his journey, Stephen Harmon met and became enchanted with this Cherokee beauty, named Sarah (**LUSTER**) and decided to marry her. So, in 1799 he married her in Greene County, Tennessee. Therefore, since Stephen Nicholas "Nick" and Sarah (**LUSTER**) Harmon are the parents of Bethanie "Nancy" (**HARMON**) Blanton, then this would make her ½ Cherokee, and Joshua and Bethanie's daughter; Mary Ann (**BLANTON**), Luther's mother, would have been ¼ Cherokee.

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William married **Mary Ann Blanton**, daughter of **Joshua Blanton** and **Bethanie "Nancy" Harmon**, on 8 October 1867 in Franklin, Missouri, United States. Mary was born on 20 February 1847 in Fredericktown, Saint Michael Twp, Madison, Missouri, United States, died on 7 August 1940 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 93, and was buried on 9 August 1940 in Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Mary Ann (BLANTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2010

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1847 Birthblock of Mary Ann (BLANTON) daughter of Joshua & Bethanie "Nancy" (HARMON) Blanton

Mary Ann (**BLANTON**) was born in Fredericktown, Saint Michael Twp, Madison, Missouri, United States on 20 February 1847.

Date from 1850 census states she was born 1846 in Missouri.

Date from 1860 census states she was born 1844 in Missouri. (twice)

Date from 1860 census states she was born 1846 in Missouri. (twice)

Date from 1870 census states she was born 1846 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states she was born 1846 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states she was born February 1847 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1851 in Missouri.

Date from 1920 census states she was born 1842 in Missouri.

Date from 1930 census states she was born 1817 in Missouri.

Date from 1940 census states she was born

Date from the 1940 article states she was born 20 February 1816 in Fredericktown, Saint Michael Twp, Madison County, Missouri, United States.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 20 February 1816 in Madison County, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states she was born Feb. 20, 1816

Date from the obituary states she was born 1822.

Research Note

This birth location is based on Mary Ann's recollection in 1940. We know her parents had moved to Scott County, Missouri by 1842 according to Goodspeed, however, when her parents moved to Madison County, Missouri can only be verified by checking the deed records to see if Joshua bought property and when. As far as her birth year goes, the census records verify 1847-1850 birth range and those who continue to claim she was born in 1816-1822 are contributors to an old woman's delusions.

1842-1847 Family Move

Came from Scott County, Missouri to Fredericktown, Saint Michael Twp, Madison, Missouri, United States between 1848-1849.

1849-1850 Family Move

Moved from Fredericktown, Saint Michael Twp, Madison, Missouri, United States to

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Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1850 Childbirth of brother; William Joshua Blanton

William Joshua Blanton was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 10 September 1850.

1850 Federal Census age 3

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 156b, 30 October 1850, line 30, house 950, family 950

BLANTON, Joshua w m 49; Bethany w f 46; Stephen w m 21; Ruth A. w f 24; John w m 20; Peter w m 16; Sally A. w f 13; Vincent w m 11; Martha w f 11; Margaret w f 10; Mary w f 4; Joshua w m 1mos

[Joshua born in Kentucky, Bethany, Stephen, Ruth, John, Peter, Sally, Vincent in Virginia, Martha and the rest in Missouri. Joshua is a farmer.]

1850-1860 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

1860 Federal Census (twice) age 13

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 130, 25 July 1860, line 19, house 878, family 868

BLANTON, Joshua w m 54, Bethany w f 50; Vinson w m 21; Mary w f 16; Joshua w m 13 MO

[Joshua, Bethany and Vincent were born in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri. Joshua is a farmer.]

Research Note

It appears that Joshua and family moved into the Absalom Blanton mansion with the others for a period in July 1860. He is recorded with the family and moved shortly two days later over by Harrison Mills Post Office area in Liberty Twp, Crawford County, Missouri. A full report on the unique relationship that the Absalom Blanton mines offered relatives is covered in my book..."**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**" © 2002._

1860 Family Move

From near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

1860 Federal Census (twice) age 13

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 864, 27 July 1860, line 5, house 665, family 659:

BLANTON, Joshua w m 59; Bethany w f 54; Vinson w m 22; Mary w f 14; Joshua w m 9

[Joshua born in Kentucky, Bethany and Vincent born in Tennessee, Mary and Joshua born in Missouri. This family is also in 1860 Saint Francois County census. Joshua is a farmer.]

1861 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford, Missouri, Deed Record Book "H", page 360 dated 4 January 1861
Joshua Blanton to Ross M. Crow nw ft1/4 sw1/4 ne1/4 Sec 25 T40n r2w

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[This property is located near the Meramec River, southwest of Sullivan in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States]

1861-1870 Parent's Family Move

From near Sullivan in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1867 Marriage of William Wesley Blanton and Mary Ann (BLANTON)

Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "C" 1858-1874, page 109
William W. Blanton and Mary A. (**BLANTON**) were married on 8 October 1867.

1868 Childbirth of son; Charles W. "Charley" Blanton

Charles W. "Charley" Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 23

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 99a, 17 August 1870, line 5, house 114, family 114

BLANTON, William w m 30; Mary A. w f 24; Charles W. w m 2

[All born in Missouri. William is a day laborer. Living next door to father and brothers.]

1872 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

Sarah Ann (**BLANTON**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 27 November 1872.

1873 Childbirth of daughter; Bethany (BLANTON)

Bethany (**BLANTON**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1873.

1873-1876 Family Move

From near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1876 Childbirth of daughter; Katherine Jane "Jennie" (BLANTON)

Katherine Jane "Jennie" (**BLANTON**) was born Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States in 5 April 1876.

1879 Childbirth of son; Luther "Joker" Blanton

Luther "Joker" Blanton was born near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 21 November 1879.

1880 Federal Census age 33

Village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 454a, 1 June 1880, line 47, house 7, family 8

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m 47; Maryann wife w f 34; Charles son w m 12; Sarah A. dau w f 10; Bethania dau w f 7; Jennie dau w f 5; Luther son w m 7 months

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's parents born in Kentucky. William is a laborer.]

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1881 Death of son; Charles W. "Charley" Blanton

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From near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census age 53

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9a, 6 June 1900, line 73, house 160, family 165

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m born March 1834 age 66; Mary A.. wife w f born February 1847 age 53; Sarah A. dau w f born November 1872 age 27; Jennie dau w f born April 1878 age 22; Luthor son w m born September 1881 age 18; Robert J. son w m born April 1884 age 16

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1900-1910 Family Move

From Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Short Street, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1910 Federal Census age 63

Short Street, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 82b, 22 April 1910, line 75, house 219, family 226

BLANTON, Merry A. head w f 59; Jennie K. dau w f 28; Luther son w m 27; Lee G. son w m 23; **PULLEN**, Edward son-n-law w m 27; Sarah A.. dau w f 28; Bessie M. granddau w f 3; Monta grandson w m 2months

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[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's father was born in Kentucky, her mother born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and says she has had 6 children born and 4 are living. This is Sarah and Edward's first marriage and they have been married for 3 years Sarah says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Edward works in the lead mines. They are renting.]

1920 Federal Census age 73

Summitt Street, Bonne Terre City, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, pages 42a & b, 26 January 1920, line 45, house 635, family 648

BLANTON, Mary A. head w f 78; Luther son w m 45; William L. son w m 38; Catherine J. dau w f 40; **PULLEN**, Sarah A. dau w f 49; Bessie M. gdau w f 12; [page 42b] Martin gson w m 9

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's father was born in Kentucky, her mother born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and renting. Luther works in the lead mine. Catherine and Sarah are washerwomen.]

1930 Federal Census age 83

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, pages 110b, 16 April 1930, line 51; house 28, family 28

BLANTON, Luther head w m 57; Mary Ann mother w f 113; **PULLEN**, Sarah sister w f 70; **BLANTON**, Robert brother w m 50; **PULLEN**, Monte nephew w m 19;

MAGEE, Golda adopted daug w f 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's parents were born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and renting. Sarah is a widow. Luther works in the lead mine. Robert works for the railroad. Monte works in asyrup factory.]

1940 Newspaper: Bonne Terre Bulletin August 15, 1940:

INDIAN WOMAN LIVING NEAR BONNE TERRE OLDEST RESIDENT OF LEAD BELT

Living until one lacks but a little over two months of reaching the ripe old age of 118 falls to the lot of few people, but Bonne Terre, Mo., houses Mary Ann Blanton, a Cherokee Indian Woman, who will reach that age if she lived until next Feb. 20th.

Born near what is now known as Fredericktown on Feb 20, 1816, one of a family of 14, 8 sisters and 5 brothers, all of whom have passed away, the daughter of Nick Harmon, an Indian who strayed from his tribe in search of a lost brother and met his wife in the Tennessee Mountains and after marriage migrated to Madison Co., Mo. Her mother was a half breed and aside from the knowledge that she came from Tennessee she knows little relative to her mother's antecedents.

Her memory of early life is summed up in her statement that she worked hard from early until lots as far back as she can remember doing the chores that were in those days the lot of all tribal women, though she never spent any time with a tribe, her entire life having been spent in Madison, Franklin and St. Francois Co., Mo.

Her marriage to William Blanton a full-blooded Cherokee Indian, occurred in 1857, though she cannot recollect the date. This union took place in Sullivan, MO., and the ceremony was performed by Squire Sam Melvin, at the home of her brother, who resided in Sullivan.

When asked about her marriage license, she stated, "Why son, there was no such thing in

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those days, and the only record I had was in a book that I kept which was destroyed when our entire house and all the belongings were burned some years back." When asked how long ago this fire occurred, she stated, "too long ago for me to remember."

Asked about her family, she said: "Well, I wasn't married until I was an old woman, yet I had 6 children by my husband who died Aug. 2, 1902, after being invalid for over 15 years, that I had to carry around to move him and feed him like a baby."

Of the 6 children, Charles Blanton died at age of 13 and Bethany Blanton died at age of 10, the remainder are alive. The oldest is a daughter, Mrs. Sarah Pullen, who resides in Granite City, IL. and is past 75 years of age. Her daughter, Catherine Blanton, aged 66, and son Luther Blanton aged 62, both living with their mother, were born in the little shack in the woods that she has called home for so many years she can't remember. The youngest son, Robert Lee Blanton is aged 58 and also lives in Granite City.

Her early married life was spent on the banks of the Meramec River, but she and her husband moved so frequently along the river that she was unable to definitely designate the place. Her most vivid recollection and the most outstanding memories are those of the Civil War, the havoc of which impressed itself on her memory and about which she talks as though it was yesterday.

The devastation in some of the regions through which she and her husband traveled and the gruesomeness of some of the scenes they witnessed made an indelible impression, which even now she talks about with considerable feeling though she cannot give any details relative to any particular incident, passing it off with the statement, "there was so much happened in those days that was terrible, that no one incident during the war was impressed itself more fully than another."

Her earliest recollection of what is now known as Bonne Terre and dating back 60 years was its barrenness without a single house in what is now the principle city in the Lead Belt. "There was not a single house there, with the exception of a couple log huts located on what is now called the slime branch," she said. She remembers distinctly when Firmin Desloge did his first mining in what is now called No. 3 shaft, but never took much interest in it because she did not know what good would come of getting lead.

"During the Civil War", she said "we lived in what is now called Flat River, and I sure remember the shots going through our house and the army men tearing up our house which comprised four rough walls, with only a partial roof and destroyed what little we had and left us to wander homeless and that show we drifted to where we are now."

Mrs. Blanton was asked to what she attributed her old age, and she answered she thought it was just a family habit to live long stating that her cousin, Bethany Blanton died at age 104 and spent her entire life along the Merrimac and outdoors, while her husband's uncle, Uncle Vincent Blanton lived in Kansas City and died at age 108.

Did you ever drink, asked the reporter, to which she replied: "I had the dyspepsia once and folks told me to drink whiskey and I did just that and it cured me, but I haven't drank none since, 'cause I haven't had no more dyspepsia."

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Did you ever smoke? "Oh yes, until after the war when I got out of the notion and haven't smoked since that time. In fact, I haven't any desire for it except occassionly."

What church are you a member of next queried the writer. "None was the prompt reply, "never was inside one don't know nothing about it." Have you had much illness Mrs. Blanton, was the next query. "No, never had but two doctors in my life , once I had typhoid fever before I was married and the other time when I wrenched my back trying to lift my husband out of bed, and Dr. Evans of Bonne Terre kind of fixed me up."

Did you ever travel by train or otherwise? "Never been anywhere except the foot traveling with my husband except once I visited my daughter in Granite City, Ill."

How did you live during 15 years that your husband was an invalid? What source of income did your husband have before his illness? "Well, my usual day's work consisted of hacking 10 cords of wood a day and a cord of wood was nothing for me to turn out. I did this even when Mr. Blanton was alive and just continued it. Of course, we had no comforts life you all have today, " she said, "we had no lamps, stoves, beds and our meals consisted mostly of milk and mush. We cooked by open fire which also provided our heat in cold weather and had scaffolds in the wall which we used for beds. We made our own clothes by spinning and weaving. I still eat 3 times a day, when I can get it, but that's not often. I haven't a tooth in my mouth, but my digestion is good, and the only physical trouble I have is occassionaly with my heart."

Did you ever go to a dance or show? "No, I don't believe in them. They're not good for folks and shouldn't be allowed."

Did you ever go to town? "What for? I've nothing to go for and am not able to walk and haven't any other way to get there, so I never leave the place."

She lives on the McGahan place now owned by St. Joseph Lead. The place is rather dilapidated in appearance, but well kept inside and Mrs. Blanton walked down the 3 steps leading from one room the other, carrying a chair for fear that there were not enough chairs in the kitchen.

At the close of the interview she asked for a photograph of herself. Only has one large portrait saved from the fire and it is not good likeness, she says. Her daughter took the portrait from the wall and the reporter was astounded, It portrayed a woman in her early 20's, with blue eyes full of expression and a beautiful head of hair and really a marvelously beautiful creature to look upon. The clothing was indicative of apparel the equal of which the reportorial eys had never heretofore perceived, but most becoming.

A tightly fitting costume indicated a figure that would make the modern flapper envy the owner. Stately, with a piercing look that at once expressed determination and kindness was so apparent that one could not help taking a look at the woman before him and register the thought that here was a character that would defy hardships, conclude any undertaking started, and yet possessed of that womanliness that appeals to every human.

118 yrs. is a long time to live, but one look at the young woman portrait spells the answer to why the pioneers of earlier days succeeded so well in their every undertaking.

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Wrinkled and wearing a man's overcoat this 118 year old indian woman left one feeling that the present generation really knows nothing of hardships and this despite the period of depression that has given the majority of us "heeby geebies" and made then feel that life is hardly worth living. After listening to this aged woman, who experienced every hardship conceivable, who never enjoyed any of the modern comforts, who knows not the consolation of religion, who can neither read nor write and never attended a school, one cannot help but leave there with a thought that this is a good old world to live in. (Author unknown)

Research Note

The above article was given to me by Gerladine Mabel (**MILLER**) Reed, Desloge, MO. Her notes are as follows. *Mary Ann Blanton daughter of Joshua (brother to Adsalom) and Behany (**HARMON**) Blanton wife of William Wesley Blanton, son of Absalom and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton was born 1847, maybe in Madison Co, MO. Family came to Scott Co., MO in 1842, according to Goodspeed. Her Father did spend part of Civil War years in St. Francois Co., MO. after having first settled in Washington Co., MO. by 1850. Mary ann was married 1867. Came to Bonne Terre by 1880. Died August 7, 1940. Nick Harmon was her grandfather? Was he the brother of Isaac Harmon of Pendelton Co., VA whose brother went west into the mountains and was never heard of again? William Blanton was not a full-blooded Cherokee. Was the son of Absalom and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton. Mabel Reed*

Research Note

The above article has a great deal of historical facts mixed with erroneous dates. At her age, she must have been very sick when this was written. Mary Ann died on the 7th of August 1940. Concerning Mable's comment that William, Mary Ann's husband was not a full blooded cherokee I will address this issue. At the time of this article in 1940, it was an embarrassment to claim indian ancestry in your family. For Mary Ann to have made up this relationship to the Cherokees would have brought shame and condemnation to her family. Also, why acknowledge the relationship if it wasn't true. Mabel I feel carried that blind sigmatism with her and like me failed to acknowledge that relationship the Pratts and the Blantons had, which extened far beyond the Missouri marriages. I believe Mary Ann was right in claiming she and her husband were Cherokee indians. Floyd Thomas Pratt 2002

I asked Mabel where she got her information that the Blantons and Pratts **were not** indians and she said she just "felt" Mary Ann was wrong in the above article. So, I asked Mabel, what documetnation does she have to the contrary of Mary Ann's story and she said none, it was her own opinion. However, in several of Mabel's documents and letters back in the 1970's she alluded to the realization that the Pratts and Blantons may have had Cherokee ancestry. She did not have the opportunity to read my book, "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**" © 2002, which presents proof of a Cherokee ancestry. Therefore the reader should not put much credibility into Mabels comments in her latter years and focus more on the facts.

Concerning Mary Ann's statements in the above article, one gets the impression that she was having a great deal of fun with the reporter. Looking at her census information she was very consistant with the 1847-1848 birthyear until she reached the 1930 census where she was having fun and seeking attention. I have noticed that older people try and say outrageous things in order to get attention and this atricle proves Mary Ann was having fun.

I laugh at all of you, who continue to post her 1816-1822 birth delusions because of your

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failure to do your research homework concerning her life. Floyd Thomas Pratt 2012

1940 Death of Mary Ann (BLANTON) Blanton

Mary Ann (BLANTON) Blanton died in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 7 August 1940.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Death certificate #29529. Mary Ann Blanton widow born 20 Feb 1860 died 7 Aug 1940. Living in Bonne Terre. St. Francois Co., MO for the last 90yrs. Age at death 124yrs 5mos 7days. Born in Madison Co., MO. Father: Joshua Blanton born TN, Mother: Bethany Harmon born TN. Informant Luther Blanton.

Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #29529

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Mary A. Blanton August __, 1940 St. Francois 29529

[<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>](http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search)

[2] Date from obituary states she died 7 August 1940 on North Big River

1940 Burial of Mary Ann (BLANTON) Blanton

Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

Find A Grave Memorial# 79099430

1940 Obituary August 22, 1940, Newspaper unknown:

MARY ANN BLANTON DIES AT THE AGE OF 105

Mary Ann Blanton, who claimed to be the oldest citizen of St. Francois county did at her home near Big River Wednesday last following a long and active pioneer life. Mrs. Blanton was the daughter of Joshua and Nancy Harmon Blanton. She was born in Madison County near Fredericktown, February 20, 1835.

In 1885 she was married to her first cousin, William Blanton. To this union six children were born three of whom are still living: two daughters, Mrs. Sarah Pullin, aged 67, Catherine Jane Blanton, aged 63, and one son, Luther, 61, all living at home. Mrs. Blanton was the granddaughter of NICK HARMON who married a halfbreed Indian girl while looking for his brother in Tennessee, who had married a Cherokee Indian. In 1814, Nancy Harmon, Nick's daughter was married to Joshua Blanton, Mary Ann's father. There were fourteen children born to this union.

Mary Ann Blanton was a Free Will Baptist, having joined that church when a young girl. She continued to visit her relatives in St. Louis and Illinois as long as she was able to travel and until a few years ago, kept up with her brothers and knew where they were located. In 1921 her only living brother, John A. Blanton, retired wagon maker and blacksmith, died at the age of 99 years. Up to five years before his death he owned and operated a blacksmith shop in Sullivan, with the help of his son Charles. At the time of her death, Mary Ann Blanton was 105 years, 5 months, 17 days old. She is survived by three children, two grand-children and five great-grand children.

[Newspaper unknown. As you can see many inconsistencies concerning her past when confronted with the proven facts. However, valuable information concerning the trials of survival of pioneer life.FTP]

1970 Newspaper Article

St. Joe's Oldest Pensioner

Thirty-three years ago, June 1, 1937, Mr. Luther Blanton, 518 North Pine in Bonne Terre, Missouri, started his long life of leisure as a St. Joe pensioner. A visit to Mr. Blanton's home

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this past month for an interview found him on his way to his garden spot with a small box of tomato plants. He stated that he still does some gardening at his advanced age but he is limited by poor vision.

Mr. Blanton told us that he was born on a farm near Sullivan, Missouri, September 21, 1869, the son of William Wesley and Mary Ann Blanton. St. Joe records give Mr. Blanton's birthdate as September 21, 1871, which Mr. Blanton says is in error by two years. (Give or take a year or so, there isn't anyone around to dispute his 1869 birthdate.) He is the youngest of six children; two brothers, Charley and William Lee; three sisters, Sarah, Nancy and Jenny, all of whom died many years ago. His father was of French and Indian origin and his mother of Indian origin.

He recalled working on the family farm and in the timber before coming to Bonne Terre in 1901.

Mr. Blanton's name first appeared on St. Joe payrolls in November 1906 when he began work in the Bonne Terre Yard department. His jobs were those of caring for the stock on the company farm, section hand for the M.R. & B.T. Railway (a subsidiary of St. Joe at that time), crusherman, chat drag man, table man and laborer in the Bonne Terre mill. His last job prior to retirement in 1937 was that of watchman at the Bonne Terre yard. He mentioned the names of Hobbs, Kuchlin, McFarland, Donnegan, Delno and Aubuchon as some of his St. Joe foremen.

When asked to what he attributed his longevity, he said, "Indians live to be old and my mom was of the Cherokee Indian origin and lived to be over 100 years of age and I guess I take after her. I worked hard all during my life and I've never been married." (Author unknown newspaper unknown)

Research Note

Since William Luther "Joker" Blanton died on 18 October 1970 and this article starts out stating that 33 years ago on 1 June 1937, which, when you add 33 years to 1937 you get 1970, then this article was written in 1970 and before he died on the 18th of October 1970.

This article is another example of a Cherokee heritage mentioned on both sides of Luther's parentage. This means the Pratts, Blantons and Harmons had Cherokee ancestry since Abraham Absalom and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton were the ancestors of Luther's father; William Wesley Blanton and Joshua and Bethanie "Nancy" (**HARMON**) Blanton were the ancestors of Luther's mother; Mary Ann (**BLANTON**).

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton and sister to Henry Pratt was always known by her descendants as a Cherokee princess. Thus the Cherokee connection through the Pratts. Bethanie's mother; Sarah (**LUSTER**) as the story goes was full blooded Cherokee. Stephen Nicholas "Nick" Harmon decided to look for his lost brother who was lost somewhere in the hills of Tennessee. Along his journey, Stephen Harmon met and became enchanted with this Cherokee beauty, named Sarah (**LUSTER**) and decided to marry her. So, in 1799 he married her in Greene County, Tennessee. Therefore, since Stephen Nicholas "Nick" and Sarah (**LUSTER**) Harmon are the parents of Bethanie "Nancy" (**HARMON**) Blanton, then this would make her ½ Cherokee, and Joshua and Bethanie's daughter; Mary Ann (**BLANTON**), Luther's mother, would have been ¼ Cherokee.

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 63 M i. **Charles W. "Charley" Blanton** was born in 1868 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died in 1881 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 13.
- + 64 F ii. **Sarah Ann Blanton** was born on 27 November 1872 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 25 December 1953 in 518 North Pine, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried on 27 December 1953 in Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Sarah married **Edward "Eddie" Pullen** (d. 16 November 1953) on 18 February 1907 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 65 F iii. **Bethany Blanton** was born in 1873 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died in 1883 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 10.
- + 66 F iv. **Catherine Jane "Jennie" Blanton** was born on 5 April 1876 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 5 October 1941 in Missouri State Hospital #4, near Farmington, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 65, and was buried on 7 October 1941 in Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 67 M v. **William Luther "Joker" Blanton** was born on 21 November 1879 near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 18 October 1970 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 90, and was buried on 21 October 1970 in Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 68 M vi. **William Robert General Lee Blanton** was born on 30 April 1884 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 24 May 1936 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 52, and was buried on 26 May 1936 in Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

10. Martin Van Buren Blanton (*Abraham Absalom*¹) was born from 1840 to 1841 in Franklin, Missouri, United States and died from after 25 July 1860 to 1870 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1840-1841 Birthblock of Martin Van Buren Blanton son of Abraham Absalom and Cynthia A. (PRATT) Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1840-1841.

Date from 1850 census states he was born in 1841.

Date from 1860 census states he was born in 1840.

Therefore his birth was 1840-1841 in Franklin Co., MO.

1840 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County Missouri Deed Record Book Volume "D", page 211, 22 June 1840

Absalom Blanton and Cynthia Blanton sold to G.P. Hardy on 22 June 1840, for \$100 for 40 acres.

"This deed made this 22nd day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty.

Witnessst that Absalom Blanton and Cynthia his wife of the County of Franklin and State of

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Missouri of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid by G.P. Hardy of this county and state aforesaid of the second part. The receipt wherefore is hereby acknowledged do grant bargain sell and convey and confirms to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract of land purchased by said Absalom Blanton on the third of September A.D. Eighteen hundred and thirty eight as will made fully apparent a reference from the Books of the United States Registers Office at St. Louis, and the receiver's receipt number ten thousand six hundred and four (10604) designates on the book of said registers office at St. Louis and in said receiver's receipt of Section Number Five in Township Number Forty of Range Number Two West of the Fifth Principal Meridian containing forty acres to have and to hold the said tract of land with all and singular the privileges and appertances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining unto the said G.P. Hardy his heirs and assigns forever. The said parties of the first part hereby coveting that they their heirs executors and administrators will warrant and defend the title to the land aforesaid to the said G.P. Hardy his heirs forever against all and every person or persons claiming by through or under them the said parties of the first part. We witness whereof the parties of the first part have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written. Acknowledged in presence of: Thomas Buckner, Joseph Patton
"X" Blanton and Cynthia "X" Blanton" Absalom

[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meamec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

1840-1849 Family Move

From Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri United States

1849 Father's Joint Property Transaction

U.S. General Land Office Records, 1796-1907

Name:Renard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton Issue Date:1 June 1849 State of Record:Missouri Acres:40 Accession Number:MO0840__362 Metes and Bounds:No Land Office:St. Louis Canceled:No US Reservations:No Mineral Reservations:No Authority:April 24, 1820: Sale-Cash Entry (3 Stat. 566) Document Number:16083 Legal Land Description: Section 32, Twp 40-N, Range 1-W, Meridian 5th PM Counties Washington Rinard Kimberlin and Absalom Blanton the South West ¼ of the North West ¼ of Section thirty-two in township 40, Range one west, in the district land subject to sale at St. Louis, Missouri containing forty acres. [This property is located off of Highway 202 south of Hamilton Creek near Meramec State Park in Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres.]

1849 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County Missouri Deed Record Book "H", page 620 & 621, 3 November 1849
A homestead in connection therewith and more particular by as described as follows to wit the seven acres unto of the Northwest corner of the South West Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine of Township Forty- North of Range One- West of 5th RM (SW SW 29.40 1W) being the tract of land conveyed to A. Blanton by deed dated Nov 3rd 1849 of Benjamin Soulard, Francis W. Kirkpatrick and Charles Bracken which deed was filed June 12th 1854 and recorded in book "H" Page 620 & 621 of the records of Washington County.
[This property became known as the Blanton Hollow and is now known as Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri. Absalom built a large manison after he developed the land for mining. It is located off of Highway 202 along Hamilton Creek.]

1850 Federal Census age 9

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Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 26, house 958, family 958

BLANTON, Absalom w m 48; Cynthia w f 40; Alford w m 19; John w m 17; Caroline w f 15; Henry H. w m 13; William w m 11; Martin V. w m 9

[Absalom born in Kentucky the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. Living next to many Pratt and Blanton families.]

1850-1852 Death of mother; Cynthia (PRATT)

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between October 30, 1850 from the census date and March 21, 1852 the date of her husband's 2nd marriage.

Research Note

Verification of date of death and burial location of Cynthia should be obtained from the local newspapers at the time of death. Absalom Blanton was a prominent businessman and employed many of the locals in his mining operations throughout the area. His mansion mentioned in several publications gives credence to his affluent and properous lifestyle. When I checked the newspapers of the Sullivan and surrounding areas back in the late 1970's and early 1980's, I did not know as much as I do now and overlooked key elements that I was not aware would be of value and interest to the Blanton-Pratt family history research community. Now, it is your turn to dig into those newspaperes and extract the valuable and needed information to verify and answer some of the mysteries of these families.

1851 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "H", page 617, 15 November 1851

"This Deed made and entered into this fifteenth day of November Eighteen hundred and fifty-one by and between George T. Westover and Nancy Jane Westover his wife of the first part of Crawford County and State of Missouri and Absalom Blanton of Washington County and State aforsaid of the second part ?? That the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred dollars to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part receipt whereof is herby conveyed and acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and ssll convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever the following described lots pieces and parcels of land. Towit: The north half [N½] of lot number one[1] south west quarter [SW¼] of Section number thirty [30] in Township number forty [40] of range number one west [1W] containing forty acres also, the north half [N½] of lot number two [2] of the souhtwest quarter [SW¼] of section number [30] in township number forty [40] of range one west [1W] containing forty-five acres."

[George T. & Nancy Jane Westover sell 40 acres for \$300: N½ of L1, SW¼ of S30 in T40 R1W and N½ of lot L2 SW¼ of Section 30 in T40 R1W containing 45 acres on 16 November 1851.

[This property is located right in the middle of the Meramec State Park. When the Corp. of Engineers were going to put in a dam in the early 1970's they bought all the property from landowners in and around the park which was to be flooded by the proposed lake. After the project was defeated by the local citizens, the government failed to return the property to private hands but kept the best land and expanded the Meramec State Park to its present boundries.]

1852 Father's marriage of widower Abraham Absalom Blanton and widow Nancy (CARTER) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "I", page 208 21 March 1852

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Absalom Blanton and widow Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt were married on 21 March 1852. Groom from Washington County, Missouri.

Research Note

This marriage was probably a marriage of convenience. Absalom and Nancy were white with no native ancestry whereas, their children were ½ Cherokee. After the death of Henry Pratt; full blooded Cherokee and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton; full blooded Cherokee, then Absalom and Nancy found themselves still interacting with their children whom had intermarried through 5 connections. Henry had died after the birth of his daughter; Matilda in 1841, and I presume he may have been the one mentioned in the diary of David Staples as they recorded on the way out to the 1848-1849 gold rush in California. David Staples diary stated, *"On May 27th, Staples wrote of Indians, mule trouble, double-teaming the wagons through the wet prairie, a party....returning haveing lost a husband father and friend of Cholera."* Who this was and the party that returned is not mentioned. But, on June 8th, George Winslow died in Nebraska from cholera. David Staples and party continued on to California and in 1862 was one of the founders of the *Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, in San Francisco.* [See C2G Profile for Henry Winslow "Win" Pratt for complete details.] Cynthia died between 1850-1852. With such a rich history of family ties and coupled with the convenience of Absalom Blanton's large house and well to do financial circumstances, then this marriage seemed convenient for both parties and I am sure was accepted by the children with astounding approval.

1859 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 11, May 27, 1859

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from John Wiley Pinnell at one undivided one fourth [$\frac{1}{4}$] part of the west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1859 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 12, June 1, 1859:

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from Calvin V. Lynch and wife Matilda at west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1860 Federal Census age 20

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 25 July 1860, line 34, house 882, family 872

BLANTON, Absalom w m 55; Nancy w f 56; William W. w m 21; Martin w m 20

[Absalom born in Kentucky, Nancy born in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri. Absalom is a farmer. They were living in the Blanton Mansion in Blanton Hollow.]

1860-1870 Death of Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton died near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after 25 July 12860 census and before the 1870 census.

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Third Generation (Grandchildren)

11. Green G. Blanton (*James², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in 1850 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

CENSUS: 1860 Johnson Twsp., Washington Co., MO., Rock Spring P.O., House 866:

GOFORTH, Martha 55 f born: KY

Miles 19 m born: MO

Gabrella 17 f born: MO

BLANTON, Green G. 10 m born: MO

EMLON, Rachel 22 F born: MO

(Living next door to the Blantons)

1870 Federal Census

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 16, house 110, family 110

BLANTON, Absalom w m 65; Nancy w f 67; **PRATT**, Nancy C. w f 15; **BLANTON**, Green w m 19

[All born in Tennessee. Absalom is a farmer. Living next door to his sons. Green Blanton is Absalom's grandson and son of James & Margaret Green (**GOFORTH**) Blanton. Nancy C. (**PRATT**) is the daughter of John Absalom Pratt Sr. and Mary Caroline "Betsy" (**BLANTON**) Pratt.]

12. Eliza Ann Allen (*Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 12 December 1845 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 26 April 1863 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 17.

1846 Birthblock of Eliza Ann (ALLEN) daughter of John & Elizabeth (BLANTON) Allen

Eliza Ann (**ALLEN**) was born either near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri or in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri in 1846. Internet source states she was born 12 December 1845 and died 26 April 1863 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. [needs verification]

Date from the 1850 census states she was born

Date from the 1860 census states she was born

Date from the 1870 census states she was born

Date from the 1880 census states she was born

Date from the 1900 census states she was born

Date from the 1910 census states she was born

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1848 Childbirth of sister: Catherine Frances "Kate" (ALLEN)

Catherine Frances "Kate" (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 January 1848.

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1850 Federal Census age 4

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 22, house 957, family 957

ALLEN, John w m 33; Elizabeth w f 24; Eliza A. w f 4; Catherine w f 2

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth born in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri. John is a blacksmith. Living next door to the Blantons]

1850-1860 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States between 1850-1860.

1850 Childbirth of brother; John D. Allen Jr.

John D. Allen Jr. was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1850.

1853 Childbirth of sister; Elizabeth M. (ALLEN)

Elizabeth M. (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 February 1853.

1855 Childbirth of sister; Mary Jane (ALLEN)

Mary Jane (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 October 1855.

1858 Childbirth of brother; Henry Allen

Henry Allen was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 February 1858.

1858-1860 Family Move

From near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. This assumption is based on the informant's information on Henry Allen's death certificate that stated he was born in Washington County, Missouri. If that be true, then they moved shortly after his birth. Checking Crawford County Deed Records might show that John Allen bought property in Liberty Twp, Crawford County, Missouri.

1860 Federal Census age 14

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 11, 8 August 1860, line 7, house 716, family 710

ALLEN, John w m 42; Elizabeth w f 33; Eliza A. w f 14; Catherine F. w f 12; John D. w m 10; Elizabeth w f 7; Mary w f 5; Henry w m 2

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth in Tennessee, then rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1861 Childbirth of brother; William "Will" M. Allen

William "Will" M. Allen was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 25 December 1861. Even though his death certificate states he was born in 1856, the 1860 & 1870 census records do not support that hypothesis.

1863 Childbirth of sister; Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (ALLEN)

Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (**ALLEN**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp,

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Crawford, Missouri, United States on 28 October 1863.

1863 Death of Eliza Ann (ALLEN)

Eliza Ann (ALLEN) died near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 26 April 1863.

13. Catherine Frances "Kate" Allen (*Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 16 January 1848 near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 25 May 1929 in Sorento, Shoal Creek Twp, Bond, Illinois, United States at age 81, and was buried on 27 May 1929 in Sunny Side Cemetery, Shoal Creek Twp, Bond, Illinois, United States.

1848 Birthblock of Catherine Frances "Kate" (ALLEN) daughter of John & Elizabeth (BLANTON) Allen

Catherine Frances "Kate" (ALLEN) was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 January 1848.

1850 Federal Census age 34

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 22, house 957, family 957

ALLEN, John w m 33; Elizabeth w f 24; Eliza A. w f 4; Catherine w f 2

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth born in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri. John is a blacksmith. Living next door to the Blantons]

1850-1860 Family Move

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1858-1860 Family Move

From near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. This assumption is based on the informant's information on Henry Allen's death certificate that stated he was born in Washington County, Missouri. If that be true, then they moved shortly after his birth. Checking Crawford County Deed Records might show that John Allen bought property in Liberty Twp, Crawford County, Missouri.

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1860 Federal Census age 44

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 11, 8 August 1860, line 7, house 716, family 710

ALLEN, John w m 42; Elizabeth w f 33; Eliza A. w f 14; Catherine F. w f 12; John D. w m 10; Elizabeth w f 7; Mary w f 5; Henry w m 2

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth in Tennessee, then rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1861 Childbirth of brother; William "Will" M. Allen

William "Will" M. Allen was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 25 December 1861. Even though his death certificate states he was born in 1856, the 1860 & 1870 census records do not support that hypothesis.

1863 Childbirth of sister; Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (ALLEN)

Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (**ALLEN**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 28 October 1863.

1867 Childbirth of sister; Clara Emaline (ALLEN)

Clara Emaline (**ALLEN**) was born in either near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 20 January 1867.

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1880 Federal Census

North Litchfield, Montgomery, Illinois

KITCHEN, *Thos.* 35ntb*Katharine* 32ntb*Lillie* 4ntb*Anna* 1ntb*Samuel* 30

1900 Federal Census

Walshville, Montgomery, Illinois

KITCHEN, *Thomas* 55ntb*Katherine* 52ntb*Anna* 21ntb*Fredie* 19

1920 Federal Census

Walshville, Montgomery, Illinois

KITCHEN, *Thomas* 74ntb*Kathrine* 71

Catherine married **Thomas Kitchen**. Thomas was born on 23 January 1844 in Broughton, England and died on 21 August 1932 in Sorento, Shoal Creek Twp, Bond, Illinois, United States at age 88.

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Broughton, Cambridgeshire </wiki/Broughton, Cambridgeshire>England
Broughton, Craven </wiki/Broughton, Craven>North Yorkshire, England
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14. John D. Allen Jr. (*Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 7 September 1850 near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 28 February 1946 in Bellflower, Bear Creek Twp, Montgomery, Missouri, United States at age 95, and was buried on 2 March 1946 in Saint Anthony's Catholic Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

BIRTH: date from census.

CENSUS: 1860 Crawford Co., MO. Liberty Twsp., Harrison Mills P.O., House 716, Page 871, taken 8 Aug 1860:

ALLEN, John	male	42	born NY
Elizabeth	wife	33	born TN
Eliza A.	dau	14	born MO
Catherine F.	dau	12	born MO
John D.	son	10	born MO
Elizabeth	dau	7	born MO
Mary	dau	5	born MO
Henry	son	2	born MO

CENSUS: 1870 Crawford Co., MO., house 80:

ALLEN, John	male	56	born NY
Elizabeth	female	43	TN
John	son	19	MO
Elizabeth	dau	18	MO
Mary	dau	10	MO
Henry	son	12	MO
William	son	9	MO
Louisa	dau	7	MO
Clara E.	dau	4	MO

MARRIAGE: Franklin Co., Mo., Marriage Book : John Allen and Ruth Madlock were married 29 Sep 1878.

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John Allen and Ruth Madlock both of Franklin Co., Mo.; married on 29 September 1878 by Joseph Fred Remmele, CP Washington at Franklin Co., Mo.

CENSUS: 1880 Crawford Co., MO., Boone Twsp., page 28, house 103, 9 June 1880:

ALLEN, John	male	28	born: MO Fa: NY Mo: TN
Ruthy	wife	24	born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

CENSUS: 1900 Crawford Co., MO., Boone Twsp., page 27B, house 220, 19 & 20 Jun 1900:

ALLEN, John	head w m	born: Sep 1850 age: 49 mar 21yrs	born: MO Fa: NY Mo: TN
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Ruth wife w f born: Jan 1854 age: 46 mar 21yrs born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: TN
Charles son w m born: Feb 1882 age: 18 sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO
dau w f born: Dec 1883 age: 16sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO
Agnes dau w f born: Feb 1888 age 12 sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO
Clara dau w f born: May 1889 age: 11 sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO
Norton son w m born: Jul 1894 age: 5 sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO
Lawrence son w m born: Oct 1893 age: 4 sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO

(Ruth says she has had 7 children born and 6 are living.)

CENSUS: 1910 Washington Co., MO., Johnson Twsp., Page 5, on 29 Apr 1910, House 116:

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Ruth wife 54 mar1 27yrs born: MO Fa: Germany Mo: MO

Richard N. son 17 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Lawrence son 14 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

(RUTH says this is her first marriage and she has been married for 27 years. She has had 7 children born and 6 are living.)

1920 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6061&enc=1>>

about John Allen

ntblName: John Allen**ntbl Home in 1920:** Johnson, Washington, Missouri**ntbl**

Age: 65**ntbl Estimated birth year:** abt 1855**ntbl Birthplace:** Missouri**ntbl Relation to**

Head of House: Self (Head) [Head] **ntbl Spouse's name:** Ruth M Allen**ntbl Father's Birth**

Place: Missouri**ntbl Mother's Birth Place:** Missouri**ntbl Marital Status:** Married**ntbl**

Race: White**ntbl Sex:** Male**ntbl Home owned:** Rent**ntbl Able to read:** Yes**ntbl Able to**

Write: Yes**ntbl Neighbors:** [View others on page](#) </cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=

1920usfedcen&sin=C0000006&siv=4313211-00465> **ntblHousehold Members: Name**

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<<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1920usfedcen&indiv=try&h=107396076>> 64

1930 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6224&enc=1>>

about John Allen

ntblName: John Allen**ntbl Home in 1930:** Johnson, Washington, Missouri [View Map](#)

<[javascript:showMap\('Johnson, Washington, Missouri'\)](javascript:showMap('Johnson, Washington, Missouri'))> **ntbl Age:** 76**ntbl Estimated birth**

year: abt 1854**ntbl Birthplace:** Missouri**ntbl Relation to Head of House:** Head**ntbl**

Spouse's name: Ruth M Allen**ntbl Race:** White**ntbl Occupation:** Education: Military

Service: Rent/home value: Age at first marriage: Parents' birthplace: [View image](#)

<http://search.ancestry.com/iexec?htx=View&r=an&dbid=6224&iid=MOT626_1250-0724

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DEATH:

John Allen February __, 1946 Montgomery 10178

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BURIAL:

John married **Ruth Minerva Matlock**, daughter of **Isom Matlock** and **Mary Jane Malvena Summers**, on 29 September 1878 in Franklin, Missouri, United States. Ruth was born on 29 January 1854 in Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 22 September 1932 in 3952 Shenandoah Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 78, and was buried on 24 September 1932 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

BIRTH:

1860 Federal Census

Fourche A Renault Post Office, Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 161, 1 June 1860, line 23, house 1083, family 1072

MATLOCK, Isom w m 35; Mary w f 34; William w m 11; Susan w f 10; Eliza w f 8; Ruth w f 6; Jane w f 4; Mary w f 3; [page 162] Lucy w f 1
[All born in Missouri. Isom is a farmer.]

1870 Federal Census

Osage Post Office, Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 122a & 122b, 6 August 1870, line 40, house 118 & 119, family 118

MATLOCK, Isom w m 49; [page 122b] Mary w f 48; William M. w m 22; Susan w f 20; Eliza w f 18; Ruth w f 16; Elizabeth J. w f 14; Mary w f 12; Josephine w f 10; GELLEN??, Ezra 28 w m
[All born in Missouri except Ezra born in Ohio. Isom is a farmer. Ezra is a cooper.]

MARRIAGE: Franklin Co., Mo., Marriage Book : John Allen and Ruth Madlock were married 29 Sep 1878.

CENSUS: 1880 Crawford Co., MO., Boone Twsp., page 28, house 103, 9 June 1880:

ALLEN, John male 28 born: MO Fa: NY Mo: TN
Ruthy wife 24 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

CENSUS: 1900 Crawford Co., MO., Boone Twsp., page 27B, house 220, 19 & 20 Jun 1900:

ALLEN, John head w m born: Sep 1850 age: 49 mar 21yrs born: MO Fa: NY Mo: TN
Ruth wife w f born: Jan 1854 age: 46 mar 21yrs born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: TN
Charles son w m born: Feb 1882 age: 18 sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO
dau w f born: Dec 1883 age: 16sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO
Agnes dau w f born: Feb 1888 age 12 sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO
Clara dau w f born: May 1889 age: 11 sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO
Norton son w m born: Jul 1894 age: 5 sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO
Lawrence son w m born: Oct 1893 age: 4 sng born: Mo Fa: MO Mo: MO

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CENSUS: 1920

DEATH:

Ruth Allen September 22, 1932 St. Louis 30837

BURIAL:

Children from this marriage were:

+ 69 M i. **Richard Norton Allen** was born on 10 September 1892 in Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 5 January 1963 at age 70.

Richard married **Madge Martin Whiteside** (d. 15 August 1972).

Richard next married **Madge Martin Whiteside** (d. 15 August 1972) on 19 September 1914 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 70 M ii. **Charles Allen** was born in February 1882 in Crawford, Missouri, United States and died in 1928 at age 46.

+ 71 M iii. **Lawrence Allen** was born in October 1893 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

+ 72 F iv. **Clara Minerva Allen** was born on 18 May 1890 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 25 December 1971 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Twp, Los Angeles, California, United States at age 81.

Clara married **Chester C Simpson** (d. 14 August 1955) on 29 September 1907 in Liberty, Stoddard, Missouri, United States.

+ 73 F v. **Agnes Myrtle Allen** was born in February 1888 in Crawford, Missouri, United States and died in November 1969 at age 81.

+ 74 M vi. **Norton Allen** was born in July 1894 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

15. Elizabeth M. Allen (*Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 4 February 1853 near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 11 September 1882 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 29.

16. Mary Jane Allen (*Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 26 October 1855 near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 28 November 1879 in Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 24.

Mary married **Horace Jennings**. Horace was born about 1855 in United States.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 75 M i. **Roy Alan Jennings** was born on 21 June 1883 in Missouri, United States, died in September 1964 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Twp, Los Angeles, California, United States at age 81, and was buried in September 1964 in Turlock, Stanis, California, USA.

Mary next married **Capt. John Keyes**.

17. Henry Allen (*Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 16 February 1858 near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 21 February 1940 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 82, and was buried on 21 February 1940 in Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United

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States.

Allen

Henry

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Washington County

Henry Allen & Margret Kane; married on 12 September 1880 by J. H. Brown, JP at Washington Co., Mo.

Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #6532

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Henry Allen February __, 1940 Franklin 6532

[<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>](http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search)

Henry married **Margaret Cain**, daughter of **Jesse A. Cain** and **Sarah "Sary" Lucinda Florence Greenlee**, on 12 September 1880 in Washington, Missouri, United States. Margaret was born on 20 November 1864 and died on 29 March 1901 in Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 36.

Henry next married **Dora**.

18. William "Will" Mitchell Allen (*Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 25 December 1861 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 28 July 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 29 July 1925 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cardle to Grave (C2G) Profile for William "Will" Mitchell Allen

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 13 November 2010

1861 Birthblock for William "Will" Mitchell Allen son of John & Elizabeth (BLANTON) Allen

William "Will" Mitchell Allen was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 25 December 1861. Even though his death certificate states he was born in 1856, the 1860 & 1870 census records do not support that hypothesis.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born [not listed]

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1861 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1861 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born December 1860 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1862 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1859 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 25 December 1856 in Crawford County, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

[Since his death certificate states he was born 25 December 1856 and the 1900 census states December then I am willing to concede he was born 25 December. However, the 1856 birthyear is out of the question since while he was living home with his parents in the 1870 and 1880 census, his birth year was given as a consistent 1861 AND he does not show up in

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the 1860 census as a 3 or 4 year old. However, I have found that parents often rounded up their children's birth year when dictating to the censustaker, so his birth date could actually be 25 December 1860 or 1861.]

AKA

Concerning his middle name of Mitchell, I have found no reference or evidence that the M. in the 1910 census indicates his name to be Mitchell. This was obtained from an internet source and could be unreliable. However, in the 1860 census of Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States while John & Elizabeth Allen family were living at house # 716 (before William was born in 1860 or 1861), at house #763 is the family of Samuel [46] & Sarah J. [34] () Mitchell from Georgia and Illinois. If the Mitchell's were good friends of the Allens, then it would be logical that they would name one of their children...Mitchell. A long shot but logical and a valid hypothesis. Some other Allen family researchers indicate they have always thought his middle name to be Franklin. Without looking at deed records and newspaper articles concerning him, I don't know who is right. However, the M. in the 1910 census is undeniable. FTP

1863 Childbirth of sister; Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (ALLEN)

Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (**ALLEN**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 28 October 1863.

1867 Childbirth of sister; Clara Emaline (ALLEN)

Clara Emaline (**ALLEN**) was born in either near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 20 January 1867.

1870 Federal Census age 9

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 602a, 10 July 1870, line 18, house 80, family 80

ALLEN, John w m 56; Elizabeth w f 43; John w m 19; Elizabeth w f 18; Mary w f 10; Henry w m 12; William w m 9; Louisa w f 7; Clara E. w f 4

[John was born in New York, Elizabeth in Tennessee, then rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1880 Federal Census age 19

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 29a, 10 June 1880, line 40, house 122, family 122

ALLEN, John head w m 64; Elizabeth wife w f 54; Louisa dau w f 17; Clara dau w f 13; Henry son w m 22; William son w m 19

[John was born in New York as was his parents. Elizabeth was born in Tennessee as was her parents, the rest born in Missouri, their father in New York, their mother in Tennessee. John is a farmer.]

1880-1900 Death of father; John Allen

Even though the date of 1907 from the book "**Our Seven Children**", page 54 & 55 states he died in 1907, this date maybe in error. In the 19th of June 1900 census his wife Elizabeth states she was a widow. So, he died between 1890-1900. Newspapers or a headstone might provide the proof.

1887 Marriage of William "Will" Mitchell Allen and Lillian "Lillie" Maude A. (HANSON)

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Hibbler

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "F" 1885-1890, page 200

William Allen of Crawford County, Missouri and Lily Hibbler of Franklin County, Missouri were married by a JP in Sullivan, Missouri on the 2nd day of October 1887 by T. M. Snyder Justice of the Peace

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: William Allen Marriage Date: 2 Oct 1887 Marriage Location: Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri

Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Lily Hibbler

[3] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "F" 1885-1890, page 200

<http://www.vienici.com/moabs/last.asp>

William Allen of Crawford Co., Mo. over 21; Lily Hibbler of Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 30

September 1887 license; married on 2 October 1887 by T. M. Snyder, JP at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

1890 Childbirth of son: Walter Franklin Allen

Walter Franklin Allen was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 August 1890.

1891 Childbirth of daughter: Drusella Lucille "Drusie" (ALLEN)

Drusella Lucille "Drusie" (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 July 1891. The 1900 census states she was born July 1892.

1894 Childbirth of son: Richard Joseph Allen

Richard Joseph Allen was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 4 December 1894.

1896 Childbirth of daughter: Ethel Lee (ALLEN)

Ethel Lee (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15 December 1896.

1900 Federal Census age 39

Public Road, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 187a, 2 June 1900, line 18, house 50, family 50

ALLEN, William head w m born December 1860 age 39; M.[Maude] A. wife w f born June 1871 age 28; **HIBLER**, Daisy gdau w f born March 1887 age 13; **ALLEN**, Walter son w m born August 1890 age 9; Druse dau w f born July 1892 age 7; Richard son w m born December 1894 age 5; Ethel dau w f born December 1896 age 3

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 11 years. M.[Maude] A. states she has had 5 children born and 5 are living. William is a copper miner. They are renting.]

1900-1910 Family Move

From the Public Road, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census age 49

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 229b, 28 April 1910, line 65, house 112, family 116

ALLEN, William M. head w m 48; Lillie M. wife w f 39; Richard son w m 17; Ethel L. dau w f

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[All born in Missouri, William's parents born in Tennessee, Lillie's father born in Georgia, her mother in Missouri, the rest born in Missouri as was their parents. William's first marriage and Lillie says this is her 2nd marriage and it has lasted 22 years. She has had 6 children born and 5 are living. Living a few doors down is William's brother; John & Ruth (**MATLOCK**) Allen family. William is a farmer and is renting.]

1910-1920 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to 416 3rd Avenue, Moline City, Moline Twp, Ward 1, Rock Island, Illinois, United States. Most likely this move was made after the death of William's mother; Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen in 1916.

1916 Death of mother; Elizabeth (BLANTON) Allen

Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 22 February 1916.

1920 Federal Census age 59

416 3rd Avenue, Moline City, Moline Twp, Ward 1, Rock Island, Illinois, United States, page 17a, 5 January 1920, line 11, house 416, dwelling 15, family 25 [multi-family boarding house] **ALLEN**, William head w m 61; Lillie wife w f 53; **BLY**, Ethel dau w f 24; Dorthia gdau w f 2mos; **PIERCE**, Meredith gson w m 9; Gertrude gdau w f 14; Myrtle gdau w f 15; **EADS**, Viola gdau w f 5.1mos; **GARCIA**, Theodor lodger w m 22; **SANCIUS**, Valentine lodger w m 21

[William was born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky, Lillie, Ethel, Meredith, Gertrude and Viola were born in Missouri as was their parents, Dorthia was born in Illinois as was her father, her mother was born in Missouri, Garcia and Sancius were born in Mexico as was their parents. Garcia came to the US in 1913 and Sancius came to the US in 1917. William is a laborer in an Iron foundry. Garcia and Sancius are laborers in and iron mill. William is renting.]

1920-1925 Family Move

From 416 3rd Avenue, Moline City, Moline Twp, Ward 1, Rock Island, Illinois, United States to Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1925 Death of spouse; Lillian Maude A. "Lilly" (HANSON) Hibbler Allen

Lillian Maude A. "Lilly" (**HANSON**) Hibbler Allen died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 29 May 1925.

1925 Death of William "Will" Mitchell Allen

William "Will" Mitchell Allen died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 28 July 1925.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #20510

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: William Allen July 28, 1925 Franklin 20510

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1925 Burial of William "Will" Mitchell Allen

Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Since the death certificate did not state a cemetery location in Sullivan, I checked the cemetery book; **"Cemeteries of Franklin County Missouri Meramec Township"** by Four Rivers Genealogical Society © 1997 and found no reference to him or Lillie (**HANSON**) Allen in

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Odd Fellows, Buffalo or I.O.O.F. Cemetery.

In the article, "**A Terrible Calamity**", The Sullivan Sentinel posted Thursday June 4, 1929 is a reprint of a previous article dated 4 June 1925. States the victims were buried in Independent Order of Odd Fellows Cemetery, (I.O.O.F.) Sullivan, Missouri in three graves.

Source

Posted to ancestry.com by Zonagale Allen

"A Terrible Calamity", The Sullivan Sentinel Thursday June 4, 1929

29 May 1925 , Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, USA

The Sullivan Sentinel Thursday, June 4, 1925 A TERRIBLE CALAMITY

Seven Persons Perish When Fire Destroys Residence

The saddest calamity that ever visited Sullivan occurred last Friday morning about 7 o'clock when the residence occupied by William Allen and family was burned and seven members of the family perished. Those losing their lives were Mrs. William Allen, her granddaughter, Mrs. Gertrude Hanson, and two children: Eva, three years old and James three weeks old; grandchildren, Meredith Pierce 14, Viola Eads 11, and Dorothy Bly 6.

The family was living in the old Sheehan residence at the entrance to the ball park.

Mr. William Allen had been confined to his bed with illness for the past seven weeks. He was very feeble and occupied a bed on the lower floor. His wife and the other members of the family (eight) slept in the one upstairs room.

The daughter, Mrs. Daisy Felton, was employed at the shoe factory and had to get up early each morning, often getting her breakfast quietly and going to work without arousing the other members of the family. She did so last Friday morning, leaving a wood fire in the kitchen stove. She says she was just a little late that morning and did not leave the house until about 6:40. About seven o'clock neighbors discovered the residence to be on fire. When they reached it they found Mr. Allen lying on the porch with his hair and whiskers singed. When the fire reached his room and set his bed on fire he managed to crawl to the porch where he collapsed. He was rescued by the neighbors. At that time the upper part of the ceiling was all aflame and there was no possibility of rescuing any of the occupants. J

Just as she was putting on her apron to begin work at the factory, Mrs. Felton got word that the house was on fire. She rushed home, a distance of about a quarter of a mile, and on reaching the scene, breathless, and seeing the tragic situation, she collapsed in a faint. She is the mother of two of the victims, Mrs. Hanson and Meredith Pierce, and grandmother of the two babies. Her grief is beyond measure.

County Coroner, S. L. Dewhirst, was called and after a careful investigation decided that the death of all the victims was caused by suffocation before the fire ever reached them. The theory is that the fire caught from the flue and smoke filled the room where they were all sound asleep before they realized it.

Both undertakers were called into service and the charred bodies were wrapped in sheeting and placed in caskets, three each in two caskets, and one, Viola Eads in a separate casket. Burial was made in three graves.

Viola Eads was the daughter of William Eads who died in France, during the war. His war insurance was left to her and she had a fund of about \$3000 in bank, held in trust for her until she should become of age.

She and Dorothy Bly were half sisters, the mother having married a second time after being divorced from Mr. Eads before he went to war.

The mother, now Mrs. Ethel Leathers of Cisne, Ill. Came for the funeral and burial which was held Saturday afternoon.

Jesse Hanson, husband of Mrs. Gertrude Hanson and father of the infant that perished, was

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also here for the funeral. His father was here with him. Their home is in St. Louis.

Mrs. William Allen's maiden name was Lillie Hanson. She was born in St. Louis and at the time of her death was 55 years old. She has two brothers and one sister living, James Hanson, St. Louis, John Hanson, Piedmont; Mrs. Odia Minks, Festus.

She is survived by her husband, William Allen, Sullivan; one son, Walter Allen, Sullivan; three daughters, Mrs. Drusie Dyle, Festus; Mrs. Ethel Leathers, Cisne, Ill; Mrs. Daisy Felton, Sullivan.

The children were all here for the funeral except Mrs. Dyle, who arrived a few hours too late. Mrs. Myrtle Carillo of Chicago, sister to Mrs. Gertrude Hanson and Meredith Pierce, was also here.

Mrs. Gertrude Hanson was 19 years 3 months 10 days old.

The funeral was conducted Saturday at 11:30 at the Pentecostal church by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Boyles, and burial was made in the Odd Fellow cemet

William married **Lillian Margaret A. "Lillie" Hanson**, daughter of **Andrew Jackson Hanson** and **Mrs.**, on 2 October 1887 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Lillian was born on 29 June 1869 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died on 29 May 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 55, and was buried on 30 May 1925 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1869 Birthblock for Lillian "Lillie" Margaret A. (HANSON) daughter of Andrew & () Hanson

Lillian "Lillie" Margaret A. (**HANSON**) was born in Missouri on 29 July 1869. _

Date from the 1870 census states she was born

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1868 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born June 1871 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1871 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1867 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 29 July 1869 in St. Louis, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

Internet submitters claim she was born in St. Louis, Missouri, however, I have not found any evidence other than the 1925 Tragedy newspaper that she was born in St. Louis. Obviously the newspaper account was submitted by the same family member who put St. Louis on her death certificate. Until I can find supporting evidence of the St. Louis birth (census) then I am not comfortable with that location. _

1860-1866 Family Move

From near Eagle Cleft Post Office, Chattanooga District, Walker, Georgia, United States to Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States. Since the 1880 census states that all the children were born in Missouri, and their mother was born in Missouri then it appears that Emily in the 1860 census whom states she was born in Tennessee may not be the children's mother after all...if the data reported in these census records are accurate. Because the census taker in the 1880 census used initials, this has made it hard for identifying those children. One important piece of information is that on Lillie's death certificate and newspapers account about her death, they state she was born in St. Louis, Missouri before 1870. This would indicate that they were living in Missouri prior to the first born...E. A. Hanson in 1866 and since their mother was born in Missouri it appears Andrew married his first spouse 1864-1866 in Missouri.

1864-1866 Marriage of Andrew Jackson Hanson and 1st Mrs. ()

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Assuming that Andrew and spouse married a few years before the birth of son, E.A. Hanson in 1866, I checked my reference library book; "**Index to St. Louis, Missouri, Marriages Volume II, 1860-1876, Book 1, A-K**", Second Edition, Revised and Expanded, compiled by Edward F. Mochel 1973 ST. Louis Genealogical Society and found no reference to an Andrew, Andrew Jackson, Andrew J. or A.J. Hanson, Hansen marrying anyone. If they weren't married in St. Louis then they were married elsewhere.

1866 Childbirth of son; E.A. Hanson

1869 Childbirth of daughter; Lillian "Lillie" Margaret A. (HANSON)

Lillian "Lillie" Margaret A. (HANSON) was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 29 June 1869. This location and date cannot be substantiated. The 1925 newspaper account of her death stated she was born in St. Louis, Missouri. However, trying to locate her parents in the 1870 census has proven futile. _

1870 Federal Census age 2

Every once in awhile, I run across a census that is so vital to understanding the family that it frustrates me because I cannot find the information needed. The 1870 census is one such census. Not only can we not locate them, which is vital to determining the birthplace of the children, but the 1870 census also holds the key to identifying Andrew's wife and mother of his children. Without this census, we knew Andrew was last domiciled near Eagle Cleft Post Office, Chattanooga District, Walker, Georgia, United States and twenty years later...he is in Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Very unsatisfactory as to what happened in those 20 years. Finding the death certificates on those children might reveal their mother's true identity.

Research Note

Lillian's birthblock has a range of 1867-1871, which, if the birth date is correct prior to 1870 should reveal her whereabouts in the 1870 census. However, If she was born after 1870 then this presents more difficulty at locating her birth location in the 1870 census since we can't locate her family. Also, it is disturbing that there is a 4 year spread between Lillie's birth and her brother J.A. Hanson in 1874. This would indicate that there may have been another marriage and a different spouse and mother to the remaining children. _

1874 Childbirth of son; J.A. Hanson

I checked the death certificates and could not make a connection for either a James or a John from the Allen Tradgedy report. I also checked the 1930 and 1920 census and could not make a connection. _

1876 Childbirth of son; J. T. Hanson

I checked the death certificates and could not make a connection for either a James or a John from the Allen Tradgedy report. I also checked the 1930 and 1920 census and could not make a connection. _

Childbirth of Odia (HANSON)

Trying to identify Mrs. Odia (HANSON) Minks from the Allen Tradgedy report has been a challenge. I could not locate her in the 1920, 1930 census or Missouri death records. Obviously her name Odia was short for another name. Also, looking for Mr. Minks in the death certificates has proven vain. This whole Hanson family has been a mystery as to why there

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aren't good records for a chronology. Some internet researchers claim she married E. N. Minks. After researching Mr. E. N. Minks his wife was Courtney M. (**ADAMS**), not Odia (**HANSON**).

1876-1880 Death of spouse; Mrs. Andrew Jackson Hanson

My assumption that she died after the birth of Odia and before the 1880 census is based on her absence in the 1880 census. However, Odia could have been born after the death of Andrew's first wife and Odia could be the child of one of his other wives, if any.

1878 Death of mother; Delilah (TACKETT) Hanson

Delilah (**TACKETT**) Hanson died in Lafayette, Mississippi, United States on 12 December 1878.

[Internet date...needs verification]

1879 Father's Marriage of George Washington Hanson and Julia A. Humphries

[1] Mississippi Marriages, 1776-1935

Name:G. W. Hanson Spouse:Julia A. Humphries Marriage Date:30 Jan 1879

County:Lafayette

[Should be noted that Humphries is most likely **not** her maiden name.]

1879 Death of father; George Washington Hanson

George Washington Hanson died in District 551, Pike, Georgia, United States in October 1879.

[Seems to be some discrepancy involving George's death. He is listed with his family on 8 June 1880 census and then is reported as died in October in the 1880 census. The U.S. Federal Census Mortality Schedules, 1850-1885 listed below states the following, "Persons who died during the year ending 31 May 1880". The census page is dated, "rec'd July 1880". Therefore, if he died before 31 May 1880 and the census states he died in October...then he died in October 1879. He should not be listed in the 1880 census with his wife (Julia) and family...unless...Julia listed him for sentimental reasons. I have seen this done before. Also, another thing that bothers me, is what is he doing in Pike County, Mississippi? Lafayette County is in the northern section of Mississippi almost to the Tennessee border, Pike County borders the Louisiana state border in the most southern portion of Mississippi. Could this Mortality Schedule not be our George Washington Hanson? Unless, they (doctors) sent him down to Pike County for special treatment for his malaria.]

1880 Federal Census age 12

Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 179a, 8 June 1880, line 13, house 3, family 3

HANSON, A.[Andrew] J.[Jackson] head w m 37; E. A. son w m 14; M.[Margaret] E. dau w f 12; J. A. son w m 6; J. T. son w m 4

[Andrew was born in Georgia as was his father, his mother was born in Alabama, all the rest were born in Missouri, their father in Georgia, their mother in Missouri. Andrew is a day laborer. One of these boys are James and one is John. Until I can find out their birth years I won't be able to assign which name to which boy.]

1880 Father's Marriage of Andrew Jackson Hanson and Caroline Dreppoth

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mr A J Hanson Marriage Date:7 June 1880 Marriage Location:Franklin, Missouri

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Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Caroline Dreppoth

1880-1885 Family Move

It appears they have left the Meramec Township area of Franklin County and moved over to the Pacific, Boles Twp, area of Franklin County area. Also, it appears that Caroline did not live long, maybe complications of childbirth or they divorced. Checking the local newspapers might reveal the truth.

1885 Father's Marriage of Andrew Jackson Hanson and Tobitha Wilson

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002 _

Name:Audrew J Hanson Marriage Date:5 Apr 1885 Marriage Location:Franklin, Pacific City, MO Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Tobiatha Wilson

1885 Marriage of Isaac D. Hibbler and Lillian "Lillie" Margaret A. (HANSON)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Margaret E Hanson Marriage Date:29 Apr 1885 Marriage Location:Franklin, Pacific City, MO Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Isaac D Hibler Father's name:A J Hanson

Research Note

Many on ancestry.com have stated that Lillian's first husband was John Hibbler and father of Daisy (**HIBBLER**)-Allen. However, the above marriage record has several points of confirmation that changes their assumption.

[1] Margaret E. matches the M.E. Hanson in the 1880 census living with her father.

[2] In 1880 Margaret is age 12 and in 1885 she is 17...underage and needs the consent of her parents for her 1885 marriage.

[3] The marriage date of 29 April 1885 is in harmony with the 25 March 1887 birthdate of daughter; Daisy.

[4] The marriage didn't last very long and after Daisy's birth in 25 March 1887, Lillie and William Allen were married in 2 October 1887.

[5] The father; A.J. Hanson of Pacific, Missouri gave his consent to this marriage.

[6] Since Andrew Jackson Hanson just got married on the 5th of April and his daughter; Lillie Margaret is getting married on the 29th of April, and A.J. Hanson's residence and marriage location on *his* marriage record is Pacific, Missouri then this cinches they are one and the same person.

1887 Marriage of William "Will" Mitchell Allen and Lillian Maude A. "Lillie" (HANSON) Hibbler

William "Will" Mitchell Allen and Lillian Maude A. "Lillie" (**HANSON**) were married in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 October 1887. This marriage still establishes a Franklin County domicile for the Hanson family in the 1880's.

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "F" 1885-1890, page 200

William Allen of Crawford County, Missouri and Lily Hibbler of Franklin County, Missouri were married by a JP in Sullivan, Missouri on the 2nd day of October 1887 by T. M. Snyder Justice of the Peace

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002 (ancestry.com)

Name:William Allen Marriage Date:2 Oct 1887 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Lily Hibbler

[3] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "F" 1885-1890, page 200

<http://www.vienici.com/moabs/last.asp>

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William Allen of Crawford Co., Mo. over 21; Lily Hibbler of Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 30 September 1887 license; married on 2 October 1887 by T. M. Snyder, JP at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

1887 Childbirth of daughter: Daisy Ethel (HIBBLER)

Daisy Ethel (HIBBLER) was born near Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri or near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri on 25 March 1887. Should be noted even though her death certificate states she was born in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States that could be another location.

1890 Childbirth of son: Walter Franklin Allen

Walter Franklin Allen was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 August 1890.

1891 Childbirth of daughter: Drusella Lucille "Drusie" (ALLEN)

Drusella Lucille "Drusie" (ALLEN) was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 July 1891. The 1900 census states she was born July 1892.

1894 Childbirth of son: Richard Joseph Allen

Richard Joseph Allen was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 4 December 1894.

1896 Childbirth of daughter: Ethel Lee (ALLEN)

Ethel Lee (ALLEN) was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15 December 1896.

1900 Federal Census age 39

Public Road, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 187a, 2 June 1900, line 18, house 50, family 50

ALLEN, William head w m born December 1860 age 39; M.[Margaret] A. wife w f born June 1871 age 28; **HIBLER**, Daisy gdau w f born March 1887 age 13; **ALLEN**, Walter son w m born August 1890 age 9; Druse dau w f born July 1892 age 7; Richard son w m born December 1894 age 5; Ethel dau w f born December 1896 age 3

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 11 years. M.[Maude] A. states she has had 5 children born and 5 are living. William is a copper miner. They are renting.]

1903 Witness to daughter's marriage

Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "J" 1901-1905, page 168

Buben B. Pierce of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Daisy E. Hibbs of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. age 16: the Mother Lilly M. Allen of the said Daisy E. Hibbs has given her assent in writing to the above marriage of her daughter: 17 March 1903 license: married on 29 March 1903 by J. N. Pitts, JP at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. <http://www.vienici.com/moabs/last.asp>

1903-1910 Family Move

From the Public Road, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census age 49

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Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 229b, 28 April 1910, line 65, house 112, family 116

ALLEN, William M. head w m 48; Lillie M. wife w f 39; Richard son w m 17; Ethel L. dau w f 14

[All born in Missouri, William's parents born in Tennessee, Lillie's father born in Georgia, her mother in Missouri, the rest born in Missouri as was their parents. William's first marriage and Lillie says this is her 2nd marriage and it has lasted 22 years. She has had 6 children born and 5 are living. Living a few doors down is William's brother; John & Ruth (**MATLOCK**) Allen family. William is a farmer and is renting.]

1910-1920 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to 416 3rd Avenue, Moline City, Moline Twp, Ward 1, Rock Island, Illinois, United States. Most likely this move was made after the death of William's mother; Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen in 1916.

1916 Death of mother-in-law; Elizabeth (BLANTON) Allen

Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 22 February 1916.

1920 Federal Census age 59

416 3rd Avenue, Moline City, Moline Twp, Ward 1, Rock Island, Illinois, United States, page 17a, 5 January 1920, line 11, house 416, dwelling 15, family 25 [multi-family boarding house]

ALLEN, William head w m 61; Lillie wife w f 53; **BLY**, Ethel dau w f 24; Dorthia gdau w f 2mos; **PIERCE**, Meredith gson w m 9; Gertrude gdau w f 14; Myrtle gdau w f 15;

EADS, Viola gdau w f 5.1mos; **GARCIA**, Theodor lodger w m 22; **SANCIUS**, Valentine lodger w m 21

[William was born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky, Lillie, Ethel, Meredith, Gertrude and Viola were born in Missouri as was their parents, Dorthia was born in Illinois as was her father, her mother was born in Missouri, Garcia and Sancius were born in Mexico as was their parents. Garcia came to the US in 1913 and Sancius came to the US in 1917. William is a laborer in an Iron foundry. Garcia and Sancius are laborers in and iron mill. William is renting.]

1920-1925 Family Move

From 416 3rd Avenue, Moline City, Moline Twp, Ward 1, Rock Island, Illinois, United States to Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1925 Death of Lillian Margaret A. "Lilly" (HANSON) Hibbler Allen

Lillian Margaret A. "Lilly" (**HANSON**) Hibbler Allen died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 29 May 1925.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #14719

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Mrs. Lillie Allen May 29, 1925 Franklin 14719

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1925 Burial of Lillian Margaret A. "Lilly" (HANSON) Hibbler Allen

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Since the death certificate did not state a cemetery location in Sullivan, I checked the cemetery book; "**Cemeteries of Franklin County Missouri Meramec Township**" by Four Rivers Genealogical Society © 1997 and found no reference to William or Lillie (**HANSON**)

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Allen or any of the others. In the article, "**A Terrible Calamity**", The Sullivan Sentinel posted Thursday June 4, 1929 is a reprint of a previous article dated 4 June 1925. States the victims were buried in Independent Order of Odd Fellows Cemetery, (I.O.O.F.) Sullivan, Missouri in three graves.

Source

Posted to ancestry.com by Zonagale Allen

"A Terrible Calamity", The Sullivan Sentinel Thursday June 4, 1929

29 May 1925 , Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, USA

The Sullivan Sentinel Thursday, June 4, 1925 A TERRIBLE CALAMITY

Seven Persons Perish When Fire Destroys Residence

The saddest calamity that ever visited Sullivan occurred last Friday morning about 7 o'clock when the residence occupied by William Allen and family was burned and seven members of the family perished. Those losing their lives were Mrs. William Allen, her granddaughter, Mrs. Gertrude Hanson, and two children: Eva, three years old and James three weeks old; grandchildren, Meredith Pierce 14, Viola Eads 11, and Dorothy Bly 6.

The family was living in the old Sheehan residence at the entrance to the ball park.

Mr. William Allen had been confined to his bed with illness for the past seven weeks. He was very feeble and occupied a bed on the lower floor. His wife and the other members of the family (eight) slept in the one upstairs room.

The daughter, Mrs. Daisy Felton, was employed at the shoe factory and had to get up early each morning, often getting her breakfast quietly and going to work without arousing the other members of the family. She did so last Friday morning, leaving a wood fire in the kitchen stove. She says she was just a little late that morning and did not leave the house until about 6:40.

About seven o'clock neighbors discovered the residence to be on fire. When they reached it they found Mr. Allen lying on the porch with his hair and whiskers singed. When the fire reached his room and set his bed on fire he managed to crawl to the porch where he collapsed. He was rescued by the neighbors. At that time the upper part of the ceiling was all aflame and there was no possibility of rescuing any of the occupants. Just as she was putting on her apron to begin work at the factory, Mrs. Felton got word that the house was on fire. She rushed home, a distance of about a quarter of a mile, and on reaching the scene, breathless, and seeing the tragic situation, she collapsed in a faint. She is the mother of two of the victims, Mrs. Hanson and Meredith Pierce, and grandmother of the two babies. Her grief is beyond measure.

County Coroner, S. L. Dewhirst, was called and after a careful investigation decided that the death of all the victims was caused by suffocation before the fire ever reached them. The theory is that the fire caught from the flue and smoke filled the room where they were all sound asleep before they realized it.

Both undertakers were called into service and the charred bodies were wrapped in sheeting and placed in caskets, three each in two caskets, and one, Viola Eads in a separate casket. Burial was made in three graves.

Viola Eads was the daughter of William Eads who died in France, during the war. His war insurance was left to her and she had a fund of about \$3000 in bank, held in trust for her until she should become of age.

She and Dorothy Bly were half sisters, the mother having married a second time after being divorced from Mr. Eads before he went to war.

The mother, now Mrs. Ethel Leathers of Cisne, Ill. Came for the funeral and burial which was held Saturday afternoon.

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Jesse Hanson, husband of Mrs. Gertrude Hanson and father of the infant that perished, was also here for the funeral. His father was here with him. Their home is in St. Louis.

Mrs. William Allen's maiden name was Lillie Hanson. She was born in St. Louis and at the time of her death was 55 years old. She has two brothers and one sister living, James Hanson, St. Louis, John Hanson, Piedmont; Mrs. Odia Minks, Festus.

She is survived by her husband, William Allen, Sullivan; one son, Walter Allen, Sullivan; three daughters, Mrs. Drusie Dyle, Festus; Mrs. Ethel Leathers, Cisne, Ill; Mrs Daisy Felton, Sullivan.

The children were all here for the funeral except Mrs. Dyle, who arrived a few hours too late. Mrs. Myrtle Carillo of Chicago, sister to Mrs. Gertrude Hanson and Meredith Pierce, was also here.

Mrs. Gertrude Hanson was 19 years 3 months 10 days old.

The funeral was conducted Saturday at 11:30 at the Pentecostal church by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Boyles, and burial was made in the Odd Fellow cemetery. added this on 8 May 2010
ZonagaleAllen originally submitted this to Allen on 5 Sep 2007

Email from Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 17 November 2010

Sorry, Floyd. Please try this version. Fred

AN ALLEN FAMILY TRAGEDY

The Allen's suffered a terrible loss on May 29, 1925, when seven members of the family lost their lives in a devastating fire at the family home near Sullivan, Missouri. An account of the fire from the Sullivan Sentinel is included below. I heard this story many times from my Father as I was growing up . However, only recently was I able to find the news article included below and to find, download and print death certificates for all those who perished. These certificates and the article combine to identify the seven who died and their relationships.

I will list the family members in the order and as they are identified in the newspaper article followed by clarification of their identities and relationships.

"Mrs. William Allen" - Mrs. William Allen (wife of William Franklin Allen who survived the fire) was born Lillie/Lillian Hanson, July 29, 1869, in St. Louis, Missouri. Her father was Andrew Hanson. She was the grandmother of four of the victims of the fire and great-grandmother to two of the other victims of the fire.

"Mrs. Gertrude Hanson" - Mrs. Gertrude Hanson, wife of Jesse Hanson, was born Gertrude Pierce. Her parents were Ruben Pierce and Daisy Hibbler, who was the daughter of Lillian Hanson and her first husband John Hibbler. Mrs. Gertrude Hanson was the granddaughter of Lillian Hanson (Mrs. William Allen above) and John Hibbler.

"Eva, three years old" - Eva was born Eva Sanchez. Her parents were Gertrude Pierce (Mrs. Gertrude Hanson above) and her first husband Valiz Sanchez. She was the great-granddaughter of Mrs. William Allen.

"James, three weeks old" - James was born James Hanson on May 7, 1925. His parents were Gertrude Pierce (Mrs. Gertrude Hanson above) and her second husband Jesse Hanson. He was a half-brother to Eva Sanchez and the great-grandson of Mrs. William Allen.

"Meredith Pierce 14" - Meredith Pierce born November 13, 1910, was the son of Ruben Pierce and Daisy Hibbler. He was the brother of Gertrude Pierce (Mrs. Gertrude Hanson above) and grandson of Mrs. William Allen.

"Viola Eads 11" - Viola Eads born November 11, 1914, was the daughter of Ethyl Allen and her first husband William Edward Eads. She was the granddaughter of Mrs. William Allen and William Franklin Allen.

"Dorothy Bly 6" - Dorothy Bly was the daughter of Ethyl Allen and her second husband Earl Bly. She was a half-sister to Viola Eads and granddaughter of Mrs. William Allen and William

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Franklin Allen

Children from this marriage were:

- + 76 M i. **Walter Franklin Allen** was born on 18 August 1890 near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 23 December 1933 in Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 43, and was buried on 26 December 1933 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Walter married **Pearlina Studdard** (d. 21 September 1935) on 27 July 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

- + 77 F ii. **Drusilla Lucille "Drusie" Allen** was born on 2 July 1890 near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 December 1989 in Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 99, and was buried in December 1989 in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

Drusilla married **Alexander "Alex" Dyle** (d. 2 April 1954) on 12 August 1906 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

- + 78 M iii. **Richard Joseph Allen** was born on 4 December 1894 near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 26 October 1916 in Carterville, Joplin District, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 21, and was buried on 29 October 1916 in Carterville Cemetery, Carterville, Joplin Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.

Richard married **Eunice Fay Haukins**.

- + 79 F iv. **Ethel Lee Allen** was born on 15 December 1896 near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 8 October 1928 in Cisne, Bedford Twp, Wayne, Illinois, United States at age 31.

Ethel married **William Edwards Eads**.

Ethel next married **Earl Bly**.

19. Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" Allen (*Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 28 October 1863 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 20 January 1936 in Hermosa Beach, Los Angeles, California, United States at age 72.

Lucille married **Cyrus Frank Snyder** on 14 September 1902 in Saint Clair, Illinois, United States. Cyrus was born in 1865 in Illinois, United States.

20. Clara Emaline Allen (*Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 20 January 1867 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 2 February 1947 in rural Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 80, and was buried on 4 February 1947 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Clara E. Sites February __, 1947 Crawford 8419

! BIRTH: Date from tombstone.

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! MARRIAGE: WILLIAM SEYMOUR SITES and CLARA E. ALLEN were married
on 14 Oct 1886 in Crawford CO., MO.

**Allen
Clara
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Crawford County

Seymour Sites of Bourbon, Crawford Co., Mo. over 21; Clara Allen of Bourbon, Crawford Co., Mo. over 18; license 14 October 1886; married on 17 October 1886 by M. O. Taylor, JP at Bourbon, Crawford Co., Mo.; filed 20 October 1886; dates are confusing since the preceding marriage is dated 24 December 1888; this entry is omitted from the hand written index

**Allen
Clara Miss
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Crawford County

Seymour Sites of Bourbon, Crawford Co., Mo. over 21; Miss Clara Allen of Bourbon, Crawford Co., Mo. over 18; license 14 October 1886; married on 17 October 1886 by M. O. Taylor, JP at Bourbon, Crawford Co., Mo.

! DEATH: date from tombstone.

! BURIAL: New Rock Cemetery, south of Sullivan, Crawford Co., MO.

! BIRTH: Date from tombstone.

! MARRIAGE: WILLIAM SEYMOUR SITES and CLARA E. ALLEN were married
on 14 Oct 1886 in Crawford CO., MO.

CENSUS: 1910 Crawford Co., MO, Boone Twsp., Page 23, taken 25 Apr 1910, House 155:

SITES, Seymour W. head w m 51 m1 23 born:VA Fa:VA Mo:VA

Clara E. wife w f 42 m1 23 born:MO Fa: New York Mo:TN

Amy dau wf 17 born:MO Fa:VA Mo:MO

Wesley T. son w m 15

Mary E. dau w f 10

Ethel M. dau w f 7

?Silas E. dau w f 4

Evelyn D. dau w f 2

ALLEN, Elizabeth mother-in-law 98 wd 9/6 born:TN Fa:United States Mo: United States

(Clara say she has been married 23 years and this is their first marriage. She has had 10 children born and 8 are living. Elizabeth is a widow and has had 9 children born and 6 are living.)

! DEATH: date from tombstone.

Clara E. Sites February __, 1947 Crawford 8419

! BURIAL: New Rock Cemetery, south of Sullivan on hiway D in
Crawford Co., MO.

W.S. SITES born May 24, 1858 died Feb. 17, 1935

CLARA SITES born Jan 20, 1867 died Feb. 2, 1947

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Clara married **William Seymour Sites**, son of **Enoch Levi Sites Sr.** and **Dorcas Sites**, on 14 October 1886 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. William was born on 26 April 1858 in Hardy, Bedford, Virginia, United States, died on 17 February 1935 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 76, and was buried on 18 February 1935 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

! BIRTH: date from tombstone.

! MARRIAGE: WILLIAM SITES and CLARA ALLEN were married on
14 Oct 1886 in Crawford Co., MO.

! DEATH: date from tombstone.

! BURIAL: New Rock Cemetery, south of Sullivan on hiway D in
Crawford Co., MO.

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born and 8 are living. Elizabeth is a widow and has had 9 children born and 6 are living.)

! DEATH: date from tombstone.

William S. Sites February 17, 1935 Crawford 4814

! BURIAL: New Rock Cemetery, south of Sullivan on hiway D in
Crawford Co., MO.

W.S. SITES born May 24, 1858 died Feb. 17, 1935
CLARA SITES born Jan 20, 1867 died Feb. 2, 1947

Children from this marriage were:

+ 80 F i. **Etta Viola Sites** was born on 29 April 1887 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri,
United States, died on 16 July 1950 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United
States at age 63, and was buried in July 1950 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp,

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Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Etta married **Pinkney "Pink" Albert Carter** (d. 1962) on 25 September 1907.

- + 81 F ii. **Minnie Myrtle Sites** was born on 18 November 1889 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 8 May 1947 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 57.

Minnie married **William John Bohnenkamp** (d. 1969) on 15 March 1911.

- + 82 F iii. **Amy Eva Sites** was born on 14 July 1892 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 5 October 1965 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Amy married **Samuel David Bohnenkamp** (d. 20 February 1983) on 6 August 1913 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

- + 83 M iv. **Thomas Wesley "Wick" Sites** was born on 19 December 1894 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 28 March 1962 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 67, and was buried in March 1962 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

- + 84 M v. **Walter "Willie" Sites** was born on 28 May 1897 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 27 November 1897 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, and was buried in November 1897 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

- + 85 M vi. **William Jasen Sites** was born on 10 October 1898 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 27 November 1898 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

- + 86 F vii. **Mary Elizabeth Sites** was born on 5 April 1900 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 5 April 1939 at age 39.

Mary married **Oscar Schlater** in 1919.

- + 87 F viii. **Lillian Ethel Sites** was born on 29 January 1903 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 21 August 1991 in Butts, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 88, and was buried in August 1991 in Fairview Cemetery, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Lillian married **William Frederick Summer** on 14 June 1941.

- + 88 F ix. **Gladys Sites** was born on 17 October 1906 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Gladys married **Carl Ross**.

- + 89 F x. **Della Evelyn Sites** was born on 31 March 1908 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 2 July 1913 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 5, and was buried on 3 July 1913 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

- + 90 M xi. **Wilbur Elmer Sites** was born on 21 August 1912 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 16 June 1964 at age 51, and was buried in June 1964 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

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Wilbur married **Lela Ethel Barton** (d. 19 March 1992) on 10 February 1934.

21. Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton (*Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 28 September 1850 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 24 February 1922 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried on 25 February 1922 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1850 Birthblock for Catherine "Kate" Jane (BLANTON) daughter of Alexander A. Sr. & Nancy Mnariah (PRATT) Blanton

Catherine "Kate" Jane (**BLANTON**) was born 28 September 1850 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

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Date from 1880 census states she was born ??

Date from 1900 census states she was born July 1851 in Missouri.

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Date from 1920 census states she was born 1851 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born calculated 29 July 1850 in Missouri.

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

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Date from the obituary states she was born

The 1850 census states she was 1 month old on 30 October 1850. This would make her birth in September 1850.

1850 Federal Census age 1 month

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 157a, 30 October 1850, line 19, house 956, family 956

BLANTON, Alexandrew w m 22; Mariah w f 20; Catherine w f 1month born in September

[All born in Tennessee. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to John & Elizabeth

(**BLANTON**) Allen family, Absalom & Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton family, his parents. Notice how the censustaker wrote his name as Alexandrew Blanton. I wonder if the middle initial A. stands for Andrew?]

1854 Childbirth of brother; Alexander A. Blanton Jr.

Alexander A. Blanton Jr. was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 31 May 1854.

1854 Father's Property Transaction

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Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "D" page 469, 2 August 1854

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1860 Federal Census age 10

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870 & 871, 8 August 1860, line 37, house 744, family 748

BLANTON, Alexander w m 33; Nancy M. w f 30; Catherine J. w f 10; Alexander w m 6; [page 871] Absalom w m 4; Augustus w m 2; Nancy w f 7/12

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Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", p534, 12 November 1860

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"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: Alexander Blanton age 37-

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Diagnosis: Certif Refused."

[Apparently Alexander did not wish to apply for a pension. He is listed next to brothers Henry H. and Elbert Blanton.]

1866 Childbirth of sister; Susan "Susie" (BLANTON)

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1866-1869 Family Move

From near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

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Sarah F. (BLANTON) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 January 1869.

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Alex buys 120 acres along Hamilton Creek west of Hamilton Road and on north and south side of creek. He sells 40 acres to his father. In 1872 he sold 80 acres to the Hamilton Iron Co. of Ohio for \$1500.

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1870 Federal Census age 20

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b & 99a, 17 August 1870, line 33, house 113, family 113

BLANTON, Alexander w m 42; Nancy M. w f 40; Catherine J. w f 20; Alexander Jr. w m 16; Absalom w m 14; Augustus w m 12; Nancy w f 10; Isibell w f 8; [page 99a] Louisa w f 6; Susan w f 4; Sarah w f 2

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to many Blantons.]

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Benjamin Franklin Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 November 1870.

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Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page , 3 May 1872

Alexander Blanton and wife Nancy M. sold 7 acres lying NW corner of the SW quarter of Section 29 Twp 40 North Range 1 West of the 5th PM. and 40 acres of the SE quarter of SE quarter Section 30, Twp 40 North Range 1 West of 5th PM for \$100 to the Missouri Smelting and Mineral Land Company. This being the land conveyed to Absalom Blanton his father from B.A. Soulard in 1849. Names consent of heirs: Alexander Blanton & wife, John A. Allen & wife, John

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Blanton & wife, William W. Blanton & wife, E.S. Blanton & wife, Henry H. Blanton & wife.

1873 Death of mother; Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

1876 Marriage of Charles "Charley" W. Boles and Catherine "Kate" Jane (BLANTON)

[1] Washington County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "C", page 292

Mr. Charles W. Boles and Miss Catherine J. Blanton were married 5 March 1876.

1879 Childbirth of daughter; Frances "Fannie" B. (BOLES)

Frances "Fannie" B. (**BOLES**) was born March 1879 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

1880 Federal Census age 30

1880 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy "Nannie" Mae (BOLES)

Nancy "Nannie" Mae (**BOLES**) was born 3 October 1880 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

1884 Childbirth of son; Jesse L. (BOLES)

Jesse L. (**BOLES**) was born 13 November 1884 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Research Note

In order to determine where the children were born, one needs to research the deed records of Washington and Franklin Counties of Missouri to find out where Charles Boles bought property and when.

1900 Federal Census age 50

Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 232b, 23 & 25 June 1900, line 81, house 289, family 290

BOLES, Charles W. head w m born January 1832 age 58; Catherine wife w f born July 1851 age 48; Nannie dau w f born October 1881 age 18; Jesse L. dau w f born November 1884 age 15; **OTTO**, Fannie dau w f born March 1879 age 21; Winnie gdau w f born March 1895 age 5

[Charles born in Illinois, his parents in Ireland. Catherine born in Missouri as was her parents and the children were born in Missouri except Winnie born in Arkansas. They have been married for 20 years. Catherine says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Fannie says she is married and has been married for 7 years and has had 4 children born and 1 is living. Charles is a farmer and is renting his farm.]

1910 Federal Census age 60

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 171a, 20 & 21 April 1910, line 2, house 42, family 42

BOLES, Charles W. head w m 69; Catherine J. wife w f 59; **BLANTON**, August bnlaw w m 52

[Charles was born in Illinois his parents in Ireland/England. Catherine born in Missouri her parents born in Tennessee. August born in Missouri his parents in Tennessee. Charles has been married twice, Catherine once and they have been married for 35 years. Catherine says she has

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1920 Federal Census age 70

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 188b, 29 January 1920, line 53, house 328, family 340

BOLES, Charles W. head w m 79; Cathran J. wife w f 69

[Charles was born in Illinois his father in Ireland his mother in Illinois, Catherine was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. Living next door to August Blanton, brother of Catherine. Charles is a farmer and is renting his farm.]

1922 Death of Catherine "Kate" Jane (BLANTON) Boles

Cathrine "Kate" Jane Bowles died in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 24 February 1922.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #4373

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Cathrine Jane Bowles February 24, 1922 Franklin 4373
<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1922 Burial of Catherine "Kate" Jane (BLANTON) Boles

Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Information from Virginia Ellen (**CARTRIGHT**) Burt ggda of Catherine J. (**BLANTON**)

Boles states they are buried at Prospect Cemetery with no headstones. Their daughter; Jesse is buried next to them.

Find A Grave Memorial# *93256811

Catherine married **Charles "Charley" W. Boles**, son of **Frederick William Bowles** and **1st Wife**, on 5 March 1876 in Washington, Missouri, United States. Charles was born on 7 December 1839 in Illinois, United States, died on 29 November 1922 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 82, and was buried on 30 November 1922 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1839 Birthblock of Charles "Charley" W. Bowles son of Frederick William and 1st spouse () Bowles

Charles "Charley" W. Bowles was born in Illinois, United States on 7 December 1839.

Date from 1840 census states he was born

Date from 1850 census states he was born

Date from 1860 census states he was born

Date from 1870 census states he was born

Date from 1880 census states he was born

Date from 1900 census states he was born January 1832 in Illinois.

Date from 1910 census states he was born 1841 in Illinois.

Date from 1920 census states he was born 1841 in Illinois.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 7 December 1839 in Illinois.

1840 Federal Census age 1

1850 Federal Census age 11

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1860 Federal Census age 21

1861-1865 Military Involvement

[1] 1890 Veteran Schedules

BOLES, Charles W. Private, Company K, 9th Illinois Infantry, enlistment 2 September 1861 discharged 18 July 1865 served 3 yrs 10mos 16 days

[2] U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865

Name: Charles W. Boles Side: Union Regiment State/Origin: Illinois Regiment Name: 9 Illinois Infantry. Regiment Name Expanded: 9th Regiment, Illinois Infantry COMPANY: B Rank In: Private Rank In Expanded: Private Rank Out: Bugler Rank Out Expanded: Bugler Alternate Name: Charles W./Bowles Film Number: M539 roll 8

[3] American Civil War Soldiers

Name: Charles Bowles RESIDENCE: Jackson County, Illinois Enlistment Date: 3 Sep 1861 Side Served: Union State Served: Illinois Service Record: Enlisted as a Private on 3 September 1861. Enlisted in Company K, 9th Infantry Regiment Illinois on 3 Sep 1861. Transferred out of Company K, 9th Infantry Regiment Illinois on 21 Jul 1864. Transferred into Company B, 9th Infantry Regiment Illinois on 21 Jul 1864. Mustered Out Company B, 9th Infantry Regiment Illinois on 9 Jul 1865. Sources: 7

??MARRIAGE: Charles W. Boles

1870 Federal Census age 31

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1880 Federal Census age 41

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Jesse L. (BOLES) was born 13 November 1884 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 1, line 3, Union Army

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discharged with gun shot wound to hand.

1900 Federal Census age 61

Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 232b, 23 & 25 June 1900, line 81, house 289, family 290

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Children from this marriage were:

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1875 Father's marriage of widower Alexander A. Blanton Sr. & widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

Alexander Blanton and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875.

[This is widow Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) who married 1st James Pratt. James Pratt died in 1874.]

1880 Federal Census age 26

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 33a, 23 June 1880, line 6, house 204, family 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26,

Absalom son w m 23, Augustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

1882 or 1888 Death of father; Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

1890 Marriage of Alexander A. Blanton Jr. and Eliza Jane "Jennie" (DACE)

[1] Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "E", page 51

Alexander Blanton of Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Eliza J. Dace of Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 28 September 1890 license; married on 28 September 1890 by T. M. Snyder, JP at Franklin Co., Mo.

1894 Childbirth of daughter; Rilla Ethel (BLANTON)

Rilla Ethel (**BLANTON**) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 28 July 1894.

1898 Childbirth of son; Ralph McDonald Blanton Sr.

Ralph McDonald Blanton Sr. was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 11 July 1898.

1900 Federal Census age 46

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 27b, 19 & 20 June 1900, line 90, house 218, family 221

BLANTON, Alex head w m born May 1854 age 46; Liza J. wife w f born June 1871 age 29; Rilla E. dau w f born July 1894 age 15; Ralph son w m born July 1898 age 1

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Alex & Liza have been married for 10 years and Liza says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Alex is a farmer and is renting his farm.]

1910 Federal Census age 56

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 28b, 3 & 4 May 1910, line 92, house 268,

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family 271

BLANTON, Alexander A. head w m 54; Eliza J. wife w f 38; Rilla E. dau w f 15; Ralph M. son w m 11

[All born in Missouri including parents except Alex's parents born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage abd they have been married for 19 years. Eliza says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Alex is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1920 Federal Census age 66

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 177a, 3 January 1920, line 2, farm 21, family 21

BLANTON, Alexander A. head w m 65; Eliza J. wife w f 48; Ralph M. son w m 21

[All born in Missouri including parents except Alex's parents born in Tennessee. Alex is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1930 Federal Census 76

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 183b, 24 April 1930, line 79, house 193, family 193

BLANTON, Alex A. head w m 75; Eliza J. wife w f 58

[All born in Missouri including parents except Alex's parents born in Tennessee. Alex first married at age 36, Eliza first married at age 19. Alex is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1931 Death of Alexander A. Blanton Jr.

Alexander A. Blanton Jr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 October 1931.

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics Death Certificate #33993

Alexander Blanton white married male born May 31, 1854 in Crawford County, Missouri to Alexander Blanton born in Kentucky and [blank] Pratt born Kentucky. Alex was 77 years, 4 months, 22 days old when he died on 23 October 1931 at Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. His wife was Jenny Blanton he was a farmer for the last 65 years. His was buried on 25 October 1931 at I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Missouri. The informant was Mrs. H.H. Graham of Sullivan, MO.

1931 Burial of Alexander A. Blanton Jr.

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, (Odd Fellows) Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Blanton, Alexander May 31, 1854-died [no date]

Blanton, Jennie June 18, 1871-Feb 24, 1953

1931 Obituary of Alexander A. Blanton Jr.

Newspaper obituary (unknown) A. A. Blanton

Alexander A. Blanton, a son of Alexander and Mariah Blanton, was born near Sullivan, Mo., May 31, 1854, and departed this life Oct. 23, 1931, at the age of 77 years, 4 months, 23 days, at his farm home four miles southeast of Sullivan. Mr. Blanton spent his entire life near Sullivan and had the pleasure of watching this vicinity grow from a pioneer settlement to it's present state of developement. He loved to relate stories of pioneer life in the old days. In 1890, Mr. Blanton was united in marriage to Jennie Dace. To this union two children were born, Rilla (Mrs. H.H. Graham), and Ralph M. Blanton. In early manhood Mr. Blanton joined the Baptist Church in Sullivan. He loved to read the Bible and talk it over with his family and friends. He was of sterling moral character, a devoted husband and father and a loyal neighbor and friend.

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

He leaves to mourn his passing, his wife, the son and daughter before mentioned, and four grandchildren, all of Sullivan; three brothers, Absalom of Bourbon, Augustus of Sullivan, Benjamin, address unknown; one sister, Mrs. Susie Bigely of Pitcher, Okla. The funeral service was conducted at the residence by Elder J. F. Hethcock Sunday afternoon and burial was made in Odd Fellow Cemetery in Sullivan. There was a large attendance at both services. Card of Thanks - We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy extended to us during the illness and death of our dear husband and father. We also wish to thank the choir for the beautiful songs, and Elder Hethcock for his comforting words. Mrs. Alexander Blanton, Ralph M. Blanton, Rilla A. Graham

Alexander married **Eliza Jane "Jennie" Dace**, daughter of **John Dennis Dace** and **Sarah Davis**, on 28 September 1890 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Eliza was born on 18 June 1871 in Jefferson, Missouri, United States, died on 24 February 1953 in Missouri State Hospital #1, Fulton, Fulton Twp, Callaway, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried on 27 February 1953 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Eliza Jane "Jennie" (DACE) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

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1871 Birthblock of Eliza Jane "Jennie" (DACE) daughter of John Dennis and Sarah (DAVIS) Dace

Eliza Jane "Jennie" (**DACE**) was born in Jefferson, Missouri, United States on 18 June 1871.

Date from 1880 census states she was born in 1871 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states she was born June 1871 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1872 in Missouri.

Date from 1920 census states she was born 1872 in Missouri.

Date from 1930 census states she was born 1872 in Missouri.

Date from 1940 census states she was born 1872 in Missouri.

Date from death certificate states she was born 18 June 1871 in Missouri.

1873 Childbirth of brother; David Martin Dace

David Martin Dace was born in Jefferson, Missouri, United States on 3 March 1873 and died on 23 July 1875.

1875 Childbirth of brother; Silas Edward Dace

Silas Edward Dace was born in Jefferson, Missouri, United States on 21 April 1875.

1879 Childbirth of sister; Mary Josephine (DACE)

Mary Josephine (**DACE**) was born in Cullen Twp, Pulaski, Missouri, United States on 19 January 1879.

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1880 Federal Census age 9

Cullen Twp, Pulaski, Missouri, United States, page 372a, 22 June 1880, line 46, house 202, family 207

DACE, John D. head w m 47; Sarah wife w f 43; James L. son w m 19; Nancy E. dau w f 13; Lizy J. dau w f 9; [page 372b] Silas E. son w m 5; Mary J. dau w f 1

[All born in Missouri including parents except John's father born in Indiana. John is a farmer.]

1882 Death of mother; Sarah (DAVIS) Dace

Sarah (**DAVIS**) Dace died in Cullen Twp, Pulaski, Missouri, United States on 19 January 1882.

1890 Marriage of Alexander A. Blanton Jr. and Eliza Jane "Jennie" (DACE)

[1] Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "E", page 51

Alexander Blanton of Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Eliza J. Dace of Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 28 September 1890 license; married on 28 September 1890 by T. M. Snyder, JP at Franklin Co., Mo.

1890 Death of father; John Dennis Dace

John Dennis Dace died on 2 June 1890 probably in either Jefferson County or Pulaski County Missouri.

He died before the 1890 Veterans Schedules census. The date is from the Dace family bible, death & burial location undetermined. After the death of his spouse Sarah (**DAVIS**) in 1882 he may have returned to Jefferson County or lived with one of his surviving children until his death.]

1894 Childbirth of daughter; Rilla Ethel (BLANTON)

Rilla Ethel (**BLANTON**) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 28 July 1894.

1898 Childbirth of son; Ralph McDonald Blanton Sr.

Ralph McDonald Blanton Sr. was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 11 July 1898.

1900 Federal Census age 29

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 27b, 19 & 20 June 1900, line 90, house 218, family 221

BLANTON, Alex head w m born May 1854 age 46; Liza J. wife w f born June 1871 age 29; Rilla E. dau w f born July 1894 age 15; Ralph son w m born July 1898 age 1

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Alex & Liza have been married for 10 years and Liza says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Alex is a farmer and is renting his farm.]

1910 Federal Census age 39

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 28b, 3 & 4 May 1910, line 92, house 268, family 271

BLANTON, Alexander A. head w m 54; Eliza J. wife w f 38; Rilla E. dau w f 15; Ralph M. son w m 11

[All born in Missouri including parents except Alex's parents born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage abd they have been married for 19 years. Eliza says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Alex is a farmer and owns his farm.]

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1920 Federal Census age 49

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 177a, 3 January 1920, line 2, farm 21, family 21

BLANTON, Alexander A. head w m 65; Eliza J. wife w f 48; Ralph M. son w m 21

[All born in Missouri including parents except Alex's parents born in Tennessee. Alex is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1930 Federal Census age 59

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 183b, 24 April 1930, line 79, house 193, family 193

BLANTON, Alex A. head w m 75; Eliza J. wife w f 58

[All born in Missouri including parents except Alex's parents born in Tennessee. Alex first married at age 36, Eliza first married at age 19. Alex is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1931 Death of spouse; Alexander A. Blanton Jr.

Alexander A. Blanton Jr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 October 1931.

1935 Residency on Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramect Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 69

Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramect Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 230b, 23 April 1940, line 61, house 239 _

GRAHAM. Harry head w m 66; Rilla wife w f 45; Lucille dau w f 20; **BLANTON, Jennie** mother-in-law w f 68

[Harry was born in Pennsylvania, the rest in Missouri. Jennie is a widow. Harry is in store construction. Lucille works in a shoe factory.]

1853 Death of Eliza Jane "Jennie" (DACE) Blanton

Eliza Jane "Jennie" (**DACE**) Blanton died in State Hospital #1, Fulton, Callaway, Missouri, United States on 24 February 1853.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #5013

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Jennie Blanton died February __, 1953 at Callaway county Fulton #5013

[<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>](http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search)

Jennie Blanton white twice widowed female was born 18 June 1871 in Missouri to John Dennis Dace and Sarah Davis. She was married to Alexander Blanton. She died 24 February 1953 at State Hospital #1, Fulton, Callaway, Missouri. Her usual residence was Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri. She was buried 27 February 1953 at I.O.O.F. Cemetery at Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri. The informant was Fulton Hospital records.

1953 Burial of Eliza Jane "Jennie" (DACE) Blanton

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, (Odd Fellows) Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Blanton, Alexander May 31, 1854-died [no date]

Blanton, Jennie June 18, 1871-Feb 24, 1953

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 94 F i. **Rilla Ethel Blanton** was born on 28 July 1894 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 17 February 1963 at age 68, and was buried in February 1963 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Rilla married **Harry Herman Graham Sr.** (d. 12 January 1952) from 1917 to 1918.

- + 95 M ii. **Ralph McDonald Blanton Sr.** was born on 11 July 1898 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 10 October 1967 in Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 69, and was buried in October 1967 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Ralph married **Annabell Alcey Bates** (d. 21 October 1992) in 1927 in Edwardsville, Edwardsville Twp, Madison, Illinois, United States.

23. Absalom B. Blanton (*Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 2 April 1856 in Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 13 January 1933 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 76, and was buried on 15 January 1933 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1856 Birthblock of Absalom B. Blanton son of Alexander A. Sr. & Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Absalom B. Blanton was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 2 April 1856.

Date from 1860 census states he was born 1856 in Missouri.

Date from 1870 census states he was born 1856 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states he was born 1857 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states he was born May 1855 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states he was born 1856 in Missouri.

Date from 1920 census states he was born

Date from 1930 census states he was born 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 2 April 1856 in Richwoods, Washington Co., MO.

Date from the family bible states he was born 2 April 1856.

1858 Childbirth of brother; Augustus "Gus" Blanton

Augustus "Gus" Blanton was born in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United State or near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 2 March 1858.

1860 Childbirth of sister; Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON)

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Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (**BLANTON**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 20 January 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 4

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870 & 871, 8 August 1860, line 37, house 744, family 748

BLANTON, Alexander w m 33; Nancy M. w f 30; Catherine J. w f 10; Alexander w m 6; [page 871] Absalom w m 4; Augustus w m 2; Nancy w f 7/12
[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next doot to John & Caroline (**BLANTON**) Pratt family.]

1860 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 534, 12 November 1860
Alexander Blanton sold to James F. Garland SW¼-NW¼ of Section 36, Township 40 north, Range 2 west
[This property is located in Crawford County Northeast of the Sappington Bridge road east of the Meramec River close to the Crawford and Washington Counties border consisting of 40 acres.]

1862 Childbirth of sister; Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON)

Isabelle "Belle" (**BLANTON**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 8 January 1862.

1863 Childbirth of sister; Louisa (BLANTON)

Louisa (**BLANTON**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 11 March 1863.

1864 Father's Military Physical

Between 1860-1875 Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to men to see if they were fit for service or for pension applications. These reports were recorded in his ledger know known as "The John B. Bell Papers", and are housed in the library at the University of Missouri at Rolla, MO., in the manuscript department. The physicals took place at Potosi, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: Alexander Blanton age 37-
Diagnosis: Certif Refused."

[Apparently Alexander did not wish to apply for a pension. He is listed next to brothers Henry H. and Elbert Blanton.]

1866 Childbirth of sister; Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON)

Susan "Susie" Jane (**BLANTON**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1866.

1866-1869 Family Move

From near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1869 Childbirth of sister; Sarah F. (BLANTON)

Sarah F. (**BLANTON**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 January 1869.

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18?? Farher's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book

Alex buys 120 acres along Hamilton Creek west of Hamilton Road and on north and south side of creek. He sells 40 acres to his father. In 1872 he sold 80 acres to the Hamiton Iron Co. of Ohio for \$1500.

Research Note

This is a significant property transaction. Prior to the Hamilton Iron Company known as the Hamilton Iron Works purchase in 1872 from Alexander A. Blanton, this property was known as Blanton Hollow and Blanton Creek. Old maps have been found naming them as such. After the Hamilton Iron Works began production of mining in the area, the name was changed to Hamilton Hollow and Hamilton Creek even though the Hamilton family resided elsewhere.

1870 Federal Census age 14

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b & 99a, 17 August 1870, line 33, house 113, family 113

BLANTON, Alexander w m 42; Nancy M. w f 40; Catherine J. w f 20; Alexander Jr. w m 16; Absalom w m 14; Augustus w m 12; Nancy w f 10; Isibell w f 8; [page 99a] Louisa w f 6; Susan w f 4; Sarah w f 2

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to many Blantons.]

1870 Childbirth of brother; Benjamin Franklin Blanton

Benjamin Franklin Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 November 1870.

1872 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page , 3 May 1872

Alexander Blanton and wife Nancy M. sold 7 acres lying NW corner of the SW quarter of Section 29 Twp 40 North Range 1 West of the 5th PM. and 40 acres of the SE quarter of SE quarter Section 30, Twp 40 North Range 1 West of 5th PM for \$100 to the Missouri Smelting and Mineral Land Company. This being the land conveyed to Absalom Blanton his father from B.A. Soulard in 1849. Names consent of heirs: Alexander Blanton & wife, John A. Allen & wife, John Blanton & wife, William W. Blanton & wife, E.S. Blanton & wife, Henry H. Blanton & wife.

1873 Death of mother; Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

1875 Father's marriage of widower Alexander A. Blanton Sr. & widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

Alexander Blanton and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875.

[This is widow Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) who married 1st James Pratt. James Pratt died in 1874.]

1880 Federal Census age 24

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 33a, 23 June 1880, line 6, house 204, family 204

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BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Agustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

1882 or 1888 Death of father; Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

1883 Marriage of Absalom B. Blanton and Martha Ellen (JACKSON) Hayes

Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "D", page 88

A. B. Blanton of Sillivan, Franklin, Missouri and Mrs. Ellen Hayse of Sillivan, Franklin, Missouri were married 18 March 1883 in Crawford County, Missouri at A. J. McIntosh's residence in Crawford County.

1886 Childbirth of son; Jim Dulio "Duel" Dulie Blanton

Jim Dulio "Duel" Dulie Blanton was born in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 6 June 1886.

1887 Childbirth of son; Arthur "Joker" Blanton

Arthur "Joker" Blanton was born in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 14 July 1887.

1891 Childbirth of daughter; Lottie (BLANTON)

Lottie (**BLANTON**) was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 16 July 1891.

1900 Federal Census age 44

Desloge, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 152b, 5 June 1900, line 70, house 129, family 136

BLANTON, Ab B. head w m born May 1855 age 45; Ellen wife w f born December 1847 age 52; Arthur son w m born July 1887 age 12; Lottie dau w f born July 1889 age 10

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Absalom and Ellen have been married for 18 years and Ellen says she has had 7 children born and 3 are living. Absalom is a miner and they are renting their home.]

1910 Federal Census age 54

Railroad Avenue, Bourbon Village, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 17a, 16 April 1910, house 33, family 33

BLANTON, A.S. head w m 54; Martha E. wife w f 53; Arthur son w m 21

[Absalom born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky, Martha and Luther born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 27 years and this is Absalom and Martha's second marriage. Martha says she has had 7 children born and 3 are living.]

1912 Death of step-mother; Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton

Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt Blanton died near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 March 1912.

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1920 Federal Census age 64

1930 Federal Census age 74

Bourbon Village, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 2b, 2 April 1930, house 57,

BLANTON, Albert B. head w m 73; Ellen M. wife w f 72

[All born in Missouri including parents. Albert was married at age 33, Ellen at age 32. Living next door to Arthur & Mary E. Blanton.]

1933 Death of Absalom B. Blanton

Absalom B. Blanton died in Bourbon Village, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 13 January 1933.

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, Death Certificate State File #759

Absalom B. Blanton was 76 years, 9 months, 11 days old when he died on 13 January 1933 in Bourbon, Crawford Co., MO. He was born on 2 April 1856 in Richwoods, Washington Co., MO. His father was Alex Blanton born in Washington Co., MO and his mother was unknown. His spouse was Ellen Jackson Blanton. He is buried at Sullivan, MO. The informant was Lottie Blanton Keys, his daughter. (He used the initial "B" to distinguish his name from his brother's. He had no middle name.)

1933 Burial of Absalom B. Blanton

Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

FAG# 102040325

Absalom B. Blanton {FAG# 102040325} was born 2 April 1856 - Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died 13 January 1933 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and was buried 15 January 1933 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Alexander A. Blanton Sr. {FAG#* 77350515} (1828-1882) Mother: Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) {FAG#* 77351126} (1830-1873). Spouse: Martha Ellen (**JACKSON**) {FAG# 102040569} (17 December 1857 - 17 April 1933) Marriage: 18 March 1883 - Crawford, Missouri, United States Children: Jim Dulio "Duel" Dulie Blanton (1886-1917) Arthur "Joker" Blanton {FAG#+ 23085548} (1887-1947) Lottie (**BLANTON**) Keys {FAG#+ 49840770} (1891-1963)

Blanton Family Bible

In the possession of Lucille Reed of Oklahoma, granddaughter of Alexander A. Blanton, Jr, son of Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton:

Births from Family Bible

Blanton, Alexander was born Nov 11, 1830
children:

Blanton, Catherine J.	born July 28, 1850
Blanton, Alexander, Jr.	born May 31, 1854
Blanton, Absalom	born April 2, 1856
Blanton, Augustus	born March 2, 1858
Blanton, Nancy M.	born Nov 11, 1859
Blanton, Isabel	born Jan 8, 1862
Blanton, Louisa	born Mar 11, 1864
Blanton, Susan	born June 19, 1866
Blanton, Sarah F.	born Jan 15, 1869

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Blanton, Benjamin Franklin born Nov 11, 1870

Marriages from Family Bible

Alex Blanton and Maria Pratt was married on October 14 1849

Alex Blanton and Catherine Pratt was married on Oct 13 1875

Deaths from Family Bible

Maria Blanton died Jan. 27, 1873 aged 42yrs

Alexander Blanton died Apr 29, 1888

William Henry Blanton died (no date)

Isabel Blanton died April 1901 aged 39yrs

Absalom married **Martha Ellen Jackson**, daughter of **William Smith A. Jackson** and **Edith "Eda" Jane Simmons**, on 18 March 1883 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Martha was born on 17 December 1857 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 17 April 1933 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried on 20 April 1933 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1857 Birthblock of Martha Ellen (JACKSON) daughter of William Smith A. & Edith "Eda" Jane (SIMMONS) Jackson

Martha Ellen (**JACKSON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 17 December 1857.

Date from the 1860 census states she was born 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1858 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1858 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born December 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1858 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 17 December 1857 at Sullivan, Missouri.

1858 Childbirth of sister: Rachel (JACKSON)

Rachel (**JACKSON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 6 January 1858.

1860 Federal Census age 3

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 455b, 24 July 1860, house 834, family 827

JACKSON, Smith w m 26; Ada w f 21; Susan w f 4; Martha w f 3

[All born in Missouri except Ada born in Tennessee. Smith a farmer.]

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

1860 Childbirth of sister; Sarah Catherine (JACKSON)

Sarah Catherine (JACKSON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 18 August 1860.

1861 Childbirth of brother; Phillip Jackson

Phillip Jackson was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 5 December 1861 and died 18 October 1863.

1863 Childbirth of sister; Melissa (JACKSON)

Melissa (JACKSON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 5 February 1863.

1865 Childbirth of brother; William Jackson

William Jackson was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 25 April 1865.

1866 Childbirth of sister; Mary Isabel (JACKSON)

Mary Isabel (JACKSON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on September 1866.

1867 Childbirth of brother; Austin Clark Jackson

Austin Clark Jackson was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 February 1867.

1869 Childbirth of brother; John G. Jackson

John G. Jackson was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 17 February 1869.

1870 Federal Census age 13

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, page 92b, 12 August 1870, line 2, house 22, family 22

JACKSON, Smith w m 36; Eda w f 34; Susan w f 14; Martha w f 12; Rachel w f 11; Sarah C. w f 8; Melissa w f 7; William w m 5; Mary w f 4; Austin C. w m 3; John w m 1
[All born in Missouri. Smith is a farmer.]

1870 Death of mother; Edith "Eda" Jane (SIMMONS) Jackson

Edith "Eda" Jane (SIMMONS) Jackson died near near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 39 December 1870.

1872 Marriage of Daniel "David" Hayes and Martha Ellen (JACKSON)

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 213

Daniel Hays of lawful age & Ellen Jackson by consent of her parents, both of Washington Co., Mo.; married on 21 January 1872 by James Rose, MG at Washington Co., Mo.

1877 Childbirth of son; Ernest Edward Hayes

Ernest Edward Hayes was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1877.

1878 Childbirth of son; Austin Hayes

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Austin Hayes was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1878.

1880 Federal Census 23

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 84b, 9 June 1880, line 34, house 72, family 77

HAYES, Daniel head w m 29; Martha E. wife w f 22; Earnest son w m 3; Austin son w m 2
[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Daniel is a farmer. Living next door to her parent's family Smith & Eda Jane (**SIMMONS**) Jackson.]

1880-1883 Death of spouse: Daniel "David" Hayes -

Daniel "David" Hayes died between the 1880 census date of 9 June 1880 and the marriage date of his spouse on 18 March 1883 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1883 Marriage of Absalom B. Blanton and Martha Ellen (JACKSON) Hayes

Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "D", page 88

A. B. Blanton of Sillivan, Franklin, Missouri and Mrs. Ellen Hayse of Sillivan, Franklin, Missouri were married 18 March 1883 in Crawford County, Missouri at A. J. McIntosh's residence in Crawford County.

1886 Childbirth of son: Jim Dulio "Duel" Dulie Blanton

Jim Dulio "Duel" Dulie Blanton was born in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 6 June 1886.

1887 Childbirth of son: Arthur "Joker" Blanton

Arthur "Joker" Blanton was born in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 14 July 1887.

1891 Childbirth of daughter: Lottie (BLANTON)

Lottie (**BLANTON**) was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 16 July 1891.

1900 Federal Census age 43

Desloge, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 152b, 5 June 1900, line 70, house 129, family 136

BLANTON, Ab B. head w m born May 1855 age 45; Ellen wife w f born December 1847 age 52; Arthur son w m born July 1887 age 12; Lottie dau w f born July 1889 age 10

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Absalom and Ellen have been married for 18 years and Ellen says she has had 7 children born and 3 are living. Absalom is a miner and they are renting their home.]

1906 Death of father: William Smith A. Jackson

William Smith A. Jackson died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 14 February 1906.

1910 Federal Census age 53

Railroad Avenue, Bourbon Village, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 17a, 16 April 1910, house 33, family 33

BLANTON, A.S. head w m 54; Martha E. wife w f 53; Arthur son w m 21

[Absalom born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky, Martha and Luther born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 27 years and this is Absalom and Martha's second

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marriage. Martha says she has had 7 children born and 3 are living.]

1912 Death of step-mother-in-law; Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton

Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton died near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 March 1912.

1920 Federal Census age 63

1930 Federal Census age 73

Bourbon Village, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 2b, 2 April 1930, house 57,

BLANTON, Albert B. head w m 73; Ellen M. wife w f 72

[All born in Missouri including parents. Albert was married at age 33, Ellen at age 32. Living next door to Arthur & Mary E. Blanton.]

1933 Death of spouse; Absalom B. Blanton

Absalom B. Blanton died in Bourbon Village, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 13 January 1933.

1933 Death of Martha Ellen (JACKSON) Hayes Blanton

Martha Ellen (JACKSON) Hayes Blanton died in Bourbon Village, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 17 April 1933. _

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, Death Certificate State File # 12802

Martha Ellen Blanton white married female was born 17 December 1857 at Sullivan, Missouri to Smith Jackson born at Potosi, MO and Edith Jackson born at Potosi, MO. Her spouse is A. B. Blanton. She died on 17 April 1933 at Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri. She was buried on 20 April 1933 at Sullivan, MO. Informant was Mrs. Lottie Keyes, St. Louis, MO.

1933 Burial of Martha Ellen (JACKSON) Hayes Blanton

Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
Date of 20 April 1933 at Sullivan, MO. No cemetery mentioned.

FAG# 102040569

Martha Ellen (JACKSON) Hayes Blanton {FAG# 102040569} was born 17 December 1857 - near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died 17 April 1933 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and was buried 20 April 1933 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: William Smith A. Jackson {FAG#32316727} (1834-1906) Mother: Edith "Eda" Jane (SIMMONS) {FAG#+ 10044627} (1839-1870) Spouses(2) 1st spouse Daniel "David" Hayes (1845 - 1880-1883) Marriage: 21 January 1872 - Washington, Missouri, United States Children: Ernest Edward Hayes {FAG# 5275647} (1877-1947) Austin Hays (1878-) 2nd spouse Absalom B. Blanton {FAG#* 102040325} (2 April 1856 - 13 January 1933) Marriage: 18 March 1883 - Crawford, Missouri, United States Children: Jim Dulio "Duel" Dulie Blanton (1886-1917) Arthur "Joker" Blanton {FAG#+ 23085548} (1887-1947) Lottie (BLANTON) Keyes {FAG#+ 49840770} (1891-1963)

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 96 M i. **Jim Dulio "Duel" Dulie Blanton** was born on 6 June 1886 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died in 1917 in Germany at age 31.
Jim married **Elizabeth "Eliza" "Lizzie" F. Stater** on 28 August 1914 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 97 M ii. **Arthur "Joker" Blanton** was born on 14 July 1887 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 2 November 1947 in O'Reilly Veteran's Administration Hospital, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried on 3 November 1947 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
Arthur married **Mary Elizabeth Fenton** (d. 18 January 1975) on 23 February 1925 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 98 F iii. **Lottie Blanton** was born on 16 July 1891 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died on 13 January 1963 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried in January 1963 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
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Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Augustus "Gus" Blanton by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 12 December 2012

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Date from 1900 census states he was born in February 1858 in Missouri.

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Date from 1920 census states he was born in 1859 in Missouri.

Date from 1930 census states he was born in 1852 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 2 March 1858 in Washington County,

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Missouri.

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Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 20 January 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 2

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870 & 871, 8 August 1860, line 37, house 744, family 748

BLANTON, Alexander w m 33; Nancy M. w f 30; Catherine J. w f 10; Alexander w m 6; [page 871] Absalom w m 4; Augustus w m 2; Nancy w f 7/12

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next doot to John & Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt family.]

1860 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 534, 12 November 1860

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[This property is located in Crawford County Northeast of the Sappington Bridge road east of the Meramec River close to the Crawford and Washington Counties border consisting of 40 acres.]

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"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: Alexander Blanton age 37- Diagnosis: Certif Refused."

[Apparently Alexander did not wish to apply for a pension. He is listed next to brothers Henry H. and Elbert Blanton.]

1866 Childbirth of sister; Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON)

Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1866.

1866-1869 Family Move

From near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

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1869 Childbirth of sister; Sarah F. (BLANTON)

Sarah F. (BLANTON) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 January 1869.

18?? Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book

Alex buys 120 acres along Hamilton Creek west of Hamilton Road and on north and south side of creek. He sells 40 acres to his father. In 1872 he sold 80 acres to the Hamilton Iron Co. of Ohio for \$1500.

Research Note

This is a significant property transaction. Prior to the Hamilton Iron Company known as the Hamilton Iron Works purchase in 1872 from Alexander A. Blanton, this property was known as Blanton Hollow and Blanton Creek. Old maps have been found naming them as such. After the Hamilton Iron Works began production of mining in the area, the name was changed to Hamilton Hollow and Hamilton Creek even though the Hamilton family resided elsewhere.

1870 Federal Census age 12

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b & 99a, 17 August 1870, line 33, house 113, family 113

BLANTON, Alexander w m 42; Nancy M. w f 40; Catherine J. w f 20; Alexander Jr. w m 16; Absalom w m 14; Augustus w m 12; Nancy w f 10; Isibell w f 8; [page 99a] Louisa w f 6; Susan w f 4; Sarah w f 2

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to many Blantons.]

1870 Childbirth of brother; Benjamin Franklin Blanton

Benjamin Franklin Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 November 1870.

1872 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page , 3 May 1872

Alexander Blanton and wife Nancy M. sold 7 acres lying NW corner of the SW quarter of Section 29 Twp 40 North Range 1 West of the 5th PM. and 40 acres of the SE quarter of SE quarter Section 30, Twp 40 North Range 1 West of 5th PM for \$100 to the Missouri Smelting and Mineral Land Company. This being the land conveyed to Absalom Blanton his father from B.A. Soulard in 1849. Names consent of heirs: Alexander Blanton & wife, John A. Allen & wife, John Blanton & wife, William W. Blanton & wife, E.S. Blanton & wife, Henry H. Blanton & wife.

1873 Death of mother; Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

1875 Father's marriage of widower Alexander A. Blanton Sr. & widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

Alexander Blanton and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875.

[This is widow Catherine (KIMBERLIN) who married 1st James Pratt. James Pratt died in

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1874.]

1880 Federal Census age 22

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 128b, 7 June 1880, line 27, house 67, family 67

BLANTON, Gust boarder w m 22; **ANDERSON**, James head w m 50; Nancy wife w f 21; John son w m 23; Sarah dau w f 21; Nethie dau w f 17; Eupheny dau w f 15; Rufus son w m 13; Emma dau w f 10; **REED**, Mary M. step-dau w f 7; Julia dau w f 1

[Gus was born in Missouri his parents were born in Tennessee, James was born in Tennessee as was his parents, Nancy was born in Missouri as was her parents, the rest were born in Missouri, their father in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri except Mary (**REED**)'s father was born in Illinois. Gus, James and John are laborers.]

1880 Federal Census age 22

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 33a, 23 June 1880, line 6, house 204, family 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Agustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

1882 or 1888 Death of father; Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

1883 Marriage of Augustus "Gus" Blanton and Hannah Eliza (BURLEY)

[1] Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "E", page 279

Augustus Blanton of the Meremac Twp of the County of Franklin who is over the age of 21 and Hannah E Burley of the Meremac Twp of the County of Franklin who is under the age of 18. The father of the said Hannah E. Burley has given his consent to the said marriage. Augustus J. Balte Judge did at Union, Franklin, Missouri, United States did on 13 December 1883.

1900 Federal Census age 42

Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 135b, 2 June 1900, line 97, house 18, family 18

BLANTON, August head w m born February 1858 age 42; Eliza wife w f born May 1867 age 33

[All born in Missouri including parents except Eliza's father born in New Hampshire. August works in a rock quarry and they rent their home. They have been married for 16 years and Eliza says she has had 2 children born and none are living.]

1904 Death of spouse; Hannah Eliza (BURLEY) Blanton

Hannah Eliza (**BURLEY**) Blanton died at Wildwood, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 31 March 1904.

[1] Missouri Death Records, 1834-1931

Name:Eliza Blanton Death Date: Birth Date:22 May 1868 County:St Louis

Race/Ethnicity:White Age:35 Gender:F age 35yrs 10mos 9days married born in Missouri,

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father's birthplace New Hampshire, birthplace of mother Missouri, buried at Glencoe Cemetery.

1910 Federal Census age 52

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 171a, 20 & 21 April 1910, line 2, house 42, family 42

BOLES, Charles W. head w m 69; Catherine J. wife w f 59; **BLANTON**, August bnlaw w m 52

[Charles was born in Illinois his parents in Ireland/England. Catherine born in Missouri her parents born in Tennessee. August born in Missouri his parents in Tennessee. Charles has been married twice, Catherine once and they have been married for 35 years. Catherine says she has had 3 children born and 1 is living. August says he is a widower. Charles is a farmer and is renting his farm.]

1912 Death of step-mother: Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt Blanton

Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) Pratt Blanton died near Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 March 1912.

1920 Federal Census age 62

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 188b, 29 January 1920, line house 328, family

BOLES, Charles W. head w m 79; Catherine J. wife w f 69

[Charles was born in Illinois his father in Ireland his mother in Illinois, Catherine was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. Living next door to August Blanton, brother of Catherine.

BLANTON, August w m head age: 61 wid born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN

(next door to Charles W. & Catherine J. (**BLANTON**) Boles.)

1930 Federal Census age 72

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 185, 29 April 1930, house 227,

BLANTON, Ralph M. head w m 31; Annabelle wife w f 23; Ralph Jr. son w m 1 ?/12; Alcy Jane dau w f 2; Guss uncle w m 78 widowed

[All born in Missouri including parents except Gus' father born in Kentucky. Ralph was first married at age 29, Annabelle at age 21.]

1933 Death of Augustus "Gus" Blanton

Augustus "Gus" Blanton died in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 3 January 1933.

[1] Missouri Department of Health death certificate #3225

Gus Blanton died January 03, 1933 at St. Louis City death certificate #3225

1933 Burial of Augustus "Gus" Blanton

Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States _
Death certificate states he was buried at Sullivan, Missouri on 5 January 1933.

FAG# 102078195

Augustus "Gus" Blanton {FAG#* 102078195} was born 2 March 1858 - Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States abd died 3 January 1933 - City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States abd was buried 5 January 1933 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri,

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United States. Parents Father: Alexander A. Blanton Sr. {FAG#* 77350515} (1828-1882)
Mother: Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) {FAG#* 77351126} (1830-1873) Spouse: Hannah Eliza
(**BURLEY**) {FAG# *93317407} (22 May 1867 - 31 March 1904) Marriage: 13 December
1883 - Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Augustus married **Hannah Eliza Burley**, daughter of **George D. Burley** and **Susan**, on 13
December 1883 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Hannah was born on 22 May
1867 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 31 March 1904 in Meramec Twp,
Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 36, and was buried in April 1904 in Glencoe
Cemetery, Wildwood, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

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1867 Birthblock of Hannah Eliza (BURLEY) daughter of George D. & Susan () Burley

Hannah Eliza (**BURLEY**) was born in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 22
May 1867._

Date from the 1870 census states she was born

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1867 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born May 1867 in Missouri.

Date from the marriage license states she was born after 1865.

Date from the death record states she was born 22 May 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 3

1871 Childbirth of sister; Mary Jane (BURLEY)

Mary Jane (**BURLEY**) was born in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on
January 1871._

Research Note

In order to determine where Hannah and Mary were born we need to know when and where
George Burley bought property in Franklin County, Missouri.

1871-1880 Death of mother; Susan () Tate Burley

Susan () Tate Burley died in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States after the
birth of daughter; Mary Jane (**BURLEY**) and before her widowed spouse married Mary Ann
(**PHILLIPS**) Will._

1872-1880 Father's marriage of George O. Burley and Mary Ann (PHILLIPS)

1880 Federal Census age 13

Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 203a, 16 June 1880, line 1, house 181,
family 186

BURLEY, George O. head w m 52; Mary A. wife w f 42; **HILLIARD**, Martha sdau w f 24;

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WITT, Samuel sson w m 12; William H. sson w m 7; August sgrandson w m 8; **BURLEY**, Eliza dau w f 13; Mary Jane dau w f 9

[George was born in Maine as was his parents. The rest were born in Missouri. Mary's parents born in Tennessee, Martha's father in Tennessee, mother in Missouri, August's mother born in Tennessee, Eliza and Mary Ann's father in Miane and mother in Missouri. George is a carpenter.]

1883 Marriage of Augustus "Gus" Blanton and Hannah Eliza (BURLEY)

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1904 Death of Hannah Eliza (BURLEY) Blanton

Hannah Eliza (**BURLEY**) Blanton died at Wildwood, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 31 March 1904.

[1] Missouri Death Records, 1834-1931

Name:Eliza Blanton Death Date: Birth Date:22 May 1868 County:St Louis Race/Ethnicity:White Age:35 Gender:F age 35yrs 10mos 9days married born in Missouri, father's birthplace New Hampshire, birthplace of mother Missouri, buried at Glencoe Cemetery.

1904 Burial of Hannah Eliza (BURLEY) Blanton

Glencoe Cemetery, Wildwood, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
Death Record states she was buried at Glencoe Cemetery, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Glencoe Catholic Cemetery - Near Hwy 109 & Old State, Wildwood, Meramec Twp, St. Louis County, Missouri (Formerly known as St. Joseph's because a St. Joseph church met at LaSalle. That church quit and records went to Sacred Heart. 4/25/04

25. Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton *(Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹)*

was born on 11 November 1859 in Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 9 March 1923 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 11 March 1923 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

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Date from 1900 census states she was born

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1861 in Missouri.

Date from 1920 census states she was born 1859 in Missouri.

Date from the family bible states she was born 11 November 1859.

Date from death certificate states she was born 12 November 1860 in Washington County, Missouri

1860 Federal Census age 7mos

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870 & 871, 8 August 1860, line 37, house 744, family 748

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Diagnosis: Certif Refused."

[Apparently Alexander did not wish to apply for a pension. He is listed next to brothers Henry H. and Elbert Blanton.]

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1872 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page , 3 May 1872

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1873 Death of mother; Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

1875 Father's marriage of widower Alexander A. Blanton Sr. & widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

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1880 Federal Census age 20?

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 128b, 7 June 1880, line 27, house 67, family 67

BLANTON, Gust boarder w m 22; **ANDERSON**, James head w m 50; Nancy wife w f 21; John son w m 23; Sarah dau w f 21; Nethie dau w f 17; Eupheny dau w f 15; Rufus son w m 13; Emma dau w f 10; **REED**, Mary M. step-dau w f 7; Julia dau w f 1

[Gus was born in Missouri his parents were born in Tennessee, James was born in Tennessee as was his parents, Nancy was born in Missouri as was her parents, the rest were born in Missouri, their father in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri except Mary (**REED**)'s father was born in Illinois. Gus, James and John are laborers.]

1880 Federal Census age 20?

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 33a, 23 June 1880, line 6, house 204, family 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Augustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

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1880 Federal Census age 20??

Crawford Twp, Osage, Missouri, United States, _

OWENS, Frank ... 58; Elizabeth 44; John R. 20; Mary F. 18; Jessie 16; William 14; Sarah 11; Laura 9; Joseph R. 7; Ida M. 5; Blanch 7mos; **BLANTON**, Nancy 18

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Theresa "Tressie" (KEYS) was born in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 16 September 1895.

1897 Childbirth of daughter; Eva Maxine (KEYS)

Eva Maxine (KEYS) was born in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 7 July 1897.

1900 Federal Census age 40

1910 Federal Census age 50

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 195a, 23 April 1910, line house 67, family **KEYS**, William head w m 54; Nannie wife w f 49; Tommie son w m 18; Tressie au w f 15; Eva dau w f 13[William was born in Arkansas his oparents in Tennessee, Nannie was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest were born in Missouri their father in Arkansas their mother in Tennessee. William has been married twice, Nannie has been married once and she says she has had 6 children born 5 are living. They have been married 25yrs.]

1920 Federal Census age 60

Adams Street, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 40b, 3 February 1920, line , house 861, family **KEYS**, William head w m 61; Queenie wife w f 61; Thomas son w m 27; Theresa dau w f 24; [William born in Arkansas, his parents in the US. Queenie born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest in Missouri.

1923 Death of Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON) Keys

Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON) died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 9 March 1923.

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, Death Certificate States File #10323C

NANNIE KEYS was 62 years, 3 months, 28 days when she died of pneumonia on 9 March 1923 in Perry Twp, St. Francois County, MO. She was born on 12 November 1860 in Washington Co., MO. Her parents were Alex Blanton, born Washington Co., MO. Does not list her mother. Her husband was William Keys. She was buried on 11 March 1923 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Mo. The informant was H.E. Asbridge (her son- in-law.)

1923 Burial of Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON) Keys

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Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

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Maria Blanton died Jan. 27, 1873 aged 42yrs
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Nancy married **William E. "Uncle Bill" Keys**, son of **Keys** and **Unknown**, on 1 June 1884 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. William was born on 25 November 1855 in Arkansas, United States, died on 22 March 1934 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 78, and was buried on 25 March 1934 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

1855 Birthblock of William E. "Uncle Bill" Keys son of

William E. "Uncle Bill" Keys was born in Arkansas on 25 November 1855.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born

Date from the 1870 census states he was born

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1856 in Arkansas.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born

Date from the 1910 census states he was born

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born

Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from the 1940 census states he was born

Date from the WWII military involvement states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

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Date from the SSDI states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1860 Federal Census age 4

1870 Federal Census age 14

1878-1879 Marriage of William E. "Uncle Bill" Keys and Harriet Rachel (STEPHENS)
were married 1878/1879.

1879 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah Caroline (KEYS)

Sarah Caroline (KEYS) was born in Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 22 October 1879.

1880 Childbirth of son; John Keys

John Keys was born in Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1880.

1880 Federal Census ag 24

Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 106c,

KEY, William head w m 24; Harriet wife w f 18; Sarah dau w f 1; John son w m 3mos
[William born in Arkansas, his parents born in Tennessee, Harriet born in Missouri, her father in Illinois her mother in Kentucky, the rest born in Missouri. Living two doors down from her parents, Franklin & Elizabeth Stephens. William is a wood cutter.]

1880-1884 Death of spouse; Harriet Rachel (STEPHENS) Keys

Harriet Rachel (STEPHENS) Keys died in Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States after the 1880 census abd before her spouse's marriage data in 1884.

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on 16 September 1895.

1897 Childbirth of daughter: Eva Maxine (KEYS)

Eva Maxine (**KEYS**) was born in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 7 July 1897.

1900 Federal Census age 44

1910 Federal Census age 54

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 195a, 23 April 1910, line house 67, family **KEYS**, William head w m 54; Nannie wife w f 49; Tommie son w m 18; Tressie au w f 15; Eva dau w f 13[William was born in Arkansas his oparents in Tennessee, Nannie was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest were born in Missouri their father in Arkansas their mother in Tennessee. William has been married twice, Nannie has been married once and she says she has had 6 children born 5 are living. They have been married 25yrs.]

1920 Federal Census age 64

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1923 Death of spouse: Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (BLANTON) Keys

Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (**BLANTON**) died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 9 March 1923.

1930 Federal Census age 74

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 221, 16 April 1930, house 31, **STAHLMAN**, William L. head w m 50; Sarah wife w f 51; Oscar son w m 27; Roy son w m 25; Nellie dau w f 18; Bessie dau w f 16; Ilean dau w f 14; **KEYES**, William father-in-law w m 74; **RUTLEDGE**, Hannah boarder w f 17

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except William Keyes born in Arkansas as was his parents. William Stahlmann was first married at age 22 and Sarah was first married at age 23. William Keyes is a widower.

1934 Death of William E. "Uncle Bill" Keys

William E. "Uncle Bill" Keys died in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 22 March 1934._

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #8494

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: William Keys March __, 1934 Franklin 8494

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

William Keys white widowed male born 25 November 1855 in Texas County, Missouri to father [don't know] and mother [don't know]. His wife was Nancy Keys and he was a farmer and died on the 22 March 1934 at Union, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. He was buried on 25 March 1934 at Bonne Terre, Missouri. The informant was William Stalhamann, Pacific, Missouri.

1934 Burial of William E. "Uncle Bill" Keys

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Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

EMAIL from Greg Porter 20 January 2010 greg.porter@boeing.com

Hello Floyd, I got your email address from New Family Search, where I see you are a contributor for William Keys (1855-1934). His record number there is MW8G-NV3. I believe that my grandfather, Glen Porter, and his missionary companion, Alpheus Droubay, stayed several days with William Keys in Missouri in 1924, per Elder Droubay's mission journal. Apparently Brother Keys was emotional when the Elders left at the end of their visit so it appears he was somewhat close to them. I have Elder Droubay's journal on the internet and wanted to make the entry available to his family members or others who may be interested. I'd also be interested if William happened to have a journal that spoke of the Elder's visit in 1924, or any photographs that may include them. Are you a family member or can you put me in contact with one? Would you be interested in the journal entry? Best regards, Greg Porter Mesa, AZ

EMAIL reply to Greg Porter 22 January 2010

Greg, My interest in William Keys is so remote that I would not be interested in the information you stated.

He married Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (**BLANTON**) (his second wife) who is the daughter of Alexander A. Sr. & Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton. Nancy (**PRATT**) is my 4th Great Aunt. (4GA). So, you can see they are so far down the totem pole that I'm lucky I can get them to the temple to have their work done. Yes, I am a High Priest in the Bradenton Florida Stake, Bradenton 2nd Ward have been a member for 35 years. Sure wish William and "Queenie" had joined the church back then, they would have saved me some of all the work I have had to do for and on behalf of the Blanton family. Thanks for writing.

Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 22 January 2010 floydpratt59@verizon.net

Greg, Another thought, did your grandfather or Elder Droubay happen to put down the parents of William Key in that journal? We can't seem to find his ancestry. Thanks, Bro. Pratt

Children from this marriage were:

+ 99 F i. **Rosie May Keys** was born on 13 January 1887 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 26 August 1985 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 98.

Rosie married **John Harvey Reed** (d. 15 October 1966) on 24 August 1905 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 100 F ii. **Birdie Keys** was born on 12 May 1891 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 12 January 1979 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 87, and was buried in January 1979 in Marvin Chapel Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Birdie married **Hedgeman "Red" Asbridge** (d. 17 August 1967) on 24 February 1909 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

+ 101 M iii. **Thomas "Tom" Keys** was born on 1 January 1892 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 12 March 1986 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 94, and was buried in March 1986 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Thomas married **Malissa Pearl Neff** (d. 10 January 1938) from 1920 to 1922.

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Thomas next married **Betty Hilliard**.

- + 102 F iv. **Theresa "Tressie" Keys** was born on 16 September 1895 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 14 July 1946 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 50, and was buried on 16 July 1946 in Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Theresa married **Alexander Bailey** (d. 15 November 1957) on 18 December 1920 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

- + 103 F v. **Eva Maxine Keys** was born on 7 July 1897 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 18 February 1963 at age 65, and was buried in February 1963 in Sunset Cemetery, Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Eva married **Otis "Odie" Chester Miller** (d. 26 July 1930) on 14 October 1918 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Eva next married **John Wesley Hogan** (d. 23 August 1972).

26. Isabelle "Belle" Blanton (*Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 8 January 1862 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died in April 1901 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 39, and was buried in April 1901 in Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1862 Birthblock of Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON) daughter of Alexander A. Sr. & Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Isabelle "Belle" (**BLANTON**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 8 January 1862.

Date from 1870 census states she was born in 1862 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states she was born in 1862 in Missouri..

Date from 1900 census states she was born in

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1863 Childbirth of sister; Louisa (BLANTON)

Louisa (**BLANTON**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 11 March 1863.

1864 Father's Military Physical

Between 1860-1875 Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to men to see if they were fit for service or for pension applications. These reports were recorded in his ledger now known as "The John B. Bell Papers", and are housed in the library at the University of Missouri at Rolla, MO., in the manuscript department. The physicals took

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place at Potosi, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: Alexander Blanton age 37-
Diagnosis: Certif Refused."

[Apparently Alexander did not wish to apply for a pension. He is listed next to brothers Henry H. and Elbert Blanton.]

1866 Childbirth of sister; Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON)

Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1866.

1866-1869 Family Move

From near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1869 Childbirth of sister; Sarah F. (BLANTON)

Sarah F. (BLANTON) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 January 1869.

18?? Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book

Alex buys 120 acres along Hamilton Creek west of Hamilton Road and on north and south side of creek. He sells 40 acres to his father. In 1872 he sold 80 acres to the Hamilton Iron Co. of Ohio for \$1500.

Research Note

This is a significant property transaction. Prior to the Hamilton Iron Company known as the Hamilton Iron Works purchase in 1872 from Alexander A. Blanton, this property was known as Blanton Hollow and Blanton Creek. Old maps have been found naming them as such. After the Hamilton Iron Works began production of mining in the area, the name was changed to Hamilton Hollow and Hamilton Creek even though the Hamilton family resided elsewhere.

1870 Federal Census age 8

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b & 99a, 17 August 1870, line 33, house 113, family 113

BLANTON, Alexander w m 42; Nancy M. w f 40; Catherine J. w f 20; Alexander Jr. w m 16; Absalom w m 14; Augustus w m 12; Nancy w f 10; Isibell w f 8; [page 99a] Louisa w f 6; Susan w f 4; Sarah w f 2

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to many Blantons.]

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1886 Proposed Marriage of Thomas E. Judd and Belle (BLANTON)

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002 [License returned and not used]

Name: Thomas E Judd Marriage Date: 4 May 1886 Marriage Location: Franklin, Missouri
Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Belle Blanton

Research Note

What the above 1886 proposed marriage indicates... Thomas E. Judd left the Edwards County, Illinois area probably after his wife Mary Jane (_____) Powell Judd died and moved back to the Franklin County, Missouri area, before his failed 1886 proposed marriage to Belle (**BLANTON**). As to why the above marriage never took place is unknown. However, Isabelle "Belle" (**BLANTON**) married James H. Eads 6 days later on 10 May 1886 instead of marrying Thomas E. Judd.

1886 Marriage of James H. Eads and Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON)

Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "D", page 249

James H. Eads of Crawford Co., Mo. over 21; Isabel Blanton of Crawford Co., Mo. over 18; license 10 May 1886; married on 10 May 1886 by T. M. Snyder, JP at Sullivan, Crawford Co., Mo.

1891 Childbirth of daughter; Maudie Ann (EADS)

Maudie Ann (**EADS**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1

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February 1891.

1900 Federal Census age 38

1901 Death of Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON) Eads

Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON) Eads died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on April 1901.

[1] Date from family bible states she died April 1901.

1901 Burial of Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON) Eads

Probably Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

Research Note

Since her parents and siblings are buried in the Blanton Cemetery and when her husband died in 1932 he was the last known burial in the Blanton Cemetery. If his wife; Isabelle was not buried there, I doubt he would have wanted to be buried there, I think he was buried next to her.

FAG#* 101941935

Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON) Eads {FAG#* 101941935} was born 8 January 1862 - near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died April 1901 - Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and was buried April 1901 - Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Alexander A. Blanton Sr. {FAG#* 77350515} (1828-1882) Mother: Nancy Mariah (PRATT) {FAG# *77351126} (1830-1873) Spouse: James H. Eads {FAG#* 97538849} (4 August 1863 - 12 November 1932) Marriage: 10 May 1886 - Crawford, Missouri, United States Children: Maudie Ann (EADS) Cain {FAG#+ 34749887} (1891-1924)

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1863 Birthblock of James H. Eads son of James and Jane () Eads

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1862-1865 Death of father: James Eads

James Eads died in the civil war.

1870 Federal Census age 7

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States., house 67

EADS, Jane w f 34; Benjamin A. w m 13; Mary A. w f 10; James H. w m 7

[Jane was born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri.

1880 Federal Census age 17

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1891 Childbirth of daughter: Maudie Ann (EADS)

Maudie Ann (**EADS**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1 February 1891.

1892 Mother's marriage of Andrew Keams and widow; Jane () Eads

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mrs. Jane Eades Marriage Date:24 Feb 1892 Marriage Location:East Bonne Terre, St Francois, Missouri Marriage County:St Francois Spouse Name:Andrew Keams

She was from Bonne Terre he is from Ste. Genevieve.

1900 Federal Census age 37

1901 Death of Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON) Eads

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1910 Federal Census age 47

Carterville Ward 3, Jasper, Missouri

GLAYS, James J 48 May C 43 Herchel E 19 Illinois M 18 **EADS, James** 47

MARISON, James 47; **MCCUYONAN**, Claunce 17

1920 Federal Census age 57

1930 Federal Census age 67

1932 Death of James H. Eads

James H. Eads died in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 12 November 1932.

[1] Date from headstone states he died 1932.

Missouri Department of Health Death Certificate# 35319

1932 Burial of James H. Eads

Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp., Washington, Missouri, United States

His grave was the last to be placed in the cemetery.

James J. Eads died 1932

From Rootsweb.com

James H EADES b: Aug 1862 d: AFT 1905

+ Belle BLANTON b: Sep 1860 d: AFT 1900

2 Maude EADS b: Oct 1888 d: 17 Oct 1924

+ James William CAIN b: 15 Jun 1881/1884 d: 15 Feb 1945

FAG# 97538849

James H. Eads {FAG# 97538849} Birth: 4 August 1863 - Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Death: 12 November 1932 - Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States Burial: 15 November 1932 - Blanton Cemetery, Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

His grave was the last to be placed in the cemetery. Parents Father: James Eads (1831-From 1862/1865) Mother: Jane (_____) (1836-_____) Spouse: Isabelle "Belle" (**BLANTON**) (8 January 1862 - April 1901) Marriage: 10 May 1886 - Crawford, Missouri, United States Children: Maudie Ann (**EADS**) Cain {FAG#34749887} (1891-1924)

The child from this marriage was:

+ 104 F i. **Maudie Ann Eads** was born on 1 February 1891 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 17 October 1924 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 33, and was buried on 18 October 1924 in Cedar Falls Cemetery, Desloge, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Maudie married **James William Cain** (d. 15 February 1945) on 27 November 1905 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

27. Louisa Blanton (*Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 11 March 1863 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 9 February 1912 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 48, and was

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1863 Birthblock of Louisa (BLANTON) daughter of Alexander A. Sr. & Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

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Date from 1870 census states she was born 1864 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states she was born 1864 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states she was born February 1865 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1864 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born March 11, 1863 in Greene, Tennessee.

1864 Father's Military Physical

Between 1860-1875 Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to men to see if they were fit for service or for pension applications. These reports were recorded in his ledger now known as "The John B. Bell Papers", and are housed in the library at the University of Missouri at Rolla, MO., in the manuscript department. The physicals took place at Potosi, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: Alexander Blanton age 37-
Diagnosis: Certif Refused."

[Apparently Alexander did not wish to apply for a pension. He is listed next to brothers Henry H. and Elbert Blanton.]

1866 Childbirth of sister; Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON)

Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1866.

1866-1869 Family Move

From near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1869 Childbirth of sister; Sarah F. (BLANTON)

Sarah F. (BLANTON) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 January 1869.

18?? Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book

Alex buys 120 acres along Hamilton Creek west of Hamilton Road and on north and south side of creek. He sells 40 acres to his father. In 1872 he sold 80 acres to the Hamilton Iron Co. of Ohio for \$1500.

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Research Note

This is a significant property transaction. Prior to the Hamilton Iron Company known as the Hamilton Iron Works purchase in 1872 from Alexander A. Blanton, this property was known as Blanton Hollow and Blanton Creek. Old maps have been found naming them as such. After the Hamilton Iron Works began production of mining in the area, the name was changed to Hamilton Hollow and Hamilton Creek even though the Hamilton family resided elsewhere.

1870 Federal Census age 6

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b & 99a, 17 August 1870, line 33, house 113, family 113

BLANTON, Alexander w m 42; Nancy M. w f 40; Catherine J. w f 20; Alexander Jr. w m 16; Absalom w m 14; Augustus w m 12; Nancy w f 10; Isibell w f 8; [page 99a] Louisa w f 6; Susan w f 4; Sarah w f 2

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to many Blantons.]

1870 Childbirth of brother; Benjamin Franklin Blanton

Benjamin Franklin Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 November 1870.

1872 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page , 3 May 1872

Alexander Blanton and wife Nancy M. sold 7 acres lying NW corner of the SW quarter of Section 29 Twp 40 North Range 1 West of the 5th PM. and 40 acres of the SE quarter of SE quarter Section 30, Twp 40 North Range 1 West of 5th PM for \$100 to the Missouri Smelting and Mineral Land Company. This being the land conveyed to Absalom Blanton his father from B.A. Soulard in 1849. Names consent of heirs: Alexander Blanton & wife, John A. Allen & wife, John Blanton & wife, William W. Blanton & wife, E.S. Blanton & wife, Henry H. Blanton & wife.

1873 Death of mother; Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

1875 Father's marriage of widower Alexander A. Blanton Sr. & widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

Alexander Blanton and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875.

[This is widow Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) who married 1st James Pratt. James Pratt died in 1874.]

1880 Federal Census age 16

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 21, 24 June 1880, house 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Augustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

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1882 or 1888 Death of father; Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

1889 Marriage of John Henry Clark and Louisa (BLANTON)

[1] Crawford County., Missouri Marriage Record Book "D", page 453

John H. Clark of Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Louisa Blanton of Crawford Co., Mo. over 18; license 17 December 1889 (sic); married on 25 September 1889 (sic) by T. M. Snyder, JP at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.; filed 2 November 1889 (sic)

1890 Childbirth of daughter; Elsie (CLARK)

Elsie (**CLARK**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 August 1890.

1891 Childbirth of son; Charles "Charlie" Clark

Charles "Charlie" Clark was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on August 1891-1892.

1893 Childbirth of son; Carac Martin Clark

Carac Martin Clark was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on May 1893.

1896 Childbirth of son; Albert Clark (twins)

Albert Clark was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on April 1896.

1896 Childbirth of daughter; Alice (CLARK) (twins)

Alice (**CLARK**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on April 1896.

1900 Federal Census age 36

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 207a, 22 June 1900, line 42, house 40

CLARK, John head w m born November 1859 age 40; Luiza wife w f born February 1865 age 35; Fred son w m born September 1881 age 18; Jessie son w m born June 1884 age 15; Joe son w m born January 1887 age 13; Elsie son w m born August 1888 age 11; Charles son w m born August 1889 age 10; Charac son w m born May 1893 age 7; Albert son w m born April 1896 age 4; [page 207b] Alice dau w f born April 1896 age 4
[All were born in Missouri as was their parents. Louisa says she has been married for 12 years and has had 7 children born 7 are alive. John is a farmer and is renting.]

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1908 Childbirth of daughter; Minnie (CLARK)

Minnie (**CLARK**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 46

Vine Steet, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 19 & 20 April 1910, line , house 168

CLARK, John H. head w m 51; Louisa wife w f 45; Jessie son w m 26; Elsie dau w f 20; Charlie son w m 18; Carric son w m 17; Albert son w m 16; Alice dau w f 14; Minnie dau w f 2 [John and Louisa were born in Missouri their parents in the US, Jesse was born in Texas his father in Missouri his mother in Texas, The rest were born in Missouri as was their parents. John has been married twice and Louisa says this is her first marriage of 22 years and she has had 6 children born and 6 are living. John is a farmer.]

1912 Death of Louisa (BLANTON) Clark

Louisa (**BLANTON**) Clark died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin Missouri, United States on 9 February 1912. _

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics Death Certificate #8890
Louisa Clark States white married feamle born 11 March 1863 in Washington County, Missouri to Alex Blanton born Green County Tennessee and Nancy M. Pratt born Green County Tennessee. She was a housewife aged 48 years, 11 months, 1 day. She died 9 February 1912 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin Missouri, United States. She was buried 10 February 1912 at Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin Missouri, United States. The informant was her husband, John H. Clark, Sullivan, Missouri.
Louisa Clark February 09, 1912 Franklin 8890

1912 Burial of Louisa (BLANTON) Clark

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin Missouri, United States
Clark, John H. born 1859 - died 1951
Clark, Louisa born: 1863 - died 1912

1912 Death Notice of Louisa (BLANTON) Clark

Sullivan Sentinal, Feb. 16, 1912, Page 5:

Mrs. John H. Clark died in Sullivan Friday, Feb. 9, 1912, aged 48 years 10 months 28 days. She is the daughter of Alex Blanton born March 11, 1863. She was married to John Clark on Sept. 25, 1889. Six children survive: Elsie, Charles, Carrie, Albert, Alice, Minnie.

Blanton Family Bible

In the possession of Lucille Reed of Oklahoma, granddaughter of Alexander A. Blanton, Jr, son of Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton:

Births from Family Bible

Blanton, Alexander was born Nov 11, 1830

children:

Blanton, Catherine J. born July 28, 1850

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Blanton, Alexander, Jr. born May 31, 1854
Blanton, Absalom born April 2, 1856
Blanton, Augustus born March 2, 1858
Blanton, Nancy M. born Nov 11, 1859
Blanton, Isabel born Jan 8, 1862
Blanton, Louisa born Mar 11, 1864
Blanton, Susan born June 19, 1866
Blanton, Sarah F. born Jan 15, 1869
Blanton, Benjamin Franklin born Nov 11, 1870

Marriages from Family Bible

Alex Blanton and Maria Pratt was married on October 14 1849

Alex Blanton and Catherine Pratt was married on Oct 13 1875

Deaths from Family Bible

Maria Blanton died Jan. 27, 1873 aged 42yrs

Alexander Blanton died Apr 29, 1888

William Henry Blanton died (no date)

Isabel Blanton died April 1901 aged 39yrs

FAG# 54037373

Louisa (**BLANTON**) Clark {FAG# 54037373} was born 11 March 1863 - near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 9 February 1912 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried 10 February 1912 - Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Alexander A. Blanton Sr. {FAG#* 77350515} (1828-1882) Mother: Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) {FAG# *77351126} (1830-1873). Spouse: John Henry Clark {FAG# 54037284} (November 1859 - 1951) Marriage: 25 September 1889 - Crawford, Missouri, United States. Children: Elsie (**CLARK**) (1890-1954) Charles "Charlie" Clark (1891-) Carac Martin Clark (1893-) Albert Clark (1896-) Alice (**CLARK**) (1896-) Minnie (**CLARK**) (1908-)

Louisa married **John Henry Clark**, son of **Benjamin Johnson Clark** and **Sarah Susan Sullivan**, on 25 September 1889 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. John was born in November 1859 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died in 1951 in Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States at age 92, and was buried in 1951 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1859 Birthblock of John Henry Clark son of Benjamin Johnson and Sarah Susan (SULLIVAN) Clark

John Henry Clark was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on November 1859.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born 1860 in Missouri.

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Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1862 in Missouri.
Date from the 1880 census states he was born
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Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1860 in Missouri.
Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1860 in Missouri.
Date from the 1940 census states he was born 1860 in Missouri.
Date from the death certificate states he was born
Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born
Date from the funeral home records states he was born
Date from the headstone states he was born
Date from the obituary states he was born

1860 Federal Census age 8months

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page house 845:

CLARK, B.[Benjamin] J.[Johnson]. w m 19; Susan w f 18; John H. w m 8mos

[All born in Missouri.

1865 Childbirth of brother; William C. Clark

William C. Clark was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1865.

1865-1866 Death of mother; Sarah Susan (SULLIVAN) Clark

Sarah Susan (**SULLIVAN**) Clark died near Bourbon Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States after the 1860 census and before her spouse's marriage in 1866.

1860-1865 Father's Military Involvement

CIVIL WAR: fought on Union side.

1866 Father's marriage of Benjamin Johnson Clark and Susan Drucilla (WHITMIRE)

Benjamin Johnson Clark and Susan Drucilla (**WHITMIRE**) were married on 22 Apr 1866 in ???

1868 Childbirth of brother; Henry M. Clark

Henry M. Clark was born near Stanton Post Office, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 10

Stanton Post Office, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 17, 8 August 1870, line 11, house 103, family 93

CLARK, Benjamin w m 33; Frances w f 30; John w m 8; Wm C. w m 5; Henry M. w m 2;
WHITAKER, Ruth domestic servant w f 19

[Benjamin born in Kentucky, Frances in Tennessee the rest in Missouri.

??1876 Marriage of John Clark and Miss Marietta Rowland

Jefferson County, Missouri Marriage Record Book " ", page 298

Mr. John Clark of Rolla, Phelps Co., Mo. and Miss Marietta Rowland of Jefferson Co., Mo.; married on 3 July 1876 by D. J. Marquis, MG at Jefferson Co., Mo.

1880 Federal Census age 20

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1880 Marriage of John Henry Clark and Henrietta "Etta" (ALCORN)

Since Etta (ALCORN) is living with her sister in the 12 June 1880 census then, they were married after that date. Son; Frederick was born 10 September 1881, nine months prior to his birth would be January 1881, therefore, they were married after June of 1880 and before January of 1881. Most likely married in Texas.

1881 Childbirth of son; Frederick "Fred" Harry Clark

Frederick "Fred" Harry Clark was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 September 1881.

1884 Childbirth of son; Jesse W. Clark

Jesse W. Clark was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 8 August 1884.

1886 Childbirth of son; Joseph "Joe" Virgil Clark

Joseph "Joe" Virgil Clark was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 January 1886.

1886-1889 Death of spouse; Henrietta "Etta" (ALCORN) Clark

Henrietta "Etta" (ALCORN) Clark died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States after the 1886 birth of son; Joseph and before spouse's marriage in 1889.

1889 Marriage of John Henry Clark and Louisa (BLANTON)

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1900 Federal Census age 40

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1908 Childbirth of daughter: Minnie (CLARK)

Minnie (**CLARK**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 50

Vine Steet, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 19 & 20 April 1910, line , house 168

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[John and Louisa were born in Missouri their parents in the US, Jesse was born in Texas his father in Missouri his mother in Texas, The rest were born in Missouri as was their parents. John has been married twice and Louisa says this is her first marriage of 22 years and she has had 6 children born and 6 are living. John is a farmer.]

1912 Death of spouse: Louisa (BLANTON) Clark

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1920 Federal Census age 60

Main Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 181a, 9 January 1920, line 27, house 197, family 151

CLARK, John H. head w m 60

[Born in Missouri as was his parents. He is a widower and renting.]

1920-1930 Family Move

From Main Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Fairmont Precinct, Jefferson, Colorado, United States

1930 Federal Census age 70

Fairmont Precinct, Jefferson, Colorado, United States, page 207a, 24 & 25 April 1930, line 23, house 89, family 89 _

CLARK, Joe V. head w m 44; Bertha J. wife w f 44; Edith M. dau w f 20; Loyde J. son w m 18; Doris E. dau w f 17; Virginia L. dau w f 14; Jess Wm son w m 12; Isabelle H. dau w f 10; Calvin R. son w m 2; **John H. father w m 70**; **WHEELER**, Beverly G. dau w f 19

[Joe was born in Missouri as was his father, his mother was born in Texas. Bertha, John and Beverly were born in Missouri as was their parents, Edith, Loyd, Doris and Virginia were born in Colorado, Jess and Isabelle were born in Wyoming, Calvin was born in Colorado. Joe is a farmer and rents his farms.]

1835 Residency at the Official Convalescent Home, formally Tilden Home, Grove Street, Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States

1940 Federal Census age 80

Official Convalescent Home, formally Tilden Home, Grove Street, Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States, page 429a, 11 April 1940, line 11,

CLARK, John inmate w m 80 single born in Missouri

1951 Death of John Henry Clark

John Henry Clark died in Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States in 1951.

[1] Date from headstone states he died 1951.

1951 Burial of John Henry Clark

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Clark, John H. 1859-1951

Clark, Louisa 1863-1912

FAG# 54037284

John Henry Clark {FAG# 54037284} was born November 1859 - Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 1951 - Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States and was buried 1951 - Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Parents: Father: Benjamin Johnson Clark {FAG# 59699548} (1840-1913) Mother: Sarah Susan (**SULLIVAN**) (1842-1860/1866). Spouses: 1st spouse Henrietta "Etta"

(**ALCORN**) (22 November 1860 - 1886/1889) Marriage: 1879-1880. Children: Frederick

"Fred" Harry Clark (1881-1971) Jesse W. Clark (1884-1912) Joseph "Joe" Virgil Clark

(1887-) Elsie (**CLARK**) Rommelman (1888-1954) Charles Clark (1889-) 2nd

spouse Louisa (**BLANTON**) {FAG# 54037373} (11 March 1863 - 9 February 1912)

Marriage: 25 September 1889 - Crawford, Missouri, United States. Children: Carac Martin

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Clark (1893-)) Albert Clark (1896-) Alice (**CLARK**) (1896-) Minnie
(**CLARK**) (1908-)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 105 F i. **Elsie Clark** was born on 2 August 1890 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 1 January 1954 in Saint Joseph Hospital, Boonville, Boonville Twp, Cooper, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 4 January 1954 in Walnut Grove Cemetery, Boonville, Boonville Twp, Cooper, Missouri, United States.
Elsie married **Henry C. Rommelman** (d. 30 September 1955) on 5 September 1913 in Phelps, Missouri, United States.
- + 106 M ii. **Charles "Charlie" Clark** was born in July 1891 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 107 F iii. **Carac Martin Clark** was born on 11 March 1893 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 108 M iv. **Albert Clark** was born in April 1896 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 109 F v. **Alice Clark** was born in 1896 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 110 F vi. **Minnie Clark** was born in 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

28. Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton (*Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 19 June 1866 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 3 January 1941 in 26th & Tyler Avenue, Joplin, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 74, and was buried on 6 January 1941 in Fairview Cemetery, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

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1866 Birthblock for Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON) daughter of Alexander A. Sr. & Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Susan "Susie" Jane (**BLANTON**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1866.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1866 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1866 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born November 1865 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1867 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1866 in Missouri.

Date from the 1940 census states she was born 1866 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 19 June 1866 in Sullivan, Missouri.

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1866-1869 Family Move

From near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1869 Childbirth of sister; Sarah F. (BLANTON)

Sarah F. (BLANTON) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 January 1869.

18?? Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book

Alex buys 120 acres along Hamilton Creek west of Hamilton Road and on north and south side of creek. He sells 40 acres to his father. In 1872 he sold 80 acres to the Hamilton Iron Co. of Ohio for \$1500.

Research Note

This is a significant property transaction. Prior to the Hamilton Iron Company known as the Hamilton Iron Works purchase in 1872 from Alexander A. Blanton, this property was known as Blanton Hollow and Blanton Creek. Old maps have been found naming them as such. After the Hamilton Iron Works began production of mining in the area, the name was changed to Hamilton Hollow and Hamilton Creek even though the Hamilton family resided elsewhere.

1870 Federal Census age 4

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b & 99a, 17 August 1870, line 33, house 113, family 113

BLANTON, Alexander w m 42; Nancy M. w f 40; Catherine J. w f 20; Alexander Jr. w m 16; Absalom w m 14; Augustus w m 12; Nancy w f 10; Isibell w f 8; [page 99a] Louisa w f 6; Susan w f 4; Sarah w f 2

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1870 Childbirth of brother; Benjamin Franklin Blanton

Benjamin Franklin Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 November 1870.

1872 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page , 3 May 1872

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1873 Death of mother; Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

1875 Father's marriage of widower Alexander A. Blanton Sr. & widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

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[1] Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

Alexander Blanton and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875.

[This is widow Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) who married 1st James Pratt. James Pratt died in 1874.]

1880 Federal Census age 14

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 21, 24 June 1880, house 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Agustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

1882 or 1888 Death of father; Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

1884 Marriage of Andrew Jackson "Jack" Bigley and Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON)

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "E" 1881-1885, page 60

Andrew Bigley and Susan Blanton were married 7 December 1884.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Susan Blanton Marriage Date:7 Dec 1884 Marriage Location:Franklin, Missouri

Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Andrew J Bigley

1886 Childbirth of son; Carl William Bigley

Carl William Bigley was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 January 1886.

1887 Childbirth of daughter; Drucilla J. (BIGLEY)

Drucilla J. (**BIGLEY**) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 11 November 1887.

1889 Childbirth of son; Andrew Lauren Bigley

Andrew Lauren Bigley was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 19 October 1889.

1892 Childbirth of son; Harry Matice Bigley

Harry Matice Bigley was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1 July 1892.

1895 Childbirth of daughter; Leona Bell (BIGLEY)

Leona Bell (**BIGLEY**) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 24 May 1895.

1898 Childbirth of son; Roy John Bigley

Roy John Bigley was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 13 March 1898.

1900 Federal Census age 34

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 122a, 2 June 1900, house 8,

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BIGLEY, Andrew J. head w m born [no month]1864 age 36; Susan wife w f born November 1865 age 35; Carl W. son w m born January 1886 age 14; Doudi J. dau w f born November 1887 age 12; Andrew L. son w f born September 1890 age 10; Harry son w m born July 1892 age 8; Leona dau w f born May 1895 age 5; Roy John son w m born March 1898 age 2 [Andrew born in Ohio as was his mother, his father born in Virginia. The rest born in Missouri, Susan's father born in Tennessee her mother in Missouri. The children born in Missouri their father in Ohio their mother in Missouri. Susan says she has had 7 children born 6 are living. They have been married for 15 years.]

1902 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah "Sadie" Marie (BIGLEY)

Sarah "Sadie" Marie (**BIGLEY**) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 13 March 1902.

1906 Childbirth of daughter; Gladys Jewell (BIGLEY)

Gladys Jewell (**BIGLEY**) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 29 April 1906.

1906-1910 Family Move

From Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to 925 Conner Avenue, Joplin City, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States

1910 Federal Census aage 44

925 Conner Avenue, Joplin City, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States, page 192b, 20 April 1910, line 59, house 925, dwelling 106, family 125

BIGLEY, A J. head w m 46; Susie wife w f 43; Harry son w m 17; Leona dau w f 15; Roy son w f 12; Sadie dau w f 8; Gladis dau w f 4; Velma gdau w f 5; Ethel gdau w f 3 [Andrew born in Ohio, his father in Kentucky, his mother in Indiana, Susie was born in Tennessee as was her parents, the rest born in Missouri, their father in Ohio, their mother in Missouri, except Velma & Ethel's father born in Missouri. Jack and Susie have been married once and for 25 years, Susie says she has had 9 children born 8 are living. Andrew is a zinc and lead miner and owns his own home.]

1919 Death of spouse; Andrew Jackson "Jack" Bigley

Andrew Jackson "Jack" Bigley died in Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States on 23 November 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 54

1930 Federal Census age 64

District 17,Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 6b, 22 & 23 April 1930, house 153,

BIGLEY, Andrew head w m 40; Annie wife w f 38; Jesse R. son w m 11; Andrew L. son w m 8; Susie mother w f 64

[Andrew was born in Missouri, his father in Ohio, his mother in Missouri, the rest were born in Missouri as was their parents except Andrew L. was born in Oklahoma. Andrew is an engineer and was first married at age 18, Annie Belle (**BYINGTON**) Bigley at age 16. Susie is widowed.]

1935 Residency at 2536 Tyler Avenue, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United

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States

1940 Federal Census age 74

2536 Tyler Avenue, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States, page 325b, 5 April 1940, line 67, house 2536, family 64 _

WILSON, Frank P. head w m 55; Leona B wife w f 44; Chester P. son w m 24; Betty L dau w f 11; Susie mother-in-law w f 74

[All born in Missouri except Betty born in Oklahoma. Frank is a lead miner. They own theoir home.]

1941 Death of Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON) Bigley

Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON) Bigley died at 26th & Tyler Avenue, Joplin, Jasper, Missouri, United States on 3 January 1941.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #2974

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Susie J. Bigley January __, 1941 Jasper Joplin 2974

[<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>](http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search)

1941 Burial of Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON) Bigley

Fairview Cemetery, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States

Blanton Family Bible

In the possession of Lucille Reed of Oklahoma, granddaughter of Alexander A. Blanton, Jr, son of Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton:

Births from Family Bible

Blanton, Alexander was born Nov 11, 1830

children:

Blanton, Catherine J. born July 28, 1850

Blanton, Alexander, Jr. born May 31, 1854

Blanton, Absalom born April 2, 1856

Blanton, Augustus born March 2, 1858

Blanton, Nancy M. born Nov 11, 1859 _

Blanton, Isabel born Jan 8, 1862

Blanton, Louisa born Mar 11, 1864

Blanton, Susan born June 19, 1866

Blanton, Sarah F. born Jan 15, 1869

Blanton, Benjamin Franklin born Nov 11, 1870

Marriages from Family Bible

Alex Blanton and Maria Pratt was married on October 14 1849

Alex Blanton and Catherine Pratt was married on Oct 13 1875

Deaths from Family Bible

Maria Blanton died Jan. 27, 1873 aged 42yrs

Alexander Blanton died Apr 29, 1888

William Henry Blanton died (no date)

Isabel Blanton died April 1901 aged 39yrs

FAG# 85080968

Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON) Bigley {FAG# 85080968} was born 19 June 1866 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 3 January 1941 - 26th & Tyler Avenue, Joplin, Jasper, Missouri, United States and was buried 6 January 1941 - Fairview Cemetery,

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Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Alexander A. Blanton Sr. {FAG#* 77350515} (1828-1882) Mother: Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) {FAG# *77351126} (1830-1873) Spouse: Andrew Jackson "Jack" Bigley {FAG#* 101943002} (3 October 1863 - 23 November 1919) Marriage: 7 December 1884 - Franklin, Missouri, United States Children: Carl William Bigley {FAG# 43265589} (1886-1967) Drucilla (**BIGLEY**) Kennedy (1887-1969) Andrew Lauren Bigley {FAG# 25143781} (1889-1950) Harry Matice Bigley (1893-1971) Leona Bell (**BIGLEY**) Wilson {FAG# 84426624} (1895-1982) Roy John Bigley (1898-1962) Sarah Marie (**BIGLEY**) Geurin (1902-1971) Gladys Jewell (**BIGLEY**) Linthicum Richardson(1906-1980)

Susan married **Andrew Jackson Archer "Jack" Bigley**, son of **Charles Bigley** and **Sarah Chevalier**, on 7 December 1884 in Franklin, Missouri, United States. Andrew was born on 3 October 1863 near Long Bottom Post Office, Olive Twp, Meigs, Ohio, United States, died on 23 November 1919 in Joplin City, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 56, and was buried in November 1919 in Fairview Cemetery, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Andrew Jackson Archer "Jack" Bigley by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. _

1863 Birthblock for Andrew Jackson Archer "Jack" Bigley son of Charles and Sarah (CHEVALIER) Bigley

Andrew Jackson Archer "Jack" Bigley was born near Long Bottom Post Office, Olive Twp, Meigs, Ohio, United States on 3 October 1863.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1863 in Ohio.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1864 in Ohio.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born 1864 in Ohio.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1864 in Ohio.

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1868 Childbirth of brother; Alexander Bigley

Alexander Bigley was born in Illinois, United States on 9 August 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 7

Rising Sun Post Office; Randolph Twp, Ohio, Indiana, United States, page 372a, 9 June 1870, line 7, house 407, family 424

ROLAND, Peter w m 21; Charles w m 2mos; **BIGLEY**, Archer w m 7; Alexander w m 2; Clementine w f 8

[Peter and Charles born in Indiana, Archer born in Ohio, Alexander and Clementine born in Illinois. Peter is a laborer. Living next door at house 406 is the Bigley children's parents Charles and Sarah (**CHEVALIER**) Bigley family.]

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1870-1880 Death of father; Charles Bigley

Charles Bigley died near Rising Sun Post Office; Randolph Twp, Ohio, Indiana, United States or Village of Marine, Madison, Illinois, United States after the 1870 census and before the 1880 census.

1880 Federal Census age 17

Village of Marine, Madison, Illinois, United States, page 361c, 14 June 1880, line 21, house 232, family 236

BIGLE, Sarah head w f 48; Andrew son w m 16; Alexander son w m 12; **LANDERS**, David C. snlaw w m 22; Clemme dau w f 18; Vivian gdau w f 1month born in June [Sarah was born in Pennsylvania as was her parents, Andrew was born in Ohio his parents in Pennsylvania, Alexander was born in Illinois, his parents in Pennsylvania, David was born in Illinois his parents in Alabama, Clemme was born in Ohio, her father in Pennsylvania her mother in Ohio, Vivian was born in Illinois her father in Illinois her mother in Ohio. David is a laborer. Living at house 234 is son; Charles Monroe and Christine Josephine (**REDLICK**) Bigley family.]

1880-1900 Death of mother; Sarah (CHEVALIER) Bigley

1880-1884 Family Move

From Village of Marine, Madison, Illinois, United States to Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1884 Marriage of Andrew Jackson "Jack" Bigley and Susan "Susie" Jane (BLANTON)

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "E" 1881-1885, page 60

Andrew Bigley and Susan Blanton were married 7 December 1884.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Susan Blanton Marriage Date: 7 Dec 1884 Marriage Location: Franklin, Missouri

Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Andrew J Bigley

1886 Childbirth of son; Carl William Bigley

Carl William Bigley was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 January 1886.

1887 Childbirth of daughter; Drucilla J. (BIGLEY)

Drucilla J. (**BIGLEY**) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 11 November 1887.

1889 Childbirth of son; Andrew Lauren Bigley

Andrew Lauren Bigley was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 19 October 1889.

1892 Childbirth of son; Harry Matice Bigley

Harry Matice Bigley was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1 July 1892.

1895 Childbirth of daughter; Leona Bell (BIGLEY)

Leona Bell (**BIGLEY**) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 24 May 1895.

1898 Childbirth of son; Roy John Bigley

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Roy John Bigley was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 13 March 1898.

1900 Federal Census age 37

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 122a, 2 June 1900, house 8, **BIGLEY, Andrew J.** head w m born [no month]1864 age 36; Susan wife w f born November 1865 age 35; Carl W. son w m born January 1886 age 14; Doudi J. dau w f born November 1887 age 12; Andrew L. son w f born September 1890 age 10; Harry son w m born July 1892 age 8; Leona dau w f born May 1895 age 5; Roy John son w m born March 1898 age 2 [Andrew born in Ohio as was his mother, his father born in Virginia. The rest born in Missouri, Susan's father born in Tennessee her mother in Missouri. The children born in Missouri their father in Ohio their mother in Missouri. Susan says she has had 7 children born 6 are living. They have been married for 15 years.]

1902 Childbirth of daughter; Sarah "Sadie" Marie (BIGLEY)

Sarah "Sadie" Marie (**BIGLEY**) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 13 March 1902.

1906 Childbirth of daughter; Gladys Jewell (BIGLEY)

Gladys Jewell (**BIGLEY**) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 29 April 1906.

1906-1910 Family Move

From Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to 925 Conner Avenue, Joplin City, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States

1910 Federal Census aage 47

925 Conner Avenue, Joplin City, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States, page 192b, 20 April 1910, line 59, house 925, dwelling 106, family 125

BIGLEY, A J. head w m 46; Susie wife w f 43; Harry son w m 17; Leona dau w f 15; Roy son w f 12; Sadie dau w f 8; Gladis dau w f 4; Velma gdau w f 5; Ethel gdau w f 3 [Andrew born in Ohio, his father in Kentucky, his mother in Indiana, Susie was born in Tennessee as was her parents, the rest born in Missouri, their father in Ohio, their mother in Missouri, except Velma & Ethel's father born in Missouri. Jack and Susie have been married once and for 25 years, Susie says she has had 9 children born 8 are living. Andrew is a zinc and lead miner and owns his own home.]

1919 Death of spouse; Andrew Jackson "Jack" Bigley

Andrew Jackson "Jack" Bigley died in Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States on 23 November 1919. death date needs verification

1919 Burial of spouse; Andrew Jackson "Jack" Bigley

Fairview Cemetery, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States _

FAG#* 101943002

Andrew Jackson "Jack" Bigley {FAG#* 101943002} was born 3 October 1863 - near Long Bottom Post Office, Olive Twp, Meigs, Ohio, United States 23 November 1919 - Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States and died November 1919 - Fairview Cemetery, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Charles Bigley (1822-1870/1880) Mother: Sarah (**CHEVALIER**) (1830-1880/1900) Spouse: Susan "Susie" Jane

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(**BLANTON**) {FAG# 85080968} (19 June 1866 - 3 January 1941) Marriage: 7 December 1884 - Franklin, Missouri, United States Children: Carl William Bigley {FAG# 43265589} (1886-1967) Drucilla (**BIGLEY**) Kennedy (1887-1969) Andrew Lauren Bigley {FAG# 25143781} (1889-1950) Harry Matice Bigley (1893-1971) Leona Bell (**BIGLEY**) Wilson {FAG# 84426624} (1895-1982) Roy John Bigley (1898-1962) Sarah Marie (**BIGLEY**) Geurin (1902-1971) Gladys Jewell (**BIGLEY**) Linthicum Richardson (1906-1980)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 111 M i. **Carl William Bigley** was born on 18 January 1886 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 10 April 1967 in Picher, Ottawa, Oklahoma, United States at age 81, and was buried in April 1967 in Carterville Cemetery, Carterville, Joplin Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.
Carl married **Theodora "Dora" Marie Charboneau** (d. 1 March 1916).
- + 112 F ii. **Drucilla J. Bigley** was born on 11 November 1887 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 21 January 1969 at age 81, and was buried on 25 January 1969.
Drucilla married **William Kennedy** (d. 28 May 1918).
- + 113 M iii. **Andrew Lauren Bigley** was born on 19 October 1889 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 26 July 1950 in Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried on 28 July 1950 in United Methodist Church of Saint Clair Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
Andrew married **Anna Belle Byington** (d. 4 September 1961) on 25 April 1908 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 114 M iv. **Harry Matice Bigley** was born on 1 July 1892 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in 1971 at age 79, and was buried in 1971 in Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Hot Springs, Hot Springs Twp, Garland, Arkansas, United States.
- + 115 F v. **Leona Bell Bigley** was born on 24 May 1895 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 28 March 1982 at age 86, and was buried in March 1982 in Fairview Cemetery, 12th & Maiden Lane, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.
Leona married **Frank Peter Wilson** (d. 16 January 1960).
- + 116 M vi. **Roy John Bigley** was born on 13 March 1898 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 8 August 1962 at age 64.
- + 117 F vii. **Sarah "Sadie" Marie Bigley** was born on 13 March 1902 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 September 1971 at age 69, and was buried in September 1971 in Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Hot Springs, Hot Springs Twp, Garland, Arkansas, United States.
Sarah married **Thomas Calvin Geurin** (d. 10 May 1946) on 24 June 1916 in Joplin City, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.
- + 118 F viii. **Gladys Jewell Bigley** was born on 29 April 1906 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 17 January 1980 in Carthage, Marion Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 73.
Gladys married **Harry Linthicum** (d. 1930-1933) from 1922 to 1923.

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Gladys next married **Allen Richardson** (d. November 1967) on 19 August 1933 in Neosho, Neosho Twp, Newton, Missouri, United States.

29. Sarah F. Blanton (*Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 15 January 1869 in Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1869 Birthblock for Sarah F. (BLANTON) daughter of Alexander A. Sr. & Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Sarah F. **(BLANTON)** was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 January 1869.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1868 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1868 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born March 1863 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born

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1866-1869 Family Move

From near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

18?? Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book

Alex buys 120 acres along Hamilton Creek west of Hamilton Road and on north and south side of creek. He sells 40 acres to his father. In 1872 he sold 80 acres to the Hamiton Iron Co. of Ohio for \$1500.

Research Note

This is a significant property transaction. Prior to the Hamilton Iron Company known as the Hamilton Iron Works purchase in 1872 from Alexander A. Blanton, this property was known as Blanton Hollow and Blanton Creek. Old maps have been found naming them as such. After the Hamilton Iron Works began production of mining in the area, the name was changed to Hamilton Hollow and Hamilton Creek even though the Hamilton family resided elsewhere.

1870 Federal Census age 2

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b & 99a, 17 August 1870, line 33, house 113, family 113

BLANTON, Alexander w m 42; Nancy M. w f 40; Catherine J. w f 20; Alexander Jr. w m 16; Absalom w m 14; Augustus w m 12; Nancy w f 10; Isibell w f 8; [page 99a] Louisa w f 6; Susan w f 4; Sarah w f 2

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to many Blantons.]

1870 Childbirth of brother; Benjamin Franklin Blanton

Benjamin Franklin Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 November 1870.

1872 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page , 3 May 1872

Alexander Blanton and wife Nancy M. sold 7 acres lying NW corner of the SW quarter of Section 29 Twp 40 North Range 1 West of the 5th PM. and 40 acres of the SE quarter of SE quarter

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

Section 30, Twp 40 North Range 1 West of 5th PM for \$100 to the Missouri Smelting and Mineral Land Company. This being the land conveyed to Absalom Blanton his father from B.A. Soulard in 1849. Names consent of heirs: Alexander Blanton & wife, John A. Allen & wife, John Blanton & wife, William W. Blanton & wife, E.S. Blanton & wife, Henry H. Blanton & wife.

1873 Death of mother; Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

1875 Father's marriage of widower Alexander A. Blanton Sr. & widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

Alexander Blanton and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875.

[This is widow Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) who married 1st James Pratt. James Pratt died in 1874.]

1880 Federal Census age 12

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 21, 24 June 1880, house 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Augustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

1882 or 1888 Death of father; Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

1890 Marriage License for Henry A. Landers and Sarah F. (BLANTON

Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Sarah F. Blanton of Sullivan, Missouri over the age of 18 License Date: 30 Oct 1890

License Location: Franklin, Missouri License County: Franklin Spouse Name: Henry A Landers of Stanton, Franklin, Missouri over the age of 21.

[It should be noted that even though the license was purchased on that date there is no return report from a minister or JP indicating that a marriage took place. They may have married out-of-county.]

1900 Federal Census age 32

Madison Twp, Cedar, Missouri, United States, page 150a, 4 June 1900, line 50, house 32, family 82

LANDERS, Henry w f born 1861 age 39; Susan wife w f born March 1863 age 37; Walter son w m born July 1881 age 18; Flossie dau w f born May 1889 age 11; Jessie dau w f born May 1892 age 8; Tommy son w m born March 1897 age 3

[Henry born in Ohio as was his parents, Susan born in Tennessee as was her parents, the rest born in Missouri, father in Ohio, mother in Tennessee. Susan says she has been married for 19 years and she has had 7 children born 4 are living. Henry is a farmer.]

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

Lost track of this family after 1900

Blanton Family Bible

In the possession of Lucille Reed of Oklahoma, granddaughter of Alexander A. Blanton, Jr, son of Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton:

Births from Family Bible

Blanton, Alexander was born Nov 11, 1830
children:

Blanton, Catherine J. born July 28, 1850
Blanton, Alexander, Jr. born May 31, 1854
Blanton, Absalom born April 2, 1856
Blanton, Augustus born March 2, 1858
Blanton, Nancy M. born Nov 11, 1859 _
Blanton, Isabel born Jan 8, 1862
Blanton, Louisa born Mar 11, 1864
Blanton, Susan born June 19, 1866

Blanton, Sarah F. born Jan 15, 1869

Blanton, Benjamin Franklin born Nov 11, 1870

Marriages from Family Bible

Alex Blanton and Maria Pratt was married on October 14 1849

Alex Blanton and Catherine Pratt was married on Oct 13 1875

Deaths from Family Bible

Maria Blanton died Jan. 27, 1873 aged 42yrs

Alexander Blanton died Apr 29, 1888

William Henry Blanton died (no date)

Isabel Blanton died April 1901 aged 39yrs

Sarah married **Henry A. Landers III**, son of **Henry A. Landers Jr.** and **Ellen**, on 30 October 1890 in Franklin, Missouri, United States. Henry was born in 1861 near Greenville Post Office, Washington Twp, Darke, Ohio, United States.

1861 Birthblock of Henry A. Landers III son of Henry A. Jr. and Ellen () Landers

Henry A. Landers III was born near Greenville Post Office, Washington Twp, Darke, Ohio, United States on 1861. _

1863-1870 Family Move

From near Greenville Post Office, Washington Twp, Darke, Ohio, United States to near Stockton Post Office; Madison Twp, Cedar, Missouri, United States _

1870 Federal Census age 9

Stockton Post Office; Madison Twp, Cedar, Missouri, United States

LANDERS, Henry w m 45; Ellen w f 50; Elisabeth w f 17; John w m 12; Henry w m 9; Reubin w m 19; Sarah w f 26

[All born in Ohio. _

1880 Federal Census age 19

Madison Twp, Cedar, Missouri, United States

LANDERS, Henry Sr. head w m 51; Ellen wife w f 61; Henry Jr. son w m 19; **LAMB**, William gson w m 5

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1890 Marriage License for Henry A. Landers and Sarah F. (BLANTON)

Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Sarah F. Blanton of Sullivan, Missouri over the age of 18 License Date: 30 Oct 1890

License Location: Franklin, Missouri License County: Franklin Spouse Name: Henry A Landers of Stanton, Franklin, Missouri over the age of 21.

[It should be noted that even though the license was purchased on that date there is no return report from a minister or JP indicating that a marriage took place. They may have married out-of-county.]

1900 Federal Census age 39

Madison Twp, Cedar, Missouri, United States, page 150a, 4 June 1900, line 50, house 32, family 82

LANDERS, Henry w f born 1861 age 39; Susan wife w f born March 1863 age 37; Walter son w m born July 1881 age 18; Flossie dau w f born May 1889 age 11; Jessie dau w f born May 1892 age 8; Tommy son w m born March 1897 age 3

[Henry born in Ohio as was his parents, Susan born in Tennessee as was her parents, the rest born in Missouri, father in Ohio, mother in Tennessee. Susan says she has been married for 19 years and she has had 7 children born 4 are living. Henry is a farmer.]

Lost track of this family after 1900

30. Benjamin Franklin Blanton (*Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 11 November 1870 in Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1909 to 1910 in Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States at age 39.

1870 Birthblock for Benjamin Franklin Blanton son of Alexander A. Sr. & Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Benjamin Franklin Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 November 1870.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1871 in Missouri.

Date from the 1898 pension papers states he was born in 1872.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born

1870 Federal Census age [not yet born]

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b & 99a, 17 August 1870, line 33, house 113, family 113

BLANTON, Alexander w m 42; Nancy M. w f 40; Catherine J. w f 20; Alexander Jr. w m 16; Absalom w m 14; Augustus w m 12; Nancy w f 10; Isibell w f 8; [page 99a] Louisa w f 6; Susan w f 4; Sarah w f 2

[Alexander & Nancy born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. Alexander is a farmer. Living next door to many Blantons.]

1872 Father's Property Transaction

Washington County, Missouri Deed Record Book "", page , 3 May 1872

Alexander Blanton and wife Nancy M. sold 7 acres lying NW corner of the SW quarter of Section 29 Twp 40 North Range 1 West of the 5th PM. and 40 acres of the SE quarter of SE quarter Section 30, Twp 40 North Range 1 West of 5th PM for \$100 to the Missouri Smelting and Mineral

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Land Company. This being the land conveyed to Absalom Blanton his father from B.A. Soulard in 1849. Names consent of heirs: Alexander Blanton & wife, John A. Allen & wife, John Blanton & wife, William W. Blanton & wife, E.S. Blanton & wife, Henry H. Blanton & wife.

1873 Death of mother: Nancy Mariah (PRATT) Blanton

Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton died near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 January 1873.

1875 Father's marriage of widower Alexander A. Blanton Sr. & widow Mrs. Catherine (KIMBERLIN) Pratt

[1] Crawford County, Missouri, Marriage Record Book "C", page 183

Alexander Blanton and Catherine Pratt were married on 17 October 1875.

[This is widow Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) who married 1st James Pratt. James Pratt died in 1874.]

1880 Federal Census age 9

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 21, 24 June 1880, house 204

BLANTON, Alexander head w m 50; Catherine wife w f 51; Alexander son w m 26, Absalom son w m 23, Augustus son w m 21, Isabel dau w f 18; Louisa dau w f 18; Susan dau w f 14; Sarah dau w f 12; Benjamin son w m 9

[Alexander born in Tennessee, his parents born in Kentucky, Catherine and the children born in Missouri her parents born in Virginia. Alexander is a farmer. All these children belong to Alexander's 1st wife, Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**).]

1882 or 1888 Death of father: Alexander A. Blanton Sr.

Alexander A. Blanton Sr. died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1882.

Informant

Mabel (**MILLER**) Reed told me that she thinks Benjamin is the Blanton that fought in the Spanish/American War and was a prisoner at McAlester, Pittsburg Co., OK.

1898 Military Enlistment

Spanish War Records and Pension Application May 8, 1909.

Benjamin F. Blanton enlisted at Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, MO on 14 July 1898 and assigned as a Private in Company "K", 6th Missouri Volunteers. He was honorably discharged at Savannah, Georgia in May 10, 1899. He was 26 years old, 5 feet 11 1/2 inches tall, complexion dark, hair dark, eyes blue. He became disabled by rheumatism in his left leg. He was a fireman and his residence is 934 13th Street, Denver, Colorado on 12 April 1909. He also states that he is married to Mary Christine (**RUTTLEDGE**) Blanton, married on 27 May 1902 at McAlester, Pittsburg, Oklahoma, United States. with no children.

1899 Military Discharge

Benjamin Franklin Blanton files for a pension for service in the Spanish American War and states he was discharged at Savannah, Chatham, Georgia on 10 May 1899.

1900 Federal Census age 30

maybe Denver, Co. or McAlester, Pittsburg Co., OK.

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1902 Marriage of Benjamin Franklin Blanton and Mary Christine "Tenne" (RUTLEDGE)

McAlester, Pittsburg, Indian Territory

According to his pension papers dated 12 April 1909, Benjamin F. Blanton states he and Mary Christine Rutledge were married on 27 May 1902 in McAlester, Pittsburg, Oklahoma. Oklahoma became a state in 1907 so they were married in Indian Territory.

1909 Residence at 934 13th Street, Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States

Benjamin Franklin Blanton files for a pension for service in the Spanish American War and states his residence at 934 13th Street, Denver, Colorado on 12 April 1909.

1909-1910 Death of Benjamin Franklin Blanton

Benjamin Franklin Blanton died between the date of 12 April 1909 when he filed for a pension from his service in the Spanish-American War in 1898 and the date of the 1910 census of 25 April 1910 when his wife is listed in Denver, Colorado as a widow living with her parents.

Blanton Family Bible

In the possession of Lucille Reed of Oklahoma, granddaughter of Alexander A. Blanton, Jr, son of Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton:

Births from Family Bible

Blanton, Alexander was born Nov 11, 1830

children:

Blanton, Catherine J. born July 28, 1850

Blanton, Alexander, Jr. born May 31, 1854

Blanton, Absalom born April 2, 1856

Blanton, Augustus born March 2, 1858

Blanton, Nancy M. born Nov 11, 1859 _

Blanton, Isabel born Jan 8, 1862

Blanton, Louisa born Mar 11, 1864

Blanton, Susan born June 19, 1866

Blanton, Sarah F. born Jan 15, 1869

Blanton, Benjamin Franklin born Nov 11, 1870

Marriages from Family Bible

Alex Blanton and Maria Pratt was married on October 14 1849

Alex Blanton and Catherine Pratt was married on Oct 13 1875

Deaths from Family Bible

Maria Blanton died Jan. 27, 1873 aged 42yrs

Alexander Blanton died Apr 29, 1888

William Henry Blanton died (no date)

Isabel Blanton died April 1901 aged 39yrs

Benjamin married **Mary Christine "Tenne" Rutledge**, daughter of **William Edward Rutledge** and **Sarah J. Netherton**, on 27 May 1902 in McAlester, Pittsburg, Oklahoma, United States. Mary was born in May 1877 in Precinct 1, Coleman, Texas, United States. They had no children.

1877 Birthblock of Mary Christine "Tenne" (RUTLEDGE) daughter of William Edward and Sarah J. (NETHERTON) Rutledge

Mary Christine "Tenne" (**RUTLEDGE**) was born in Precinct 1, Coleman, Texas, United States on May 1877._

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1876 in Texas.

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Date from the 1900 census states she was born May 1877 in Texas.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1878 in Texas.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the 1940 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1880 Federal Census age 3

Precinct 1, Coleman, Texas, United States, page 520b, 24,26,28 June 1880, line 38, house 162, family 180

RUTLEDGE, William E. head w m 40; Sarah J. wife w f 28; Walter son w m 6; Mary C. dau w f 4; John B. son w m 5mos born in December

[William says he was born in Texas his parents in Tennessee. Sarah was born in Texas as was her father and her mother born in Tennessee. The rest born in Texas, father in Tennessee, mother in Texas. William is a farmer.]

1900 Federal Census age 23

Chargis Twp, Pickens, Chickasaw Nation, Indian Territory, page 131a, 4 June 1900, line 17, house 21, family 22

RUTLEDGE, William E. head w m born April 1840 age 60; Sarah J. wife w f born August 1852 age 47; Tennie dau w f born May 1877 age 23; Andrew A. son w m born July 1886 age 13; Earl A. son w m born September 1888 age 11

[William was born in Tennessee as was his parents, Sarah was born in Illinois, her parents in Tennessee, the rest born in Texas, their father in Tennessee, their mother in Illinois. William and Sarah have been married 29 years, Sarah says she had had 7 children born and 5 are living. William is a farmer and is renting.]

1902 Marriage of Benjamin Franklin Blanton and Mary Christine "Tenne" (RUTLEDGE)

McAlester, Pittsburg, Indian Territory

According to his pension papers dated 12 April 1909, Benjamin F. Blanton states he and Mary Christine Rutledge were married on 27 May 1902 in McAlester, Pittsburg, Oklahoma. Oklahoma became a state in 1907 so they were married in Indian Territory.

1909 Residence at 934 13th Street, Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States

Benjamin Franklin Blanton files for a pension for service in the Spanish American War and states his residence at 934 13th Street, Denver, Colorado on 12 April 1909.

1909-1910 Death of Benjamin Franklin Blanton

Benjamin Franklin Blanton died between the date of 12 April 1909 when he filed for a pension from his service in the Spanish-American War in 1898 and the date of the 1910 census of 25 April 1910 when his wife is listed in Denver, Colorado as a widow living with her parents.

1910 Federal Census age 33

2442 West Lake Place, Denver, Denver, Colorado, United States, page 81b, 25 April 1910, line

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63, house 2442, dwelling 211, family 235

RUTLEDGE, William E. head w m 69; Sarah J. wife w f 57; John B. son w m 29; Andrew V. son w m 23; Earl A. son w m 21; Rose daunlaw w f 17; **BLANTON**, Tena dau w f 32

[William and Sarah were born in Tennessee as was their parents. The rest born in Texas their father and mother in Tennessee, except Rose who is married to Andrew she was born in Colorado as was her parents. This is William and Sarah's first marriage they have been married for 40 years. Andrew and Rosa have not been married a year and Rosa says she has had 0 children born and 0 are living. Teney is a widow and has had 7 children born and 5 are living. Concerning this statement I feel the censustaker made an error in the previous census 1900 it is Sarah who has had 7 children born and 5 are living not Teenie. Also, in his pension application of 14 April 1909, Benjamin stated they had no children.]

31. Nancy Catherine Pratt (*Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born in 1854 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1880 to 1900 at age 26.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Nancy Catherine (PRATT) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1854 Birthblock of Nancy Catherine (PRATT) daughter of John Absalom Sr. and Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Nancy Catherine (**PRATT**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1854.

Date from the 1860 census states she was born in 1854 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born in 1854 in Missouri.

Date from the 1876 census states she was born 1831-1855.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born in 1855 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1856 Childbirth of sister; Lorinda J. (PRATT)

Lorinda J. (**PRATT**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1856.

1850-1860 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Since we don't know exactly when they moved we really don't know the approximate birth location of the children.

1857 Childbirth of sister; Mary F. (PRATT)

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Mary F. (**PRATT**) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1857.

1860 Childbirth of son; Henry Absalom Pratt

Henry Absalom Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in July 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 6

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870, 8 August 1860, line 41, house 743, family 747

PRATT, John w m 21; Caroline w f 27; Nancy C. w f 6; Lorinda J. w f 4; Mary F. w f 3;

Henry A. w m 1/12 born in July

[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to Alexander & Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton family.]

1861 Childbirth of brother; Alexander Pratt

Alexander Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 January 1861.

1864 Father's Military Physical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to men for pension applications at Potosi, MO. These records are called "The John B. Bell Papers" and are housed at the library at the University of Missouri in the manuscript room in Rolla, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: # 56 John Pratt age 29-
Diagnosis: enlargement of liver & rhumetism." [He is listed next to his brother Alexander Pratt.]

1865 Childbirth of brother; James A. Pratt

James A. Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1865.

1867 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT)

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 24 March 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 16

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 601b, 9 July 1870, line 14, house 73, family 73

PRATT, John w m 32; Caroline w f 36; Nancy w f 16; Lorinda w f 15; Mary F. w f 12;

Henry A. w m 10; Alexander w m 9; James A. w m 5; Tilda w f 3

[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1870 Federal Census (2nd record) age 16

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 16, house 110, family 110

BLANTON, Absalom w m 65; Nancy w f 67; **PRATT**, Nancy C. w f 15;

BLANTON, Green w m 19

[All born in Tennessee. Absalom is a farmer. Living next door to his sons. Green Blanton is Absalom's grandson and son of James & Margaret Green (**GOFORTH**) Blanton. Nancy C.

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(**PRATT**) is the daughter of John Absalom Pratt Sr. and Mary Caroline "Betsy" (**BLANTON**) Pratt.]

1870 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Jr.

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1870.

1870-1876 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1876 Childbirth of sister: Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) was born near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1876.

1876 Missouri State Census age 23

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

PRATT, John E. w m 21-45 [39]; Caroline w f 21-45 [42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45 [22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21 [21]; Mary F. w f 10-18 [18]; Henry A. w m 10-18 [16]; Alexander w m 10-18 [15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under [8]; John w m 9 & under [6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under [1] [Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (**PRATT**) Campbell family.]

1876-1880 Marriage of Peter Dyle & Nancy Catherine (PRATT)

1876 Childbirth of daughter; Frances (DYLE)??

Frances (**DYLE**) was born in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1876.

1877 Childbirth of son; Samuel James Tilden Dyle

Samuel James Tilden Dyle was born in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 5 August 1877.

1879 Childbirth of son; Abraham Dyle

Abraham Dyle was born in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1879.

1880 Federal Census age 27

Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 57b, 5 June 1880, line 35, house 51, family 55

DIAL, Peter head w m 52; Catharine wife w f 25; Peter son w m 10; John A. son w m 7; Francis dau w f 4; Tilden son w m 3; Abraham son w m 1 [Peter was born in New York as was his parents, Catherine was born in Missouri as was her parents, the rest were born in Missouri their father in New York their mother in Missouri. Peter is a brick layer.]

1882 Childbirth of son; Alexander "Alex" Dyle

Alexander "Alex" Dyle was born in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 8 October 1882.

1882-1900 Death of Nancy Catherine (PRATT) Dyle

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Nancy Catherine (**PRATT**) Dyle died in Washington, Missouri, United States after 8 October 1882 birth of son; Alexander and before the 1900 census.

Wrong identity posted by someone on ancestry.com

The Nancy C. Pratt who was born 1854 Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States is not the one who married Alexander Walker. The above Nancy C. Pratt was with her family i.e.; John Absalom & Mary Caroline (**BLANTON**) Pratt in the 1876 Missouri States Census as follows: 1876 Missouri State Census Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, PRATT, John E. w m 21-45[40]; Caroline w f 21-45[42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45[22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21 [21]; Mary F. w f 10-18[18]; Henry A. w m 10-18[16]; Alexander w m 10-18[15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under[8]; John w m 9 & under[6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under[1] [Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (**PRATT**) Campbell family.] Your Nancy was married to Walker according to your records in 1875 in Fayette, Tennessee. Therefore, since she was still with her family in the 1876 census she could not be married to Walker in 1875. You will need to find the marriage record in order to obtain her maiden name and order her death certificate from California. Thanks. -Floyd Thomas Pratt floydpratt59@yahoo.com

Nancy married **Peter Dyle** in 1876-1880. Peter was born in 1828 in New York, United States and died from 1880 to 1900 in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 52.

1828 Birthblock of Peter Dyle son of

Peter Dyle was born in New York, United States on 1828.
Date from the 1830 census states he was born
Date from the 1840 census states he was born
Date from the 1850 census states he was born
Date from the 1860 census states he was born
Date from the 1870 census states he was born
Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1828 in New York.
Date from the 1890 Veteran's census states he was born
Date from the death certificate states he was born
Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born
Date from the funeral home records states he was born
Date from the headstone states he was born
Date from the obituary states he was born

1830 Federal Census age 2

1840 Federal Census age 12

1850 Federal Census age 22

1860 Federal Census age 32

1864-1866 Marriage of Peter Dyle and Lucy (**BLANTON**)

1867 Childbirth of son; Simon Peter Dyle

Simon Peter Dyle was born at Iron Mountain, Jefferson, Missouri, United States on 19 April 1867._

Research Note

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Marriage data and child information obtained from Simon's death certificate information. _

1867-1868 Death of spouse; Lucy (BLANTON) Dyle

1868 Marriage of Peter Dyle and Elizabeth (THIES)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Peter Dyle Marriage Date: 27 July 1868 Marriage County: St Louis Spouse Name: Elisabeth Thies

Research Note

Many researchers are confused on ancestry.com because they think that Elizabeth (**THIES**) and Nancy Catherine (**PRATT**) are one and the same person. However, obtaining the death certificate of John A. Dyle if found would reveal that his mother was Elizabeth (**THIES**) Dyle. _

1870 Federal Census age 42

1873 Childbirth of son; John A. Dyle

1873-1876 Death of spouse; Elizabeth (THIES) Dyle

1876-1880 Marriage of Peter Dyle & Nancy Catherine (PRATT)

1876 Childbirth of daughter; Frances (DYLE)

Frances (**DYLE**) was born in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1876.

Research Note

Finding the death certificate of Frances (**DYLE**) would give us positive proof that Nancy Catherine (**PRATT**) Dyle was her mother and not Elizabeth (**THIES**) Dyle.

1877 Childbirth of son; Samuel James Tilden Dyle

Samuel James Tilden Dyle was born in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 5 August 1877.

1879 Childbirth of son; Abraham Dyle

Abraham Dyle was born in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1879.

1880 Federal Census age 52

Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 57b, 5 June 1880, line 35, house 51, family 55

DIAL, Peter head w m 52; Catharine wife w f 25; Peter son w m 10; John A. son w m 7; Francis dau w f 4; Tilden son w m 3; Abraham son w m 1

[Peter was born in New York as was his parents, Catherine was born in Missouri as was her parents, the rest were born in Missouri their father in New York their mother in Missouri. Peter is a brick layer.]

1882 Childbirth of son; Alexander "Alex" Dyle

Alexander "Alex" Dyle was born in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 8 October 1882.

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1882-1900 Death of spouse; Nancy Catherine (PRATT) Dyle

Nancy Catherine (PRATT) Dyle died in Washington, Missouri, United States after 8 October 1882 birth of son; Alexander and before the 1900 census.

1880-1900 Death of Peter Dyle

Peter Dyle died in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after he conceived son; Alexander and before the 1900 census.

Research Note

It appears the local newspapers around Washington County will have to be examined in order to discover the disposition of Peter and his wives. Also, searching the deed books should reveal where he was living and when he bought and sold property. This family has had little research invested by researchers. Someone will need to take a road trip to Potosi and dig into those books in order to find out more about Peter and his families.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 119 F i. **Frances Dyle** was born in 1876 in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 120 M ii. **Samuel James Tilden Dyle** was born on 5 August 1877 in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 27 March 1949 in 405 Beeman Ave., Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried on 29 March 1949 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Samuel married **Johanna Crawford Lahmann** (d. 1 June 1948) on 28 November 1901 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 121 M iii. **Abraham Dyle** was born in 1879 in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 122 M iv. **Alexander "Alex" Dyle** was born on 8 October 1882 in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 2 April 1954 in Firmin Desloge Hospital, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried on 5 April 1954 in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

Alexander married **Drusilla Lucille "Drusie" Allen** (d. 30 December 1989) on 12 August 1906 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

(Duplicate Line. See Person 77)

32. Malinda Jane Pratt (*Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born on 11 March 1855 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 20 February 1931 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried on 21 February 1931 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Malinda Jane (PRATT) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1855 Birthblock of Malinda Jane (PRATT) daughter of John Absalom Sr. and Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Malinda Jane (PRATT) was born

Date from the 1860 census states she was born in ??

Date from the 1870 census states she was born in ??

Date from the 1876 census states she was born 1855-1858.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born in ??

Date from the 1900 census states she was born in March 1855 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born in 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born in 1858 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 3 March 1853 in Missouri.

Date from headstone states she was born March 3, 1853.

Therefore she was born 3 March 1853-1858.

Identity problem

This person; Malinda Jane (PRATT) is a particular problem to me.

[1] Her death certificate claims she is the daughter of John A. Pratt and Caroline (BLANTON), however, I am having a hard time placing her with that family.

[2] If she was born between 1853-1858 then why doesn't she show up in the 1860 or 1870 census with the John A. Pratt family?

[3] At first I thought the censustaker had mistaken her and she was Lorinda J. (PRATT) born 1856 and is in the 1860, 1870 and 1876 census with her family...until I discovered the 1876 Missouri State census of Franklin County and found Lourinda J. living with John & Caroline Pratt and next door was Isaac Campbell with his wife Malinda age 18-21. This would put Malinda's birth between 1855-1858. But, she could not be Lorinda daughter of John A. & Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt who is living and listed with her parents in the same census next door!

Therefore, Malinda Jane (____) and Lorinda J. (PRATT) are two different people.

[4] Now with this new evidence, I can not find Isaac and her marriage record. Nor can I find them in the 1880 census. In fact, prior to the 1876 census she does not show up. And when she does show up in the 1876 census there are 3 girls with her and spouse...Isaac; step-daughter; Kaada born 1855-1858, step-daughter; Mary born 1858-1868 and step-daughter; Nancy C. born 1867-1876. They are Isaac and Martha (BRYANT) Campbell's children from his previous marriage.

[5] Looking at the 1900 census Malinda says she was born March 1855 and her daughter, Nancy J. is listed as being born March 1882...many years after the Nancy C. in the 1876 census.

[6] Three of her children's death certificates list her as a child of John A. & Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt, but if that is so then where is she prior to the 1876 census?

1874 to 1876 Marriage of Isaac Campbell and Malinda Jane (PRATT)

Once again this marriage record for Isaac eludes us. It was customary for marriages to take place at the bride's parents residence. If this is the case then Malinda was married at Sullivan City, Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Since the 1876 Missouri state census shows them together and living next door to her parents, then they were obviously married before 1876. Newspapers may have a clue.

1876 Missouri State Census age 36

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

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CAMPBELL, Isaac w m 21-45 [36]; Malinda w f 18-21; Kaada w f 18-21; Mary w f 10-18;
Nancy C. w f 9 & under
[Living next door to John E. & Caroline (**BLANTON**) Pratt family.]

1880 Federal Census age 40??

North, Dade, Missouri, United States, page 220a,

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m 43; Amanda wife w f 41; Caroline dau w f 12; M. B. dau w f 10;
J. R. son w m 8; Gordon son w m 6

[Isaac and Amanda were born in Tennessee as were their parents. The rest were born in Missouri their parents in Tennessee. Isaac is a chair maker.]

1882 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy J. (CAMPBELL)

Nancy J. (**CAMPBELL**) was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in February 1882.

1883 Childbirth of son; David Garfield Campbell

David Garfield Campbell was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 6 May 1883.

1885 Childbirth of son; Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell

Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 July 1885.

1888 Childbirth of son; John E. Campbell

John E. Campbell was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on December 1888.

1890 Veterans Schedules age 50

Veteran's Name:Isick Campbell Home in 1890 (Township, County, State):Sullivan, Meramec, Franklin, Missouri Rank:Private

1890 Childbirth of son; James Samuel "Sam" Campbell

James Samuel "Sam" Campbell was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 June 1890.

1893 Childbirth of daughter; Virginia E. (CAMPBELL)

Virginia E. (**CAMPBELL**) was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1893.

1897 Childbirth of daughter; Laura Jane (CAMPBELL)

Laura Jane (**CAMPBELL**) was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 3 January 1897.

1900 Federal Census age 60

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9b, 8 June 1900, line 100, house 181, family 187

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m born April 1838 age 62; [page 10a] Malinda wife w f born March 1855 age 45; Nancy J. dau w f born March 1882 age 18; David G. son w m born May 1883 age 17; Jackson son w m born June 1885 age 14; John E. son w m born December 1888 age 11;

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James S. son w m born June 1891 age 8; Laura Jane dau w f born February 1897 age 3
[Isaac born in Tennessee, shis father in Scotland, his mother in Tennessee, Malinda born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. The children all born in Missouri as was their mother and their father born in Tennessee. Malinda says she had 10 children 8 are living and they have been married 25 years.]

1910 Federal Census age 70

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 30a, 5 May 1910, line 16, house 297, family 300

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m 69; Malinda J. wife w f 59; Andrew J. son w m 25; Virginia E. dau w f 17; Laura E. dau w f 12

[Isaac was born in Tennessee, his father in Scottish England his mother in Tennessee, the rest were born in Missouri their father in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri. Malinda says she has been married once for 33 years and she has had 12 children born and 8 are living. Isaac has been married twice. Isaac is a farmer.]

1920 Federal Census age 80

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 180b, 9 January 1920, line 91, house 155, family 169

CAMPBELL, Isac head w m 78; Malind J. wife w f 62; James L. son w m 28; **WEST**, Arthur A. gson w m 6; James D. gson w m 4; Mary A. gdau w f 2

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1930 Federal Census age 90

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 270b, 11 April 1930, line 88, house 182, family 191

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m 90; Malinda wife w f 72

[Isaac born in Tennessee, his father in Scotland, his mother in Iowa, Malinda born in Missouri as was her parents. They were both 18 years old at their first marriage, of course not to each other. Isaac was in the civil war. They are renting.]

1931 Death of Malinda Jane (PRATT)

Malinda Jane (**PRATT**) died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 21 February 1931.

[1] Missouri State Department of Health Death Certificate #5113

Malinda Jane Campbell February 20, 1931 Franklin 5113

[2] Date from headstone states she died 21 February 1931.

1931 Burial of Malinda Jane (PRATT)

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Campbell, Isaac 7 April 1840-28 June 1931

Campbell, Marinda 3 March 1853-21 February 1931

(same stone)

FAG# 62624243

Malinda Jane (**PRATT**) Campbell {FAG# 62624243} was born 11 March 1855 - near Harrison

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Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 20 February 1931 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried 21 February 1931 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: John Absalom Pratt Sr. {FAG# 53641372} (1837-1890) Mother: Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) {FAG# 93299811} (1829-1916). Spouse: Isaac Campbell {FAG# 62624894} (7 April 1840 - 28 June 1931) Marriage: 1875-1877. Children: (not inclusive) Nancy J. (**CAMPBELL**) (1882-) David Garfield Campbell {FAG#+ 62626325} (1883-1963) Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell (1885-1931) John E. Campbell (1888-) James Samuel "Sam" Campbell {FAG# 62623552} (1890-1922) Virginia E. (**CAMPBELL**) (1893-) Laura Jane (**CAMPBELL**) West (1897-1963)

Malinda married **Isaac Campbell**, son of **David Campbell** and **Bathsheba Carter**, from 1875 to 1877. Isaac was born on 7 April 1840 in Greene, Tennessee, United States, died on 28 June 1931 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 91, and was buried on 29 June 1931 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Isaac Campbell by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1840 Birthblock of Isaac Campbell son of David and Bathsheba (CARTER) Campbell

Isaac Campbell was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 7 April 1840.

Date from 1840 census states he was born 1836-1840.

Date from 1850 census states he was born 1839 in Tennessee.

Date from 1860 census states he was born 1840 in Tennessee.

Date from 1870 census states he was born ??

Date from 1876 census states he was born 1831-1855.

Date from 1880 census states he was born ??

Date from 1900 census states he was born April 1838 in Tennessee.

Date from 1910 census states he was born 1841.

Date from 1920 census states he was born 1842.

Date from 1930 census states he was born 1840 in Tennessee.

Date from headstone states he was born 7 April 1840.

Date from death certificate states he was born 7 April 1840.

1840 Federal Census age less than 1 year

Greene, Tennessee, United States, page 80

CAMPBELL, David 2-1-1-0-0-0-1 1-1-0-2-0-0-1

free white males 4 & under [Isaac age <1]; 4 & under [James A. age 4]; 5-9 ??; 10-14 [Samuel age 14-17]; 40-49 [David age 49]

free white females 4 & under [Elizabeth age 2]; 5-9 [Bethany age 7]; 15-19 ??; 15-19 ??; 40-49 [Bathsheba age 46]

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1843 Childbirth of brother; Joshua Campbell

Joshua Campbell was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 1843.

1844 Childbirth of brother; Lorenza D. Campbell

Lorenza D. Campbell was born in Greene, Tennessee, United States on 1844.

1845-1848 Family Move

From Greene, Tennessee, United States to Crawford, Missouri, United States between 1845-1848.

1848-1850 Family Move

From Crawford, Missouri, United States to District 72, Pulaski, Missouri, United States

1850 Federal Census age 10

District 72, Pulaski, Missouri, United States, page 103a, 26 October 1850, line 14, house 443, family 452

CAMPBELL, David w m 59; Barshey w f 56; Bethany w f 17; James A. w m 14; Elizabeth w f 12; Isaac w m 11; Lorenza D. w m 6

[David born in North Carolina the rest in Tennessee. David is a farmer. Living a few doors down from the James Sr. & Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Lynch family.]

1850-1855 Marriage of Isaac Campbell & Martha (BRYANT)

The 1860 census indicates his wife Martha is 19 years old. Since there are no children at that time, then logically speaking it looks like she married when she was between 15 to 19 years of age. Because Pulaski County lost all their marriage records then maybe newspapers would have her name and exact date.

1855-1856 Childbirth of daughter; Kaada (CAMPBELL)

Kaada (**CAMPBELL**) was born in near Waynesville Post Office, Twp 34, R12, Pulaski, Missouri, United States on

1859 Death of father; David Campbell

David Campbell died in Township 35 Range 13, Pulaski, Missouri, United States on 22 March 1859.

1860 Federal Census age 20

Waynesville Post Office, Twp 34, R12, Pulaski, Missouri, United States, page 258, 8 June 1860, line 19, house 113, family 113

CAMPBELL, Isaac w m 20; Martha w f 19

[Both born in Tennessee. Isaac's a day laborer.]

1865 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Jane (CAMPBELL)

Mary Jane (**CAMPBELL**) was born in near Waynesville Post Office, Twp 34, R12, Pulaski, Missouri, United States on 7 December 1865.

1867-1876 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy C. (CAMPBELL)

Nancy C. (**CAMPBELL**) was born in near Waynesville Post Office, Twp 34, R12, Pulaski, Missouri, United States on

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1870 Federal Census age 30

Without having the 1870 census information we don't know when Martha (**BRYANT**) Campbell died or how many children she had.

1867-1874 Death of Martha (BRYANT) Campbell

Martha (**BRYANT**) Campbell died near Waynesville Post Office, Twp 34, R12, Pulaski, Missouri, United States on after hte birth of daughter; Nancy C. (**CAMPBELL**) and before her spouse's marriage to Malinda Jane (**PRATT**).

1874 to 1876 Marriage of Isaac Campbell and Malinda Jane (PRATT)

Once again this marriage record for Isaac eludes us. It was customary for marriages to take place at the bride's parents residence. If this is the case then Malinda was married at Sullivan City, Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Since the 1876 Missouri state census shows them together and living next door to her parents, then they were obvioulsy married before 1876. Newspapers may have a clue.

1876 Missouri State Census age 36

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

CAMPBELL, Isaac w m 21-45 [36]; Malinda w f 18-21; Kaada w f 18-21; Mary w f 10-18; Nancy C. w f 9 & under
[Living next door to John E. & Caroline (**BLANTON**) Pratt family.]

1880 Federal Census age 40??

North, Dade, Missouri, United States, page 220a,

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m 43; Amanda wife w f 41; Caroline dau w f 12; M. B. dau w f 10; J. R. son w m 8; Gordon son w m 6

[Isaac and Amanda were born in Tennessee as were their parents. The rest were born in Missouri their parents in Tennessee. Isaac is a chair maker.]

1882 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy J. (CAMPBELL)

Nancy J. (**CAMPBELL**) was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in February 1882.

1883 Childbirth of son; David Garfield Campbell

David Garfield Campbell was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 6 May 1883.

1885 Childbirth of son; Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell

Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 July 1885.

1888 Childbirth of son; John E. Campbell

John E. Campbell was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on December 1888.

1890 Veterans Schedules age 50

Veteran's Name:Isick Campbell Home in 1890 (Township, County, State):Sullivan, Meramec, Franklin, Missouri Rank:Private

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1890 Childbirth of son; James Samuel "Sam" Campbell

James Samuel "Sam" Campbell was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 June 1890.

1893 Childbirth of daughter; Virginia E. (CAMPBELL)

Virginia E. (CAMPBELL) was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1893.

1897 Childbirth of daughter; Laura Jane (CAMPBELL)

Laura Jane (CAMPBELL) was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 3 January 1897.

1900 Federal Census age 60

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9b, 8 June 1900, line 100, house 181, family 187

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m born April 1838 age 62; [page 10a] Malinda wife w f born March 1855 age 45; Nancy J. dau w f born March 1882 age 18; David G. son w m born May 1883 age 17; Jackson son w m born June 1885 age 14; John E. son w m born December 1888 age 11; James S. son w m born June 1891 age 8; Laura Jane dau w f born February 1897 age 3 [Isaac born in Tennessee, shis father in Scotland, his mother in Tennessee, Malinda born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. The children all born in Missouri as was their mother and their father born in Tennessee. Malinda says she had 10 children 8 are living and they have been married 25 years.]

1910 Federal Census age 70

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 30a, 5 May 1910, line 16, house 297, family 300

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1920 Federal Census age 80

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 180b, 9 January 1920, line 91, house 155, family 169

CAMPBELL, Isac head w m 78; Malind J. wife w f 62; James L. son w m 28; **WEST**, Arthur A. gson w m 6; James D. gson w m 4; Mary A. gdau w f 2

[Isaac was born in Tennessee, his father in Scotland his mother in Pennsylvania, Malinda was born in Missouri her parent's in Tennessee, James was born in Missouri, his father in Tennessee, his mother in Missouri, the West children born in Missouri as was their parents. Isaac is a farmer and rents his home.]

1930 Federal Census age 90

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 270b, 11 April 1930, line 88, house 182, family 191

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m 90; Malinda wife w f 72

[Isaac born in Tennessee, his father in Scotland, his mother in Iowa, Malinda born in Missouri as

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was her parents. They were both 18 years old at their first marriage, of course not to each other. Isaac was in the civil war. They are renting.]

1931 Death of spouse; Malinda Jane (PRATT)

Malinda Jane (**PRATT**) died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 21 February 1931.

1931 Death of Isaac Campbell

Isaac Campbell died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 28 June 1931.

Date from death certificate #21075 states he was born 7 April 1840 and died 28 June 1931 in Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Missouri State Department of Health Death Certificate- Isaac Campbell died June 28, 1931 in Franklin County, death certificate #21075

Date from headstone states he died 28 June 1931.

1931 Burial of Isaac Campbell

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
Campbell, Isaac 7 April 1840-28 June 1931

Campbell, Marinda 3 March 1853-21 February 1931
(both on same stone)

FAG# 62624894

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 123 F i. **Nancy J. Campbell** was born in February 1882 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 124 M ii. **David Garfield Campbell** was born on 6 May 1883 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 May 1963 at age 80, and was buried in May 1963 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

David married **Orpha M. Cain** (d. 22 July 1964) on 31 December 1918 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 125 M iii. **Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell** was born on 14 July 1885 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 28 November 1931 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 46, and was buried on 30 November 1931

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in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Andrew married **Helena Helm** on 26 January 1911 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Andrew next married **Rachel M. Stroup** (d. October 1982) in 1927-1930.

+ 126 M iv. **John E. Campbell** was born in December 1888 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 127 M v. **James Samuel "Sam" Campbell** was born on 23 June 1890 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 31 July 1922 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 32, and was buried on 1 August 1922 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

James married **Lucy Emaline** (d. After 1922).

+ 128 F vi. **Virginia E. Campbell** was born in 1893 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 129 F vii. **Laura Jane Campbell** was born on 3 January 1897 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 5 May 1963 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 66.

Laura married **Arthur Austin West** (d. 27 November 1981) on 6 October 1912 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

33. Lorinda J. Pratt (*Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1856 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died after 1876.

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1856 Birthblock of Lorinda J. (PRATT) daughter of John Absalom Sr. and Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Lorinda J. (PRATT) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1856.

Date from the 1860 census states she was born 1856 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1855 in Missouri.

Date from the 1876 census states she was born 1855-1858.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born

Date from the 1890 census states she was born

Date from the 1900 census states she was born

1850-1860 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Since we don't know exactly when they moved we really don't know the approximate birth location of the children.

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1857 Childbirth of sister; Mary F. (PRATT)

Mary F. (PRATT) was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1857.

1860 Childbirth of son; Henry Absalom Pratt

Henry Absalom Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in July 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 4

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870, 8 August 1860, line 41, house 743, family 747

PRATT, John w m 21; Caroline w f 27; Nancy C. w f 6; Lorinda J. w f 4; Mary F. w f 3;

Henry A. w m 1/12 born in July

[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to Alexander & Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton family.]

1861 Childbirth of brother; Alexander Pratt

Alexander Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 January 1861.

1864 Father's Military Physical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to men for pension applications at Potosi, MO. These records are called "The John B. Bell Papers" and are housed at the library at the University of Missouri in the manuscript room in Rolla, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: # 56 John Pratt age 29- Diagnosis: enlargement of liver & rhumetism." [He is listed next to his brother Alexander Pratt.]

1865 Childbirth of brother; James A. Pratt

James A. Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1865.

1867 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT)

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 24 March 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 14

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 601b, 9 July 1870, line 14, house 73, family 73

PRATT, John w m 32; Caroline w f 36; Nancy w f 16; Lorinda w f 15; Mary F. w f 12; Henry A. w m 10; Alexander w m 9; James A. w m 5; Tilda w f 3

[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1870 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Jr.

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1870.

1870-1876 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Sullivan,

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Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1876 Childbirth of sister: Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) was born near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1876.

1876 Missouri State Census age 20

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

PRATT, John E. w m 21-45 [39]; Caroline w f 21-45 [42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45 [22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21 [20]; Mary F. w f 10-18 [18]; Henry A. w m 10-18 [16]; Alexander w m 10-18 [15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under [8]; John w m 9 & under [6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under [1]
[Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (**PRATT**) Campbell family.]

34. Mary F. Pratt (*Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1858 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

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Date from the 1860 census states she was born in 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born in 1858 in Missouri.

Date from the 1876 census states she was born 1858-1866.

1850-1860 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Since we don't know exactly when they moved we really don't know the approximate birth location of the children.

1860 Childbirth of son; Henry Absalom Pratt

Henry Absalom Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in July 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 3

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870, 8 August 1860, line 41, house 743, family 747

PRATT, John w m 21; Caroline w f 27; Nancy C. w f 6; Lorinda J. w f 4; Mary F. w f 3; Henry A. w m 1/12 born in July

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1867 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT)

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 24 March 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 13

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 601b, 9 July 1870, line 14, house 73, family 73

PRATT, John w m 32; Caroline w f 36; Nancy w f 16; Lorinda w f 15; Mary F. w f 12; Henry A. w m 10; Alexander w m 9; James A. w m 5; Tilda w f 3
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1870 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Jr.

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1870.

1870-1876 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1876 Childbirth of sister: Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) was born near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1876.

1876 Missouri State Census age 19

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

PRATT, John E. w m 21-45 [39]; Caroline w f 21-45 [42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45 [22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21 [20]; Mary F. w f 10-18 [18]; Henry A. w m 10-18 [16]; Alexander w m 10-18 [15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under [8]; John w m 9 & under [6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under [1]
[Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (**PRATT**) Campbell family.]

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35. Henry Absalom Pratt (*Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in July 1860 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 13 April 1915 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States at age 54, and was buried on 16 April 1915 in Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

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1860 Birthblock for Henry Absalom Pratt son of John Absalom Sr. and Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Henry Absalom Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in July 1860.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born July 1860 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1860 in Missouri.

Date from the 1876 census states he was born 1858-1866.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born ???

Date from the 1900 census states he was born August 1856 in Missouri..

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1853 in Missouri..

Date from death certificate states he was born October 14, 1859 in Washington County, Missouri.

Date from headstone states he was born July 28, 1850.

Since his mother said he was one month old on 8 August 1860 then he was born July 1860.

Also the day is in question, one source says the 14th, another says the 28th.

1860 Federal Census age 1 month

Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 870, 8 August 1860, line 41, house 743, family 747

PRATT, John w m 21; Caroline w f 27; Nancy C. w f 6; Lorinda J. w f 4; Mary F. w f 3;

Henry A. w m 1 month born in July

[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to Alexander & Nancy Mariah (**PRATT**) Blanton family.]

1861 Childbirth of brother; Alexander Pratt

Alexander Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 January 1861.

1864 Father's Military Physical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to men for pension applications at Potosi, MO. These records are called "The John B. Bell Papers" and are housed at the library at the University of Missouri in the manuscript room in Rolla, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: # 56 John Pratt age 29- Diagnosis: enlargement of liver & rhumetism." [He is listed next to his brother Alexander Pratt.]

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1865 Childbirth of brother; James A. Pratt

James A. Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1865.

1867 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT)

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 24 March 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 10

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 601b, 9 July 1870, line 14, house 73, family 73

PRATT, John w m 32; Caroline w f 36; Nancy w f 16; Lorinda w f 15; Mary F. w f 12; Henry A. w m 10; Alexander w m 9; James A. w m 5; Tilda w f 3
[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1870 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Jr.

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1870.

1870-1876 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1876 Childbirth of sister: Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) was born near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1876.

1876 Missouri State Census age 16

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

PRATT, John E. w m 21-45 [39]; Caroline w f 21-45 [42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45 [22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21 [21]; Mary F. w f 10-18 [18]; Henry A. w m 10-18 [16]; Alexander w m 10-18 [15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under [8]; John w m 9 & under [6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under [1]
[Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (**PRATT**) Campbell family.]

1880 Federal Census age 20

1882 Marriage of Henry Absalom Pratt and Cynthia Anna (MISSÉ)

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "1", page 73

Henry A. Pratt of Washington Co., Mo. over 21; Sinthy A. Missey of Washington Co., Mo. over 18; 18 September 1882 license; married on 21 September 1882 by J. H. B-----, JP at his office , Washington Co.

1882-1900 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1885 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Caroline (PRATT)

Mary Caroline (**PRATT**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United

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States on 27 September 1885.

1887 Childbirth of son ; John Absalom Pratt

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 July 1887._

1890 Childbirth of son; Alexander Pratt

Alexander Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1890.

1890 Death of father; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 June 1890.

1892 Childbirth of son; James Wesley Pratt

James Wesley Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 20 July 1892.

1894 Childbirth of son; Francis Columbus Pratt

Francis Columbus Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 16 June 1894.

1898 Childbirth of daughter; Minnie Ann (PRATT)

Minnie Ann (**PRATT**) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 August 1898 and died on 4 August 1910.

1900 Federal Census age 40

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 152a, 26 June 1900, line 16, house 286, family 292

PRATT, Henry A. head w m born August 1856 age 43; Cynthia A. wife w f born December 1861 age 38; Mary C. dau w f born September 1885 age 14; John A. son w m born July 1887 age 12; Alexander son w m born February 1890 age 10; James W. son w m born July 1892 age 7; Francis C. son w m born June 1894 age 5; Minnie A. dau w f born August 1898 age 1

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Tennessee, Cynthia's parents born in France. Cynthia says she had 6 children and 6 children are living, they have been married for 18 years. Henry is a farmer and is renting.]

1900-1910 Family Move

From Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1910 Federal Census age 50

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 245b, 2 May 1910, line 84, house 376, family 386

PRATT, Henry A. head w m 57; Scynthia A. wife w f 48; John A. son w m 22; Alexander son w m 20; James W. son w m 17; Francis C. son w m 13; Minnie A. dau w f 11
[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Kentucky. Henry is a farmer and Cynthia says she had 6 children born and 6 are living. Both have been married

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once for 27 years. John and Alexander are woodcutters and tie makers.]

1911-1915 Family Move

From Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Sligo, Dent, Missouri, United States.

1915 Death of Henry Absalom Pratt

Henry Absalom Pratt died in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 13 April 1915.

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, Death Certificate #15725,

Henry Abslum Pratt white married male born 14 October 1859 in Washington County, Missouri to John E. Pratt born in Kentucky and Mary C. Blanton born in Kentucky. Henry was a farmer and died 13 April 1915 at Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States and was buried 16 April 1915 at Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States. John Pratt of Sligo, Missouri was the informant.

Henry Abslum Pratt April 13, 1915 Dent 15725

1915 Burial of Henry Absalom Pratt

Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States

FAG# 80160089

Henry Absalom Pratt {FAG# 80160089} was born July 1860 - near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 13 April 1915 - Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States and was buried 16 April 1915 - Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: John Absalom Pratt Sr. {FAG# 53641372} (1837-1890) Mother: Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) {FAG# 93299811} (1829-1916). Spouse:Cynthia Anna (**MISSÉ**) or Missey {FAG# 73233377} (9 December 1862 - 31 August 1925) Marriage: 21 September 1882 - Washington, Missouri, United States. Children: Mary Caroline (**PRATT**) Welch (1885-1962) John Absalom Pratt {FAG#+ 87685567} (1887-1966) Alexander Pratt (1890-1971) James Wesley Pratt (1892-) Francis Columbus Pratt {FAG# 44799815} (1894-1962) Minnie Ann (**PRATT**) {FAG#+ 53641514} (1898-1910)

Henry married **Cynthia Anna Missé Missey**, daughter of **Jean "John" Baptiste Missé Missey** and **Marie "Mary" Françoise Piquette**, on 21 September 1882 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

Cynthia was born on 9 December 1862 near Caledonia Post Office, Kingston Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 31 August 1925 in East Benton Twp, Christian, Missouri, United States at age 62, and was buried on 1 September 1925 in Union Chapel Church Cemetery, East Benton Twp, Christian, Missouri, United States.

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1862 Birthblock for Cynthia Anna (MISSÉ) daughter of Jean "John" Baptiste and Marie "Mary" Françoise (PIQUETTE) Missé

Cynthia Anna (**MISSÉ**) was born near Caledonia Post Office, Kingston Twp, Washington,

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Missouri, United States on 9 December 1862.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1863 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1862 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born December 1861 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1862 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1863 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 9 December 1862 in Washington County, Missouri.

Date from Rev. Albert Paris Missey's [her cousin] journal states she was born 9 December 1862.

A rose by any other name...

Missey, Misesy, Mecey, Mesey, Missier, Misse

Jacques Missier spelled his surname as Missier pronounced Mis-aye. His children dropped the "ier" and used Misse. The next generation added a "y" and the name became Missey. Said quickly it became Miss-e.

1866 Childbirth of brother; Andrew Jackson Missé (twins)

Andrew Jackson Missé was born near Caledonia Post Office, Kingston Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 18 August 1866.

1866 Childbirth of brother; George Washington Missé (twins)

George Washington Missé was born near Caledonia Post Office, Kingston Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 18 August 1866.

1870 Federal Census age 8

Caledonia Post Office, Kingston Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 109b, 1 August 1870, line 39, house 123, family 124

MECY, John w m 50; Mary w f 45; [page 110a] John w m 17; Mary w f 11; S. Anna w f 7; Andrew w m 3; George w m 3

[All born in Missouri. John is a farmer. living a few doors down from Columbus & Cynthia (**TALBOT**) Missey family.]

1870-1880 Family Move

From Caledonia Post Office, Kingston Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1880 Federal Census age 18

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 85b, 11 June 1880, line 46, house 94, family 99

MESEY, John head w m 60; Mary F. wife w f 50; Cinthy A. dau w f 18; Andrew J. son w m 14; George W. son w m 14

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. John is a farmer. Living next door to son, Columbus & Cynthia (**TALBOT**) Missey family.]

1880-1900 Death of father; Jean "John" Baptiste Missé

Jean "John" Baptiste Missé died presumably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after 11 June 1880 census date and before 1 June 1900 census date where his widow is living with son; Columbus F. Missey family.

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1882 Marriage of Henry Absalom Pratt and Cynthia Anna (MISSÉ)

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "1", page 73
Henry A. Pratt of Washington Co., Mo. over 21; Sinthy A. Missey of Washington Co., Mo. over 18;
18 September 1882 license; married on 21 September 1882 by J. H. B-----, JP at his office ,
Washington Co.

1882-1900 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin,
Missouri, United States

1885 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Caroline (PRATT)

Mary Caroline (PRATT) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on
27 September 1885.

1887 Childbirth of son ; John Absalom Pratt

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16
July 1887._

1890 Childbirth of son; Alexander Pratt

Alexander Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Central
Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1890.

1890 Death of father-in-law; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on
27 June 1890.

1892 Childbirth of son; James Wesley Pratt

James Wesley Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or
Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 20 July 1892.

1894 Childbirth of son; Francis Columbus Pratt

Francis Columbus Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States
or Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 16 June 1894.

1898 Childbirth of daughter; Minnie Ann (PRATT)

Minnie Ann (PRATT) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 August
1898 and died on 4 August 1910.

1900 Federal Census age 38

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 152a, 26 June 1900, line 16, house 286,
family 292

PRATT, Henry A. head w m born August 1856 age 43; Cynthia A. wife w f born December
1861 age 38; Mary C. dau w f born September 1885 age 14; John A. son w m born July 1887
age 12; Alexander son w m born February 1890 age 10; James W. son w m born July 1892 age
7; Francis C. son w m born June 1894 age 5; Minnie A. dau w f born August 1898 age 1
[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Tennessee, Cynthia's
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married for 18 years. Henry is a farmer and is renting.]

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1900-1910 Family Move

From Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1900-1910 Death of mother; Marie "Mary" Francoise (PIQUETTE) Missé

Marie "Mary" Francoise (PIQUETTE) Misse died in Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States between 1900 and 1910, because she is in the 1900 census and not the 1910 census.

1910 Federal Census age 48

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 245b, 2 May 1910, line 84, house 376, family 386

PRATT, Henry A. head w m 57; Scynthia A. wife w f 48; John A. son w m 22; Elexander son w m 20; James W. son w m 17; Francis C. son w m 13; Minnie A. dau w f 11

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Kentucky. Henry is a farmer and Cynthia says she had 6 children born and 6 are living. Both have been married once for 27 years. John and Alexander are woodcutters and tie makers.]

1911-1915 Family Move

From Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Sligo, Dent, Missouri, United States.

1915 Death of spouse; Henry Absalom Pratt

Henry Absalom Pratt died in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 13 April 1915.

1915-1920 Family Move

From Sligo, Dent, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after the death of her husband; Henry Absalom Pratt.

1916 Death of mother-in-law; Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 21 March 1916.

1920 Federal Census age 58

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 225a, 21 January 1920, line 5, farm 92, family 92

PRATT, James W. head w m 27; Bertha L. wife w f 24; Cinthia A. mother w f 57

[All born in Missouri including parents except Cynthia's father born in France. James is a farmer and owns his own farm. James and Bertha are married, Cynthia is a widow.]

1925 Death of Cynthia Anna (MISSÉ) Pratt

Cynthia Anna (MISSÉ) Pratt died in East Benton Twp, Christian, Missouri, United States on 31 August 1925.

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, death certificate file No. #23336.

Cinthis Ann Pratt white widowed female was born 5 December 1862 at Washington County, Missouri to J. A. Missey [birthplace unknown] and [mother and birthplace unknown]. She is the wife of Henry Absalom Pratt and died at age 62 years, 8 months, 22 days. She died in East Benton Twp, Christian, Missouri, United States on 31 August 1925. She was buried on September 1, 1925 at Union Chapel. The informant was F.C. Pratt of Fordland, Missouri. [Francis C. Pratt, her son.]

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Cynthia Ann Pratt August 31, 1925 Christian 23336

1925 Burial of Cynthia Anna (MISSÉ) Pratt

Union Chapel Church Cemetery, East Benton Twp, Christian, Missouri, United States

<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~mochrist/unionchapel.htm>

Established 1891 To get there: from the Junction of Highway 60 and Z in Fordland (Webster County), take Z south 5.5 miles to an old country store. At the store, Z veers left and Olga Road goes to the right of the store. Turn on Olga Road; proceed .3 miles to Hiawatha Road. Turn left on Hiawatha, travel .7 miles to Union Chapel Road. Turn left on Union Chapel, .6 miles to cemetery on the left.

Pratt, Cynthia Ann (Missly?) born Dec 5, 1852-Aug 3 1925 W/o Henry Abslum Pratt D/o J. A.

Missly (Hard to read)

Pratt, John A. born Dec 5 1872-Apr 15 1948 H/o M. Alice (Cornelison) Md 1915

Pratt, M. "Martha" Alice (Cornelison) born Jul 27 1888-Mar 15 1926 W/o John A. D/o John Scott & Sarah Ann (Helms) Cornelison

FAG# 73233377

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 130 F i. **Mary Caroline Pratt** was born on 27 September 1885 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 29 July 1962 in Nevada City, Nevada, California, United States at age 76.

Mary married **William H. Welch** (d. 6 August 1922) on 13 March 1902 in Morrellton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 131 M ii. **John Absalom Pratt** was born on 16 July 1887 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 26 August 1966 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 79, and was buried in August 1966 in Eastlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

John married **Christina M. Henson** (d. 24 August 1968) on 6 October 1912 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 132 M iii. **Alexander Pratt** was born on 10 February 1890 in Sullivan, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in March 1971 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 81.

Alexander married **Mary Ann Elizabeth Henson** (d. November 1979) on 16 March 1919 in Pea Ridge, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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- + 133 M iv. **James Wesley Pratt** was born on 20 July 1892 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
James married **Bertha L. Callahan** in 1912-1916.
- + 134 M v. **Francis Columbus Pratt** was born on 16 June 1894 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 16 April 1962 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States at age 67, and was buried in April 1962 in Humansville Cemetery, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.
Francis married **Frances Evelyn "Fannie" Henson** (d. 4 January 2000) on 7 March 1917 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 135 F vi. **Minnie Ann Pratt** was born on 10 August 1898 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 4 August 1910 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 11, and was buried on 5 August 1910 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

36. Alexander Pratt (*Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 1 January 1861 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 2 March 1928 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 67, and was buried on 3 March 1928 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1861 Birthblock for Alexander Pratt son of John Absalom Sr. and Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

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Date from the 1870 census states he was born in 1861 in Missouri.

Date from the 1876 census states he was born 1858-1866.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born in 1862 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born December 1869 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born in 1861 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born in 1861 in Missouri.

Date from headstone states he was born January 1, 1861.

1865 Childbirth of brother; James A. Pratt

James A. Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1865.

1867 Childbirth of sister; Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT)

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 24 March 1868.

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1870 Federal Census age 9

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 601b, 9 July 1870, line 14, house 73, family 73

PRATT, John w m 32; Caroline w f 36; Nancy w f 16; Lorinda w f 15; Mary F. w f 12; Henry A. w m 10; Alexander w m 9; James A. w m 5; Tilda w f 3

[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1870 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Jr.

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1870.

1870-1876 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1876 Childbirth of sister; Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) was born near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1876.

1876 Missouri State Census age 15

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

PRATT, John E. w m 21-45[40]; Caroline w f 21-45[42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45[22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21[21]; Mary F. w f 10-18[18]; Henry A. w m 10-18[16]; Alexander w m 10-18[15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under[8]; John w m 9 & under[6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under[1]

[Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (**PRATT**) Campbell family.]

1880 Federal Census age 19

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 188a, 26 June 1880, line 9, [no house or family number]

PRATT, John head w m 44; Caroline wife w f 46; Alexander son w m 18; Matilda dau w f 15; John son w m 10; Elizabeth dau w f 5

[John born in Tennessee as was his parents, Caroline born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri, their father born in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1890 Death of father; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 June 1890.

1900 Federal Census age 39

Sullivan City, Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 193a, 6 June 1900, line 40, house 171, family 177

PRATT, Elexander head w m born December 1869 age 30; B. Caroline mother w f born December 1828 age 71; **CAIN**, Bettie sister w f born July 1877 age 22; Elexander nephew w m born December 1894 age 5

[All was born in Missouri as was their parents except Caroline's parents were born in Tennessee. Caroline is a widow and says she had 2 children born and 2 are living. Bettie is a widow. Elexander is a farmer and renting.]

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1910 Federal Census age 49

Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 246a, 2 & 3 May 1910, line 31, house 385, family 395

PRATT, Alexander head w m 49; Caroline mother w f 76; **CAIN**, Alexander nephew w m 12

[Alexander born in Missouri as was his mother his father in Tennessee, Caroline born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, Alexander born in Missouri as was his parents. Caroline is a widow and says she had 9 children born and 8 are living. Alexander is a farmer and renting.]

1916 Death of mother: Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) Pratt died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 21 March 1916.

1920 Federal Census age 59

237 Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 183b, 14 January 1920, dwelling 237, house 242, family 243

PRATT, Alexander head w m 59; John A. head w m 44

[All born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Alexander & John A. are brothers. Alexander is single, John is widowed twice. Alexander was renting and John owned the home.]

1928 Death of Alexander Pratt

Alexander Pratt died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 March 1928.

[1] Date from headstone states he died 2 March 1928.

[2] Missouri Department of Health death certificate #

Alexander Pratt white single male born 1 January 1861 in Washington County, Missouri to John E. Pratt born in Missouri and Caroline Blanton born in Missouri. He died 2 March 1928 at Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. He was buried on 3 March 1928 in Sullivan, Missouri. The informant was John Pratt, Sullivan, Missouri.

Alexander Pratt March 02, 1928 Franklin 8452

1928 Burial of Alexander Pratt

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
Pratt, Alexander 1 January 1861-2 March 1928

37. James A. Pratt (*Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹)

was born in 1865 near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died from 1870 to 1876 near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 5. He never married and had no children.

1865 Birthblock for James A. Pratt son of John Absalom Sr. and Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

James A. Pratt was born near Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1865.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born in 1865 in Missouri.

1867 Childbirth of sister: Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT)

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 24 March 1868.

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1870 Federal Census age 5

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 601b, 9 July 1870, line 14, house 73, family 73

PRATT, John w m 32; Caroline w f 36; Nancy w f 16; Lorinda w f 15; Mary F. w f 12; Henry A. w m 10; Alexander w m 9; James A. w m 5; Tilda w f 3

[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1870 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Jr.

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1870.

1870-1876 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1870-1876 Death of James A. Pratt

James A. Pratt died near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States between 1870-1876.

James A. Pratt is listed on 9 July 1870 as 5 years old but in the 1876 Missouri State Census he is not listed with his family he should have been 11 years old. He also does not appear in the 1880 census as 15 years old. He died near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1870-1876 Burial of James A. Pratt

38. Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt (*Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 24 March 1868 near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 23 April 1915 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 47, and was buried in April 1915 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1868 Birthblock for Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT) daughter of John Absalom Sr. & Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 24 March 1868.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born in 1867 in Missouri.

Date from the 1876 census states she was born 1865-1876.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born in 1865 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born in March 1868 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born in 1868 in Missouri.

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Date from her obituary states she was born 24 March 1868 in Missouri.

1870 Federal Census age 2

Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 601b, 9 July 1870, line 14, house 73, family 73

PRATT, John w m 32; Caroline w f 36; Nancy w f 16; Lorinda w f 15; Mary F. w f 12; Henry A. w m 10; Alexander w m 9; James A. w m 5; Tilda A. w f 3
[John born in Tennessee the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1870 Childbirth of brother; John Absalom Pratt Jr.

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 September 1870.

1870-1876 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1876 Childbirth of sister; Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) was born near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1876.

1876 Missouri State Census age 8

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

PRATT, John E. w m 21-45 [40]; Caroline w f 21-45 [42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45 [22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21 [21]; Mary F. w f 10-18 [18]; Henry A. w m 10-18 [16]; Alexander w m 10-18 [15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under [8]; John w m 9 & under [6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under [1]
[Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (**PRATT**) Campbell family.]

1880 Federal Census age 12

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 188a, 26 June 1880, line 9, [no house or family number]

PRATT, John head w m 44; Caroline wife w f 46; Alexander son w m 18; Matilda dau w f 15; John son w m 10; Elizabeth dau w f 5

[John born in Tennessee as was his parents, Caroline born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri, their father born in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1890 Death of father; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 June 1890.

Date from headstone states he died 27 June 1890.

1889 Marriage of John Stephen Blanton Jr. and Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT)

[1] Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "E", page 7

John S. Blanton of Sullivan, Franklin Co. and Matilda E. Pratt of Franklin Co. were married on the 10 Dec 1889 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1896 Childbirth of son; Homer Clarence Blanton

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Homer Clarence Blanton was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 December 1896.

1898 Childbirth of daughter: Grace "Gracie" (BLANTON)

Grace "Gracie" (BLANTON) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on July 1898.

1900 Federal Census age 32

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 28a, 20 June 1900, line 21, house 223, family 226

BLANTON, John S. head w m born January 1854 age 46; Tilda wife w f born March 1868 age 32; Nannie dau w f born September 1883 age 16; Maud dau w f born October 1887 age 12; Homer C. son w m born December 1897 age 2; Gracie dau w f born July 1898 age 1

[All were born in Missouri as was their parents except John's father born in Tennessee. They have been married for 9 years. Matilda says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Should be noted that Nannie and Maude are John's children from a previous marriage.]

1905 Childbirth of son: Orville Lewis Blanton

Orville Lewis Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 September 1905.

1910 Federal Census age 42

Grigsby Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235a, 19 April 1910, line 43, house 157, family 160

BLANTON, John S. head w m 56; Tilda wife w f 42; Homer son w m 13; Gracie dau w f 11; Orvil son w m 3

[All born in Missouri including parents. They have been married for 20 years. This is John's second marriage and Matilda's first. Tilda says she has had 6 children born and 3 are living. John is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1915 Death of Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT) Blanton

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT) Blanton died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 August 1915.

[1] Date from the obituary states she died 23 August 1915 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

[2] no headstone found

[3] no death certificate found

1915 Burial of Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT) Blanton

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

[Location from obituary]

1915 Obituary of Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT) Blanton

Newspaper Obituary:

Mrs. Matilda Ellen Blanton (nee Pratt), died at her home in Sullivan, Aug. 23, 1915. She was 47 years old on March 24th., last. She was the daughter of Mrs. Caroline Pratt, and lived her entire life in this community. On Dec. 12, 1889 she was married to John S. Blanton by whom she had six children, three of whom and her husband survive her. She was a member of the Baptist Church for the past twenty-five years. The funeral was conducted by the Rev. M.S. Woodworth at the

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Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon and burial was made in Buffalo Cemetery. [Newspaper & date unknown.]- Floyd Thomas Pratt

Matilda married **John Stephen "Steve" H. Blanton Jr.**, son of **Stephen "Steve" H. Blanton Sr.** and **Hannah Kay Keay**, on 10 December 1889 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. John was born on 19 January 1854 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 24 November 1939 in 1576 Valle, Wellston, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 85, and was buried on 27 November 1939 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1854 Birthblock for John Stephen "Steve" Blanton Jr. son of John Stephen Sr. & Hannah (KEAY) Blanton

John Stephen "Steve" Blanton Jr. was born in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 29 January 1854.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1854 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born

Date from the 1900 census states he was born January 1854 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1854 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1858 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1854 in Missouri.

Date from headstone states he was born 1857.

Date from the obituary states he was born 29 January 1857 in Bonne Terre, Missouri.

Date from death certificate states he was born 29 January 1859 in Missouri.

1857 Childbirth of sister; Caroline (BLANTON)

Caroline (BLANTON) was born in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 1857.

1858 Childbirth of sister; Catherine (BLANTON)

Catherine (BLANTON) was born in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 1858.

1860 Childbirth of sister; Mary Ann "Polly" (BLANTON)

Mary Ann "Polly" (BLANTON) was born in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 6

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1864 Childbirth of sister; Emeline (BLANTON)

Emeline (BLANTON) was born in Arkansas, United States in 1864.

Story related to me by William Blanton of Norwood, Missouri (1980's)

Stephen Blanton and wife Hannah were having a discussion one day in their kitchen and an argument ensued with Hannah throwing a cup of hot coffee in Stephen Blanton's face. This resulted in him leaving the household and relocating to Polk Co., MO. [Stories like these make good sensationalism, however, one must remember that embellishment is the order of the day and not to put too much credence into what one hears.--Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1870 Federal Census age 16

Sullivan Post Office, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page
BRECKENRIDGE, John w m 25; Virginia B. w f 26; **WHITMEIER**, Mary w f 19;
BLANTON, John w m 16

1874 Marriage of John Stephen "Steve" Blanton and Sarah Ann "Sally" (BLANTON)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mr John W Blanton Marriage Date:14 Sep 1874 Marriage County:Washington Spouse
Name:Sarah Blanton

[2] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 267

John W. Blanton & Sarah Blanton; married on 14 September 1874 by N. H. Buck, MG at
Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1875 Childbirth of son; James Edward Blanton

James Edward Blanton was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 24
June 1875.

1876 Childbirth of daughter; Phoebe (BLANTON)

Phoebe (BLANTON) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in
1876.

1876-1877 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Sullivan, Mermaec Twp, Franklin,
Missouri, United States

1877 Childbirth of daughter; Annie Sarah (BLANTON)

Annie Sarah (BLANTON) was born in Sullivan, Mermaec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United
States on 7 February 1877.

1880 Federal Census age 26 [no lisitng]

1883 Childbirth of daughter; Nancy "Nannie" J. (BLANTON)

Nancy "Nannie" J. (BLANTON) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri,
United States on 2 September 1883. _

1887 Childbirth of daughter; Maude M. (BLANTON)

Maude M. (BLANTON) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United
States on 21 October 1887.

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1889 Death of spouse; Sarah Ann "Sally" (BLANTON) Blanton

Sarah Ann "Sally" (BLANTON) Blanton died in Sullivan, Mermaec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 June 1889.

1889 Marriage of John Stephen Blanton Jr. and Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT)

[1] Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "E", page 7

John S. Blanton of Sullivan, Franklin Co. and Matilda E. Pratt of Franklin Co. were married on the 10 Dec 1889 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1896 Childbirth of son; Homer Clarence Blanton

Homer Clarence Blanton was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 December 1896.

1898 Childbirth of daughter; Grace "Gracie" (BLANTON)

Grace "Gracie" (BLANTON) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on July 1898.

1900 Federal Census age 46

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 28a, 20 June 1900, line 21, house 223, family 226

BLANTON, John S. head w m born January 1854 age 46; Tilda wife w f born March 1868 age 32; Nannie dau w f born September 1883 age 16; Maud dau w f born October 1887 age 12; Homer C. son w m born December 1897 age 2; Gracie dau w f born July 1898 age 1 [All were born in Missouri as was their parents except John's father born in Tennessee. They have been married for 9 years. Matilda says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Should be noted that Nannie and Maude are John's children from a previous marriage.]

1905 Childbirth of son; Orville Lewis Blanton

Orville Lewis Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 September 1905.

1910 Federal Census age 56

Grigsby Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235a, 19 April 1910, line 43, house 157, family 160

BLANTON, John S. head w m 56; Tilda wife w f 42; Homer son w m 13; Gracie dau w f 11; Orvil son w m 3

[All born in Missouri including parents. They have been married for 20 years. This is John's second marriage and Matilda's first. Tilda says she has had 6 children born and 3 are living. John is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1915 Death of spouse; Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT) Blanton

Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT) Blanton died at Grigsby Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 April 1915 .

1915-1920 Marriage John Stephen "Steve" Blanton and Mrs. Magdalena "Lena" Mary (GRAMPE) Blackburn

John S. Blanton and Lena (GRAMPE) Blackburn were married after his wife's death on 23 April 1915 and before the 20 January 1920 census date.

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1920 Federal Census age 66

Pacific Drive, Webster Groves, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 30a, 20 January 1920, house 633,

BLANTON, John head w m 62; Lena wife w f 42; Orville son w m 13; **BLACKBURN**, Gussie sdau w f 14

[All born in Missouri except Gussie born in Oklahoma, John's parents born in Tennessee, Lena & Orville 's parents born in Missouri, Gussie's father born in Ohio, her mother in Missouri. John is a blacksmith for City Water Company.]

1930 Federal Census age 76

Hamilton Ave., Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 7b, 5 April 1930,

BLANTON, John S. head w m 76; Lena M. wife w f 52; Orville L. son w m 24; Irene M. dnlaw w f 20; Laverne gdau w f 1 6/12

[All born in Missouri including parents. John is a janitor. Lena was first married at age 28, Orville was first married at age 22, Irene was first married at age 19. Lena is a waitress.]

1939 Death of John Stephen "Steve" Blanton

John Stephen "Steve" Blanton died at 1576 Valle, Wellston, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 24 November 1939.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #40878
John Blanton white divorced male born 29 January 1859 in Missouri to Steve Blanton born in Missouri and Hannah Kay born in Missouri. John Blanton was a blacksmith and married to Leona Blanton. He died on 24 November 1939 at 1576 Valle, Wellston, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. He was buried on 27 november 1939 at Sullivan, Missouri. The informant was Orval Blanton, 1576 Valle, Wellston, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

[2] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #40878
As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: John Blanton died November __, 1939 in St. Louis death certificate #40878

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1939 Burial of John Stephen "Steve" Blanton

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
Blanton, John S. 1857-1939

1939 Obituary of John Stephen "Steve" Blanton

John Steven Blanton was born in Bonne Terre Jan. 29, 1857 and passed away Friday, November 24, 1939, at the age of 82 years 9 months 25 days. He was united in marriage to Sallie Blanton in 1874 and to this union 10 children were born, eight of whom preceded him to the great beyond. The two surviving are Mrs. Claude Cardwell of St. Louis and Mrs. Annie Simmerly of Bourbon. The first wife passed away in 1889.

In later years he married Ellen Pratt and to this union four children were born. The only two remaining are Homer and Orvil Blanton of St. Louis. Later his wife passed away also. In later years he married Lena Blackburn, whom he leaves to mourn his loss and thirty grandchildren, twenty great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild and several other relatives and friends. Burial was made in Buffalo Cemetery.

FAG# 48887487

John Stephen "Steve" H. Blanton Jr. {FAG# 48887487} was born 19 January 1854 - Bonne

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Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died 24 November 1939 - 1576 Valle, Wellston, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States and was buried 27 November 1939 - Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Stephen "Steve" H. Blanton Sr. (1829-1903/1908) Mother: Hannah (**KEY**) (1832-aft 1880) Spouses: 1st spouse Sarah Ann "Sally" (**BLANTON**) {FAG# 53688897} (6 May 1858 - 14 June 1889) Marriage: 14 September 1874 - Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Children: (not inclusive) 1. James Edward Blanton {FAG# 44082944} (1875-1938) 2. Phoebe (**BLANTON**) Pratt (1876-1898/1910) 3. Annie Sarah (**BLANTON**) Simmerly {FAG# 60072125} (1877-1957) 4. Nancy "Nannie" J. (**BLANTON**) Enloe {FAG# 95942663} (1883-1916) 5. Maude M. (**BLANTON**) Cardwell {FAG# 46290851} (1887-1951) 2nd spouse Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**) {FAG#* 95913280} (24 March 1868 - 23 April 1915) Marriage: 10 December 1889 - Crawford, Missouri, United States Children: 6. Homer Clarence Blanton Sr. (1896-1984) 7. Grace "Gracie" (**BLANTON**) Jones (1898-1924) 8. Orville Lewis Blanton Sr. {FAG# 59949206} (1905-1972) 3rd spouse Magdalena "Lena" Mary (**GRAMPP**) Blackburn {FAG# 31997778} (16 March 1876 - 2 January 1946) Marriage: 1915-1920

Children from this marriage were:

- + 136 M i. **Homer Clarence Blanton Sr.** was born on 1 December 1896 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died in March 1984 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 87.

Homer married **Emma S. Mathis** (d. 13 July 1942) on 22 November 1915 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Homer next married **Juanita Iris Jones** (d. 3 March 1985) From 1918 to 1919.

- + 137 F ii. **Grace "Gracie" Blanton** was born in July 1898 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 6 December 1924 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States at age 26.

Grace married **Saunders Jones** from 1915 to 1916.

- + 138 M iii. **Orville Lewis Blanton Sr.** was born on 10 September 1905 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 23 January 1972 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 66, and was buried in January 1972 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Orville married **Irene Matilda Terry** (d. 5 March 2004) on 20 August 1927 in Jennings, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

39. John Absalom Pratt Jr. (*Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 7 September 1870 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 24 November 1945 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried on 27 November 1945 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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Date from 1876 Missouri state census states he was born in 1867-1876.

Date from 1880 census states he was born in 1870 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states he was born

Date from 1910 census states he was born in 1870 in Missouri.

Date from 1920 census states he was born in 1876 in Missouri.

Date from 1930 census states he was born in 1875 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 7 September 1870.

Date from headstone states he was born

1870-1876 Family Move

From near Cuba Post Office, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1875 Death of grandmother; Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton

Nancy (CARTER) Pratt Blanton died at the Blanton mansion in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 17 November 1875.

1876 Childbirth of sister; Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) was born near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1876.

1876 Missouri State Census age 6

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, Twp 40, Range 2, West, Ancestry.com image #17

PRATT, John E. w m 21-45[39]; Caroline w f 21-45[42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45[22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21[21]; Mary F. w f 10-18[18]; Henry A. w m 10-18[16]; Alexander w m 10-18[15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under[8]; John w m 9 & under[6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under[1]
[Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (PRATT) Campbell family.]

1880 Federal Census age 10

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 188a, 26 June 1880, line 9, [no house or family number]

PRATT, John head w m 44; Caroline wife w f 46; Alexander son w m 18; Matilda dau w f 15; John son w m 10; Elizabeth dau w f 5

[John born in Tennessee as was his parents, Caroline born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri, their father born in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1890 Death of father; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 June 1890.

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1891 Marriage of John Absalom Pratt Jr. and Phoebe (BLANTON)

[1] Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 120

John A. Pratt of Franklin Co., Mo. under 21; Phoebe Blanton of Franklin Co., Mo. under 18; The Father, John S. Blanton of the said Phoebe Blanton has given his assent to said marriage. The mother Caroline Pratt of the said John A. Pratt has given her assent to said marriage.; 7 May 1891 license; married on 10 May 1891 by Joseph Bennett, JP at his office, Franklin Co., Mo.; both hand written indexes have Pheoba Blanton

1893 Childbirth of son; Henry Pratt

Henry Pratt was born 1893 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1893.

1897 Childbirth of son; William Pratt

William Pratt was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1897.

1900 Federal Census age 30

1897-1910 Death of spouse; Phoebe (BLANTON) Pratt

Phoebe (BLANTON) Pratt died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1897 the childbirth of her son; William Pratt and the 3 May 1910 the date of the 1910 census where her spouse; John is listed as a widower.

1910 Federal Census age 40

Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 246a, 2 & 3 May 1910, line 34, house 386, family 396

PRATT, John A. head w m 40; Henry son w m 17; William son w m 12; **SNYDER**, Lizzie A. w f 16

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except John's father born in Tennessee. John is a widower. Lizzie has no relationship designation. Living next door to brother his Alexander Blanton.]

1916 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 21 March 1916.

1920 Federal Census age 50

237 Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 183b, 14 January 1920, dwelling 237, house 242, family 243

PRATT, Alexander head w m 59; John A. head w m 44

[All born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Alexander & John Absalon Jr. are brothers. Alexander is single, John is widowed twice. Alexander was renting and John owned the home.]

1930 Federal Census age 60

Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 273a, 14 April 1930, house 248, family 260

PRATT, William head w m 32; Thelma L. wife w f 29; Phoebe M. dau w f 7; Thelma L. dau w f 5; William B. son w m 2; Emma A. dau w f ?; John A. father w m 55

[All born in Missouri except Thelma born in Oklahoma, her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri. John's parents born in Kentucky. William was first married at age 21 Thelma was first married at

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age 19. William works in a shoe factory. John A. is a widower.]

1940 Federal Census age 70

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page _

PRATT, John head w m 69; William son w m 41; Thelma L. dnlaw w f 39; Phoebe M. gdau w f 17; Thelma L. gdau w f 15; William B. gson w m 12; Ethel A. gdau w f 5; Helen L. gdau w f 3

1945 Death of John Absalom Pratt Jr.

John Absalom Pratt Jr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 24 November 1945.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Death Certificate #37121

John A. Pratt born 7 September 1870 to John E. Pratt and Caroline Blanton of Sullivan. He died 24 November 1945 in Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri. He was buried in Sullivan. Informant was William Pratt.

[2] Date from headstone of 24 November 1945.

1945 Burial of John Absalom Pratt Jr.

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

John married **Phoebe Blanton**, daughter of **John Stephen "Steve" H. Blanton Jr.** and **Sarah Ann "Sally" Blanton**, on 10 May 1891 in Franklin, Missouri, United States. Phoebe was born in 1876 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died 1898 to 1910 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 22, and was buried 1898 to 1910 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1876 Birthblock for Phoebe (BLANTON) daughter of John Stephen "Steve" H. Jr. & Sarah Ann "Sally" (BLANTON) Blanton

Phoebe (BLANTON) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1876.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born [no listing]

Date from the 1900 census states she was born [no listing]

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1876-1877 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1877 Childbirth of sister; Annie Sarah (BLANTON)

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Annie Sarah (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan, Mermaec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 7 February 1877.

1880 Federal Census age 4

1883 Childbirth of sister; Nancy "Nannie" J. (**BLANTON**)

Nancy "Nannie" J. (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 September 1883. _

1887 Childbirth of sister; Maude M. (**BLANTON**)

Maude M. (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 21 October 1887.

1889 Death of mother; Sarah Ann "Sally" (**BLANTON**) Blanton

Sarah Ann "Sally" (**BLANTON**) Blanton died in Sullivan, Mermaec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 June 1889.

1889 Father's marriage of John Stephen Blanton Jr. and Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (**PRATT**)

[1] Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "E", page 7

John S. Blanton of Sullivan, Franklin Co. and Matilda E. Pratt of Franklin Co. were married on the 10 Dec 1889 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1890 Federal Census age 14 [lost]

1891 Marriage of John Absalom Pratt Jr. and Phoebe (**BLANTON**)

Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 120

John A. Pratt of Franklin Co., Mo. under 21; Phoebe Blanton of Franklin Co., Mo. under 18; The Father, John S. Blanton of the said Phoebe Blanton has given his assent to said marriage. The mother Caroline Pratt of the said John A. Pratt has given her assent to said marriage.; 7 May 1891 license; married on 10 May 1891 by Joseph Bennett, JP at his office, Franklin Co., Mo.; both hand written indexes have Pheoba Blanton

1893 Childbirth of son; Henry Pratt

Henry Pratt was born 1893 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1893.

1896 Childbirth of step-brother; Homer Clarence Blanton

Homer Clarence Blanton was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 December 1896.

1897 Childbirth of son; William A. Pratt

William A. Pratt was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1897.

1898 Childbirth of step-sister; Grace "Gracie" (**BLANTON**)

Grace "Gracie" (**BLANTON**) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on July 1898.

1900 Federal Census age 24

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1905 Childbirth of step-brother; Orville Lewis Blanton

Orville Lewis Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 September 1905.

1897-1910 Death of Phoebe (BLANTON) Pratt

Phoebe (BLANTON) Pratt died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1897 the childbirth of her son; William Pratt and the 3 May 1910 the date of the 1910 census where her spouse; John is listed as a widower.

1897-1910 Burial of Phoebe (BLANTON) Pratt

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Children from this marriage were:

- + 139 M i. **Henry Pratt** was born in 1893 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 140 M ii. **William A. Pratt** was born on 10 May 1897 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 12 October 1985 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 88, and was buried in October 1985 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

William married **Thelma Lydia Blackburn** (d. 14 October 1970) from 1918 to 1920.

- + 141 M iii. **Jesse Pratt** was buried in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

40. Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" Pratt (*Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 27 March 1876 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 20 June 1941 in 509 South Lily Street, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 65, and was buried on 22 June 1941 in Greenlawn Memorial Gardens, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.



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1875 Birthblock for Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) daughter of John Absalom Sr. & Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1876.

Date from the 1876 state census states she was born in 1865-1876.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born in 1875 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born July 1877 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1874 in Missouri.

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Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1876 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1876 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 27 March 1876 in Sullivan, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states she was born 1876.

Date from the obituary states she was born

1876 Missouri State Census age 1

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States,

PRATT, John E. w m 21-45[40]; Caroline w f 21-45[42]; Nancy C. w f 21-45[22]; Laurinda J. w f 18-21[21]; Mary F. w f 10-18[18]; Henry A. w m 10-18[16]; Alexander w m 10-18[15]; Matilda E. w f 9 & under[8]; John w m 9 & under[6]; Elizabeth w f 9 & under[1]

[Living next door to Isaac & Malinda (**PRATT**) Campbell family.]

1880 Federal Census age 5

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 188a, 26 June 1880, line 9, [no house or family number]

PRATT, John head w m 44; Caroline wife w f 46; Alexander son w m 18; Matilda dau w f 15;

John son w m 10; Elizabeth dau w f 5

[John born in Tennessee as was his parents, Caroline born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri, their father born in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri. John is a farmer.]

1890 Death of father; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 June 1890.

1894 Marriage of Burton Cain & Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

[1] Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "G", 1890-1894 page 403

Bertin Cains of Stanton, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Bettie Pratt of Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 4 January 1894 license; married on 7 January 1894 by P. C. Thurmond, JP at Mr. Pratts, Franklin Co., Mo.

1897 Childbirth of son; Burton Alexander Cain

Burton Alexander Cain was born in Sullivan City, Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States 13 November 1897.

1897-1900 Death of spouse; Burton Cain

Burton Cain died between his marriage date of son's; conception in 1897 and 6 June 1900 census date where his spouse is a widow.

1900 Federal Census age 25

Sullivan City, Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 193a, 6 June 1900, House 172:

PRATT, Elexander head w m born December 1869 age 30; B. Caroline mother w f born December 1828 age 71; **CAIN**, Bettie sister w f born July 1877 age 22; Elexander nephew w m born December 1894 age 5

[All born in Missouri, including parents except Caroline's parent's who were born in Tennessee. Caroline says she had 2 children born and two are living. Alexander is single but both Caroline and Bettie are widows. The "B" in front of her name stands for Betsy Caroline. Elexander is a

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farmer.]

1901 Marriage of Alfred Lahmann & Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) Cain

Alfred Lahmann & Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) Cain were married in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 28 November 1901.

1905 Childbirth of daughter; Jessie J. (LAHMANN)

Jessie J. (LAHMANN) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1905.

1906 Childbirth of daughter; Lydia (LAHMANN)

Lydia (LAHMANN) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1906.

1908 Childbirth of son; Paul Lahmann

Paul Lahmann was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 35

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 244b & 245a, 2 May 1910, line 97, house 357, family 367

LAHMANN, Alfred head w m 28; Lulu wife w f 36; Jessie dau w f 5; Lyddie dau w f 4; [page 245a] Paul son w m 1.7mos

[Alfred was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri. Lula was born in Missouri, her father in Tennessee her mother in Missouri. The children born in Missouri as was their parents. Alfred has been married once, Lula has been married twice they have been married for 8 years. Lula says she has had 5 children born 4 are living. Alfred is a porter in a hotel. They are renting.]

1912 Childbirth of daughter; Laura (LAHMANN)

Laura (LAHMANN) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1912.

1916 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt

Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (BLANTON) Pratt died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 21 March 1916.

1918 Husband's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Alfred Lahmann, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States Birth Date:18 November 1881 Race:White FHL Roll Number:1683213 Date: 12 September 1918

1918-1920 Family Move

From Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

1920 Federal Census age 45

1107 Nichols Street, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 123a, 7 January 1920, line 17, house 1107, dwelling 217, family 229

LAHMANN, Alfred head w m 39; Elizabeth wife w f 44; Jessie J. dau w f 15; Lydia dau w f 14; Paul son w m 11; Laura dau w f 8

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[Alfred was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri. Lula was born in Missouri, her father in Kentucky her mother in Missouri. The children born in Missouri as was their parents. Alfred is a laborer for the railroad yard. They are renting.]

1930 Federal Census age 55

509 Lily Street, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 43b, 10 April 1930, line 51, house 509, dwelling 89, family 97

LAHMANN, Alfred head w m 50; Lula E. wife w f 54; **BREYMAN**, Harold boarder w m 29; Laura boarder w f 18; Norma J. boarder w f 1.11mos; Thelma F. boarder w f 5mos

[Alfred was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri. Lula was born in Missouri, her father in Kentucky her mother in Missouri. Alfred was first married at age 21, Lula was first married at age 25. Alfred owns his home and is a sand blower. Laura is their daughter.]

1941 Death of Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) Cain Lahmann

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) Cain Lahmann died at 509 South Lily Street, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States on 20 June 1941.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #21709

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Lula Elizabeth Lahmann June 20, 1941 at Greene Springfield #21709

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1941 Burial of Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) Cain Lahmann

Greenlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

Lahmann, Alfred 1880-1942

Lahmann, Lula E. 1876-1941

FAG# 79863596

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) Cain Lahmann {FAG# 79863596} was born 27 March 1876 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 20 June 1941 - 509 South Lily Street, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States and was buried 22 June 1941 - Greenlawn Memorial Gardens, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: John Absalom Pratt Sr. {FAG# 53641372} (1837-1890) Mother: Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) {FAG# 93299811} (1829-1916). Spouses: 1st spouse Burton Cain (1867 - From 1894 to 1900) Marriage: 7 January 1894 - Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: Burton Alexander Cain (1897-1934) 2nd spouse Alfred Lahmann {FAG# 79863623} (18 November 1879 - 25 April 1942) Marriage: 28 November 1901 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: Jessie J. (**LAHMANN**) (1905-) Lydia "Liddie" (**LAHMANN**) (1906-) Paul Lahmann (1908-1985) Laura (**LAHMANN**) Breyman (1912-)

Lula married **Burton Cain**, son of **Washington Cain** and **Frederica**, on 7 January 1894 in Franklin, Missouri, United States. Burton was born in 1867 near Stanton Post Office, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died from 1894 to 1900 in Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 27.

1865-1866 Marriage of Washington Cain and Frederica ()

1867 Childbirth of son: Burton Cain

Burton Cain was born near Stanton Post Office, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1867.

1870 Federal Census age 3

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Stanton Post Office, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page
KAIN, Washington w m 23; Frederica w f 21; Burton w m 3; Hall K. w m 3mos

1876 Missouri State Census age 9

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, image 18

CANE, James 21-45; James B. 18-21; Burton 9 & under; Hall 9 & under; William 10-18;

1880 Federal Census age 13

1894 Marriage of Burton Cain & Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT)

[1] Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "G", 1890-1894 page 403

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[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Bertin Cains Marriage Date: 7 Jan 1894 Marriage Location: Franklin, Missouri Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Bettie Pratt

1897 Childbirth of son: Burton Alexander Cain

Burton Alexander Cain was born in Sullivan City, Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States 13 November 1897.

1897-1900 Death of Burton Cain

Burton Cain died between his marriage date of son's; conception in 1897 and 6 June 1900 census date where his spouse is a widow.

Email sent to all on 5 January 2012

Hello All...for those of you who have an interest in Burton Cain whom married Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) on 7 January 1894 in Franklin, Missouri, United States I would like to be the first to inform you that after 4 hours of research I have made a connection to his parents. For those of you who have tried to find out his parents I am sure you know the difficulty that we were facing.

But, by collecting all the Cain, Cane, Kain, Kane families in Franklin County and eliminating potential parents I discovered by accident, or as some of you may say, good sound research techniques...found his parents.

It began by discovering the 1876 Missouri State Census which listed the following...

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, image 18

CANE, James 21-45; James B. 18-21; Burton 9 & under; Hall 9 & under; William 10-18;

Assuming the James Cane was his father, I connected all the Canes in ancestry.com to discover James was not his father.

However, I discovered that Jesse & Martha (**RICHARDS**) Cain had sons and by checking each and everyone of those sons and their children I found that Jesse's son, James Burton Cain married Debbie "Lovey" (**JACKSON**) and had a son named James Polk or K. Cain born 1850.

However, James Polk Cain did not have a son named Burton Cain born between 1867-1876 or a son named Hall Cain born 1867-1876.

However by checking James & Debbie's other sons, I found a son named Washington Cain born 1849 had married a woman by the name of Frederica born 1849 in Maine and finding him in the 1870 census disclosed that Washington & Frederica (_____) Kane had two sons; Burton born

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1867 and a son named Hall born 1870 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. I had noticed at the time of the 1876 Missouri state census there was a Ebenezer Hall family living next door.

Connecting the dots we end up with Washington (1849-1870/1876) & Frederica 1849-1870/1876) (maiden name unknown at this time) Cain were married circa 1865-1866 and had at least two children. Burton born 1867 and Hall born May 1870 both born near Stanton Post Office, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Of course, having just discovered this, I haven't filled in all the blanks as of yet, but as some who are interested we know that after his marriage, Burton died after son Burton Alexander Cain was born in 1897, so we don't know exactly where he is buried.

Widow; Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) Cain went on to marry Louis Gumpenberger in August 1901 and after a divorce married Alfred Lahmann in November 1901.

I have posted Lula's C2G on ancestry.com at _

<http://trees.ancestry.com/tree/5773168/person/753947171>>

Lula is a daughter of John Absalom Sr. & Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline (**BLANTON**) Pratt.

You can follow Burton Cain's tree at _

<http://trees.ancestry.com/tree/5773168/person/753976231>>

I know there are many of you who are interested in the Cain-Pratt-Lahmann connection so this is for you.

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PS: Of course, you know that you need to see the Sullivan newspapers for 1891-1900 to find a death notice for Burton Cain and don't forget all the name variations.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 142 M i. **Burton Alexander Cain** was born on 13 November 1897 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 January 1934 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 36, and was buried on 1 February 1934 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Burton married **Shrilda Jane L. Luttrell** (d. 18 October 1979) on 18 July 1916 in Webb City, Joplin Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.

Lula next married **Alfred Lahmann**, son of **George Lahmann Sr.** and **Rhoda "Roda" Martha**, on 28 November 1901 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Alfred was born on 18 November 1879 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 25 April 1942 in 1917 West Olive, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 62, and was buried on 28 April 1942 in Greenlawn Memorial Gardens, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.



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1879 Birthblock for Alfred Lahmann son of George Sr. & Rhoda "Roda" Martha ()

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Lahmann

Alfred Lahmann was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 November 1879.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born

Date from the 1900 census states he was born November 1879 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1882 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 18 November 1881 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1881 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1880 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 18 November 1880 in Sullivan, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states he was born 1880.

Date from the obituary states he was born

1880 Federal Census age 1

Because we can't locate George Sr. & Rhoda "Roda" Martha (_____) Lahmann in the 1880 census, this presents a hardship for locating the birthplace of the children.

Research Note

We located this family in the 1876 Missouri State census of Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States thereby, establishing their residency in Franklin County, Missouri. Checking the deed records of Franklin County might reveal where and when George Sr. bought property thereby revealing the birth location of the children. These records can be ordered from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Family History Centers located around the world. For a detailed report on ordering these microfilms please ask me for a copy of "[**How to Order Records On-line**](#)" by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1883 Childbirth of sister; Joannah (LAHMANN)

Joannah (**LAHMANN**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on June 1883.

1888 Childbirth of sister; Catherine "Katie" (LAHMANN)

Catherine "Katie" (**LAHMANN**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on November 1888.

1893 Childbirth of sister; Nellie (LAHMANN)

Nellie (**LAHMANN**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on March 1893.

1896 Childbirth of brother; Franklin "Frank" Lahmann

Franklin "Frank" Lahmann was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 21 January 1896.

1900 Federal Census age 21

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 192b, 6 June 1900, line 94, house 163, family 169

LOHMAN, George head w m born September 1832 age 67; Roda wife w f born July 1857 age 42; Alfred son w m born November 1879 age 20; Johannah dau w f born June 1883 age 16; Katie dau w f born November 1888 age 11; Nellie dau w f born March 1893 age 7; Frank son w m born January 1896 age 4

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[George was born in Germany as was his parents, Roda was born in Missouri her parents born in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri, their father born in Germany, their mother born in Missouri. They have been married for 21 years and Roda says she has had 10 children born and 5 are living. George is a farmer and owns his farm. Living next door to son; George Jr. & Maggie (POPE) Lohmann family.]

1901 Marriage of Alfred Lahmann & widow; Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) Cain

Alfred Lahmann & Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) Cain were married in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 28 November 1901.

1905 Childbirth of daughter; Jessie J. (LAHMANN)

Jessie J. (LAHMANN) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1905.

1906 Childbirth of daughter; Lydia (LAHMANN)

Lydia (LAHMANN) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1906.

1908 Childbirth of son; Paul Lahmann

Paul Lahmann was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 8 October 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 31

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 244b & 245a, 2 May 1910, line 97, house 357, family 367

LAHMANN, Alfred head w m 28; Lulu wife w f 36; Jessie dau w f 5; Lyddie dau w f 4; [page 245a] Paul son w m 1 7/12

[Alfred was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri. Lula was born in Missouri, her father in Tennessee her mother in Missouri. The children born in Missouri as was their parents. Alfred has been married once, Lula has been married twice they have been married for 8 years. Lula says she has had 5 children born 4 are living. Alfred is a porter in a hotel. They are renting.]

1912 Childbirth of daughter; Laura (LAHMANN)

Laura (LAHMANN) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1912.

1918 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Alfred Lahmann, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States Birth Date:18 November 1881 Race:White FHL Roll Number:1683213 Date: 12 September 1918

1918-1920 Family Move

From Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

1920 Federal Census age 41

1107 Nichols Street, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 123a, 7 January 1920, line 17, house 1107, dwelling 217, family 229

LAHMANN, Alfred head w m 39; Elizabeth wife w f 44; Jessie J. dau w f 15; Lydia dau w f

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14; Paul son w m 11; Laura dau w f 8

[Alfred was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri. Lula was born in Missouri, her father in Kentucky her mother in Missouri. The children born in Missouri as was their parents. Alfred is a laborer for the railroad yeard. They are renting.]

1930 Federal Census age 51

509 Lily Street, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 43b, 10 April 1930, line 51, house 509, dwelling 89, family 97

LAHMANN, Alfred head w m 50; Lula E. wife w f 54; **BREYMAN**, Harold boarder w m 29; Laura boarder w f 18; Norma J. boarder w f 1 11/12; Thelma F. boarder w f 5/12

[Alfred was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri. Lula was born in Missouri, her father in Kentucky her mother in Missouri. Alfred was first married at age 21, Lula was first married at age 25. Alfred owns his home and is a sand blower. Laura is their daughter. The Breyman family is Alfred's daughter and son-in-law.]

1941 Death of spouse; Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) Cain Lahmann

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) Cain Gumpenberger Lahmann died at 509 South Lily Street, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States on 20 June 1941.

1942 Death of Alfred Lahmann

Alfred Lahmann died at 1917 West Olive, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States on 25 April 1942._

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #14366

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Alfred Lahmann April __, 1942 Greene Springfield 14366
<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1942 Burial of Alfred Lahmann

Greenlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

Lahmann, Alfred 1880-1942

Lahmann, Lula E. 1876-1941

FAG# 79863623

Alfred Lahmann {FAG# 79863623} was born 18 November 1879 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 25 April 1942 - 1917 West Olive, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States and was buried 28 April 1942 - Greenlawn Memorial Gardens, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: George Lahmann Sr. {FAG# 28952916} (1836-1911) Mother: Rhoda "Roda" Martha (_____) {FAG# 51943863} (1857-1930). Spouse: Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) Cain {FAG#+ 79863596} (27 March 1876 - 20 June 1941) Marriage: 28 November 1901 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: Jessie J. (**LAHMANN**) (1905-_____) Lydia "Liddie" (**LAHMANN**) (1906-_____) Paul Lahmann (1908-1985) Laura (**LAHMANN**) Breyman (1912-_____))

Children from this marriage were:

+ 143 F i. **Jessie J. Lahmann** was born in 1905 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 144 F ii. **Lydia "Liddie" Lahmann** was born in 1906 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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- + 145 M iii. **Paul Lahmann** was born on 8 October 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in November 1985 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 77.
Paul married **Opal Emma Fine** (d. 20 October 1984).
- + 146 F iv. **Laura Lahmann** was born in 1912 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
Laura married **Harold Breyman** in 1927-1928.

41. Susan Jane Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 15 October 1854 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 18 September 1934 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 79, and was buried on 20 September 1934 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Susan Jane (BLANTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1854 Birthblock for Susan Jane (BLANTON) daughter of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr. and Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

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Date from the 1860 census states she was born 1855 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1855 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1855 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born October 1854 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1855 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1855 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1855 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 15 October 1854 in Washington County, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states she was born 1854.

1857 Childbirth of brother; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1857.

1858 Childbirth of sister; Nancy Caroline (BLANTON)

Nancy Caroline (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 March 1858.

1859 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 11, May 27, 1859

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from John Wiley Pinnell at one undivided one fourth [$\frac{1}{4}$] part of

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[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1860 Childbirth of sister; Mary Ellen (BLANTON)

Mary Ellen (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 January 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 6

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 26 July 1860, line 13, house 877, family 867

BLANTON, Elbert w m 29; Mary w f 20; Susan w f 5; Absalom w m 3; Mary C. w f 4months

[All born in Tennessee. Elbert is a miner. Living next door to several Blanton and Pratt families. They were not all born in Tennessee, the children were born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.]

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"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864 Elbert S. Blanton age 33- Diagnosis: Pulse 136, palpitation of heart & symptoms of phthisis." [This is all that is written about Elbert. Palpitation of heart means his heart beats in a rapid rate. Phthisis means tuberculosis of the lungs, consumption. He is listed next to his brothers Henry H. & Alexander Blanton.]

1865 Childbirth of sister; Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

Sarah Ann (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 5 December 1865.

1868 Childbirth of brother; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1868.

1870 Childbirth of sister; Delila Catherine (BLANTON)

Delila Catherine (**BLANTON**) near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on May 1870.

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1870 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "", page "", 11 August 1870

Elbert S. & wife, Mary E. Blanton sold for \$700 to the Austin Clark c/o Franklin City & Ross M. Crow the "Blanton Specular Mine" N1/2 SE1/4, Sec 29, T40N, R1W.

ORE MINE: The Iron Ores, p344, "Hematities of the Filled Sinks", "Blanton Specular Mine"

"Some rounded surface ore, mostley small, is found here, on three spurs of a low ridge. The spurs point about north and strata of solid snadstone crop out at foot of each. A hole, dug fifteen feet deep on the top of the most eastern spur passed through drifted, sandy detrtus, with little ore, then struck a layer of chert. This bank is on a hill thickly covered with detrius, through which single pieces of speclar ore are unequally distributed. The ore itself is of good quality."

1870 Federal Census age 16

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 1, house 108, family 108

BLANTON, A.[Albert] S.[Sevier] w m 39; Mary E. w f 35; Susan J. w f 15; Absalom w m 13; Mary E. w f 11; Sarah A. w f 5; Martin V. w m 3; Delila C. w f 2months born in May [Albert and Mary were born in Tennessee the children born in Missouri. Albert is a lead miner. They are living next door to brothers and father.]

1871 Family Move

From Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 13 August 1871.

1871 Faather's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 13 August 1871

Bradley G. Beavers and wife Amanda M. sold to Elbert S. Blanton of Washington County, for \$600, in the county of Crawford NE quarter of the SW quarter and the NW quarter of the SE quarter of Section (14) Township (40) Range 2W containing 80 acres. NE¼ of the SW¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14, T40N, R2W 80 acres.

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1871 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 30 August 1871, FHL# 0914709

B.J. Beavir to E.S. Blanton NE¼ of the SE¼ & NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14 T40N R2W 80acres

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1872 Death of grandfather; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

1872 Childbirth of brother; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. was born west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 5 May 1872.

1872-1880 Family Move

From west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri,

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United States.

1878 Childbirth of sister; Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

Lucy Adeline (**BLANTON**) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 26

Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 81a, 28 June 1880, line 40, house 348, family 373

WILSON, Victor head w m 26; Amanda wife w f 26; Anna E. dau w f 5; William son w m 3; Frederic son w m 6mos born in December; **BLANTON**, Susan domestic servant w f 25;

GRAYSON, Mary sister w f 16

[Victor born in Indiana his father in New York his mother in looks like Vermont. Amanda born in Kentucky as was her parents, the rest born in Missouri except Mary born in Illinois. The Wilson children's father born in Indiana, their mother born in Kentucky, Susan was born in Missouri but doesn't know where her parents were born, and Mary's parents born in Kentucky. Victor works at the iron works, Susan is a servant. Living a few pages down from Susan's parents.]

1880 Marriage of James Martin Claspill and Susan Jane (BLANTON)

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 398

Jas. Classell and Miss Susan Jane Blanton were married 7 November 1880.

[2] James Classell [Claspill] and Miss Susan Jane Blanton were married 7 November 1880.

[3] Washington County - Marriage Records Book C 1822-1881 by Brian Oster / 398-5

Jas. Classell & Miss Susan Blanton; married on 15 November 1880 by J. H. Brown, JP at Washington Co., Mo.

[4] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002 Name:Miss Susan Blantman [Miss Susan Jane Blanton] Marriage Date:18 November 1880 Marriage County:Washington Spouse Name:Jas Cluall

[Seems to be some confusion in the transcription of this marriage record concerning the date. The first source says they were married on 7 November 1880, the second agrees, the third source by Brian Oster says the 15 November 1880 and ancestry.com's record says 18 November 1880. Someone needs to look at the actual book and help straighten this out.]

1881 Childbirth of son; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 11 August 1881.

1885 Childbirth of daughter; Olive May (CLASPILL)

Olive May (**CLASPILL**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 12 October 1885.

1888 Childbirth of son; Martin Elmer Claspill

Martin Elmer Claspill was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 3 February 1888.

1889 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL)

Mary Elizabeth (**CLASPILL**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 August 1889.

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1900 Federal Census age 46

Japan Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 190b, 5 June 1900, line 92, house 127, family 131

CLASBILL, James head w m born November 1841 age 59; Susan wife w f born October 1854 age 45; Elbert son w m born August 1881 age 18; Olive dau w f born October 1885 age 14; Elmer son w m born February 1888 age 12; Mary dau w f born August 1889 age 9
[James was born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky, Susan born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the children born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married 20 years and Susan says she had had 4 children born 4 are living. James is a U.S. pensioner and they are renting.]

1902 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census age 56

Hamilton Ford Road, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235a, 19 April 1910, line 23, house 151, family 154

CLAPSILL, James head w m 69; Susan wife w f 55

[James was born in Kentucky as was his parents, Susan was born in Missouri her parents born in Tennessee. James has been married twice, Susan has been married once they have been married for 30 years and Susan says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. James is a laborer doing odd jobs and rents his home. Susan is a washer woman for private families.]

1913 Death of father; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1919 Death of spouse; James Martin Claspill

James Martin Claspill died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1919.

1919 Civil War Pension Index: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934

Name:James Claspill State Filed:Missouri Widow:Susan J. Claspill Served: I 26 Mo. Inf. F. Franklin Co., Mo. Mr. H. Gola? Dates: 28 June 1881 Application #398.125 and Certificate # 663.664 in Missouri also Widow Application Date 14 February 1919 Application #1136.148 and Certificate #870226 in Missouri.

1920 Federal Census age 66

Enslot Avenue, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 182a, 17 & 18 January 1920, line 28, house 193, family 204

CLASPILL, Susan J. head w f 65; **LIGHT**, James E. snlw w m 33; Mary E. dau w f 29; Rella E. gson w m 1 1/12

[Susan was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary's father born in Kentucky. Susan is a widow. James and Mary are married and they are renting. James is a teamster.]

1930 Federal Census age 76

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 266b, 5 April 1930, line 76,

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house 85, family 93

CLASPILL, Susan J. head w f 75

[Susan was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. She is a widow and was first married at age 26. Living next door to her brother; Elbert S. & Alice M. (**GARNER**) Blanton family.]

1934 Death of Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

Susan Jane (**BLANTON**) Claspill died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 September 1934. _

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #32448

Susan Claspill white widowed female born 15 October 1854 in Washington County, Missouri to Albert Blanton born Washington County, Missouri and Mary Pratt born Washington County, Missouri. She is the widow of James Claspill and died on 18 September 1934 at Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. She was buried on 20 September 1934 at I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. The informant was Elbert S. Blanton of Sullivan, Missouri.

[2] As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Susan Claspill September __, 1934 Franklin 32448

[3] Date from headstone of 1934.

1934 Burial of Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Claspill, James M. co.I 26th Mo. Inf.

Claspill, Susan 1854-1934

Susan married **James Martin Claspill**, son of **Thomas Claspill** and **Mary Elizabeth Grimsley**, on 7 November 1880 in Washington, Missouri, United States. James was born on 7 November 1841 in Warren, Kentucky, United States, died on 10 February 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried on 11 February 1919 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1841 Birthblock for James Martin Claspill son of Thomas and Mary Elizabeth (GRIMSLEY) Claspill

James Martin Claspill was born in Warren, Kentucky, United States on 7 November 1841.

Date from the 1850 census states he was born

Date from the 1860 census states he was born 1842 in Kentucky.

Date from the 1868 Missouri State census states he was born 1823-1845.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born

Date from the 1876 Missouri State census states he was born 1831-1855.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born

Date from the 1890 census states he was born [not listed]

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Date from the 1900 census states he was born November 1841 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1841 in Kentucky.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 7 November 1841 in Kentucky

Date from the headstone states he was born [no dates listed]

1842-1849 Family Move

From Warren, Kentucky, United States to near Stanton Post Office, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1850 Federal Census age 9

1860 Federal Census age 19

Stanton Post Office, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 217, 16 September 1860, line 13, house 679, family 679

CLASPILLE, Thomas w m 47; S. E. w f 42; John G. w m 21; J.[James] S. w m 18; Rob w m 11; J. V. w m 2; S. E. w f 17

[Thomas, S.E., John, J.S. born in Kentucky, Robert, J.V., S.E. born in Missouri. Thomas is a farmer.]

1861 Military Involvement

Civil War Service Records

Name:James Claspill COMPANY:I Unit:26 Missouri Infantry. Rank - Induction:Private Rank -

Discharge:Private Allegiance:Union Year enlisted:21 September 1861 Year discharged: 26

December 1864 Rank:Private

1868 Missouri, State Census Collection, 1844-1881 age 27

Township 41, Franklin, Missouri, United States

CLASPELL, Thos Claspell

1870 Federal Census age 29

1876 Missouri, State Census Collection, 1844-1881 age 35

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

CLASPIL, Thomas w m over 45 []; Elizabeth w f over 45 []; Ira w m 21-45 []; Thomas W. w m 9 and under []; Earnest A. w m 9 and under []; James w m 21-45 [35]

1880 Federal Census age 39

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Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 August 1889.

1890 Veterans Schedules age 49

Veteran's Name: James Claspell Home in 1890 (Township, County, State): Vilander Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri Year enlisted: 21 September 1861 Year discharged: 26 December 1864 Rank: Private Residence: Vilander, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States Injury: Shot through mouth

1900 Federal Census age 59

Japan Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 190b, 5 June 1900, line 92, house 127, family 131

CLASBILL, James head w m born November 1841 age 59; Susan wife w f born October 1854 age 45; Elbert son w m born August 1881 age 18; Olive dau w f born October 1885 age 14; Elmer son w m born February 1888 age 12; Mary dau w f born August 1889 age 9
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1910 Federal Census age 69

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CLAPSILL, James head w m 69; Susan wife w f 55

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married for 30 years and Susan says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. James is a laborer doing odd jobs and rents his home. Susan is a washer woman for private families.]

1919 Death of James Martin Claspill

James Martin Claspill died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1919._

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #5363

James Martin Claspill was born 7 November 1841 in Kentucky to Thomas Claspill born in Kentucky and Mary Grimsley born in Kentucky. He died on 10 February 1919 at Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. He was buried on 11 February 1919 at Sullivan, Missouri. The informant is Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Light of Sullivan, Missouri.

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: James Martin Claspill February 10, 1919 Franklin 5363

1919 Burial of James Martin Claspill

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Claspill, James M. co.I 26th Mo. Inf. [no dates]

Claspill, Susan 1854-1934

Children from this marriage were:

+ 147 M i. **Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill** was born on 11 August 1881 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 15 February 1943 in enroute City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 61, and was buried on 16 February 1943 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Elbert married **Mary Anne Cain** (d. 20 January 1959) on 29 June 1904 near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 148 F ii. **Olive May Claspill** was born on 12 October 1885 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in April 1978 in Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 92.

Olive married **Jacob "Jake" Bayless** (d. 24 February 1950) on 19 August 1908 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

+ 149 M iii. **Martin Elmer Claspill Sr.** was born on 3 February 1888 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 6 February 1948 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried on 10 February 1948 in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States.

Martin married **Maude Mae Flagg** (d. 15 January 1970) on 6 August 1913.

+ 150 F iv. **Mary Elizabeth Claspill** was born on 23 August 1890 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 17 June 1930 in Christian Hospital, North Florissant, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 39, and was buried on 19 June 1930 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Mary married **James Edward Light** (d. 21 September 1927) from 1918 to 1919.

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Mary next married **Hugh Gilbert Headrick** (d. 26 March 1944) on 5 October 1927 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

42. Absalom Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in 1857 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1880 to 1885 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States at age 23.

1857 Birthblock for Absalom Blanton son of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr. and Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Absalom Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1857.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

1858 Childbirth of sister; Nancy Caroline (BLANTON)

Nancy Caroline (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 March 1858.

1859 Grandfather's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 11, May 27, 1859

Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from John Wiley Pinnell at one undivided one fourth [$\frac{1}{4}$] part of the west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.

[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1859 Grandfather's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 12, June 1, 1859:

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[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

1860 Childbirth of sister; Mary Ellen (BLANTON)

Mary Ellen (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 January 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 3

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 26 July 1860, line 13, house 877, family 867

BLANTON, Elbert w m 29; Mary w f 20; Susan w f 5; Absalom w m 3; Mary C. w f 4months

[All born in Tennessee. Elbert is a miner. Living next door to several Blanton and Pratt families. They were not all born in Tennessee, the children were born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.]

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Martin Van Buren Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1868.

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Delila Catherine (**BLANTON**) near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on May 1870.

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1870 Federal Census age 13

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 1, house 108, family 108

BLANTON, A.[Albert] S.[Sevier] w m 39; Mary E. w f 35; Susan J. w f 15; Absalom w m 13; Mary E. w f 11; Sarah A. w f 5; Martin V. w m 3; Delila C. w f 2months born in May [Albert and Mary were born in Tennessee the children born in Missouri. Albert is a lead miner. They are living next door to brothers and father.]

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1872 Death of grandfather; Abraham Absalom Blanton

Abraham Absalom Blanton, in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

1872 Childbirth of brother; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. was born west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 5 May 1872.

1872-1880 Family Move

From west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1878 Childbirth of sister; Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

1879 Marriage of Absalom Blanton and Clara (KEY)

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "C", page 284
Absalom Blanton and Clara Key were married on 12 November 1879.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Miss. Clara Key Marriage Date:30 Nov 1879 Marriage County:Crawford Spouse

Name:Mr. Abraham Blanton

Research Note

Marriage record actually states his name as Absalom not Abraham.

1879-1880 Family Move

From Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States from 1879/1880.

1880 Federal Census age 23

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 406b, 12 June 1880, line 46, house

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282, family 286

BLANTON, Obslam head w m 23; Clara wife w f 18

[All born in Missouri including parents except Clara's mother born in Ohio. Living in close proximity to Henry W. & Martha (**BROOKS**) Blanton.

1880-1882 Death of mother-in-law; Jane (BROOKS) Key

Jane (**BROOKS**) Key died in Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after the 1880 census and before her spouse's marriage in 1883.

1880-1885 Death or divorce of Absalom Blanton and Clara (KEY) Blanton

It appears that Absalom Blanton may have died after the 1880 census and before the marriage date of his spouse in 1885. It does not look like this marriage was very successful since Clara used her maiden name to marry John William Cain in 1885. Absalom and Clara could have gotten a divorce and then Absalom died shortly thereafter. I believe he may have died since he disappears after the 1880 census.

Absalom married **Clara Key**, daughter of **Jasper N. Key** and **Jane Brooks**, on 30 November 1879 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Clara was born on 8 January 1863 in Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 23 July 1949 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 86, and was buried on 25 July 1949 in Parkview Cemetery, Farmington, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Clara (KEY) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1862 Birthblock of Clara (KEY) daughter of Jasper N. and Jane (BROOKS) Key

Clara (**KEY**) was born near Irondale Post Office, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1862.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1862 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1862 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born

Date from the 1910 census states she was born

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the 1940 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1863 Father's U.S., Civil War Draft Registrations Records, 1863-1865

Name:Jaspal N Key [Jasper N Key] Residence:Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri

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Class:All Congressional District:3rd Age on 1 July 1863:23 Estimated Birth Year:abt 1840
Race:White Marital Status:Married Place of Birth:Tennessee

1866 Childbirth of brother; William Edward Key

William Edward Key was born near Osage Post Office, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1866.

1868 Childbirth of brother; Alexander Key

Alexander Key was born near Osage Post Office, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 20 September 1868.

1870 Childbirth of sister; Susanna (KEY)

Susanna (KEY) was born near Osage Post Office, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on January 1870.

1870 Federal Census age 8

Osage Post Office, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 55a, 2 July 1870, line 5, house 2, family 2

KEY, Jasper w m 30; Jane w f 25; Nora w f 10; Clara w f 8; William C. w m 4; Alexander w m 3; Susanna w f 4mos born in January

[All born in Missouri. Jasper is a farmer. Living a few doors down from James & Susan (_____) Brooks family.]

1874 Childbirth of sister; Cora (KEY)

Cora (KEY) was born near Osage Post Office, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1874.

1878 Childbirth of brother; Francis Key

Francis Key was born near Osage Post Office, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1878.

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1880 Childbirth of sister; Mary J. (KEY)

Mary J. (KEY) was born near Osage Post Office, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in May 1880.

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1880 Federal Census age 18

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 406b, 12 June 1880, line 46, house 282, family 286

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1880-1882 Death of mother; Jane (BROOKS) Key

Jane (**BROOKS**) Key died in Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after the 1880 census and before her spouse's marriage in 1883.

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1885 Marriage of John William Cain and Clara (KEY) Blanton

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Clara Key Marriage Date: 6 January 1885 Marriage Location: Washington, Missouri
Marriage County: Washington Spouse Name: John Cain

1885 Childbirth of daughter; Sofronia "Fronia" (CAIN)

Sofronia "Fronia" (**CAIN**) was born in Irondale, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 6 November 1885.

1886-1900 Family Move

From Irondale, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Iron Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1900 Federal Census age 38

Iron Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page

CAIN, John W. head w m born age 37; Calra wife w f born age 37; Safronia dau w f born age 14

1910 Federal Census age 48

Iron Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page

CAIN, John W. head w m 45; Clara wife w f 45

1920 Federal Census age 58

Pendleton Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page

ELSER, William head w m 31; Frona wife w f 32; Violet dau w f 9; Selina dau w f 7; Arma dau w f 3; **CAIN**, John father-in-law w m 56; Clara mother-in-law w f 55

1920-1930 Family Move

From Pendleton Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to Irondale, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

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1930 Federal Census age 68

Irondale, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri -

CAIN, John W. head w m 66; Clara wife w f 67

1930-1940 Family Move

From Irondale, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1940 Death of spouse: John William Cain

John William Cain died in Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 24 February 1940.

1940 Federal Census age 78

1949 Death of Clara (KEY) Blanton Cain

Clara (**KEY**) Blanton Cain died in Flat River, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 23 July 1949.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #27790

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Clara Cain July __, 1949 St. Francois 27790

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1949 Burial of Clara (KEY) Blanton Cain

Parkview Cemetery, Farmington, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

Find A Grave Memorial# 32580003

Clara Key Cain Birth: Jan. 8, 1863 Washington County Missouri, USA Death: Jul. 23, 1949 Flat River St. Francois County Missouri, USA Wife of John W Cain, Married Jan 7 1882 Missouri Daughter of Jasper Key & Jane Brooks Family links: Spouse: John William Cain (1864 - 1941) Burial: Parkview Cemetery Farmington St. Francois County Missouri, USA Created by: Molly H Record added: Jan 02, 2009

43. Nancy Caroline Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 March 1858 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 9 April 1931 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried on 10 April 1931 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1859 Grandfather's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 11, May 27, 1859
Absalom Blanton buys 47 acres from John Wiley Pinnell at one undivided one fourth [$\frac{1}{4}$] part of the west fractional half [$W\frac{1}{2}$] of north east quarter [$NE\frac{1}{4}$] of section No [35], in township 40 [T40], of range no 2 west [R1W] in Crawford County Missouri.
[This property is located north of Sappington Bridge Road on the Meramec River in Boone Twp, Crawford County, Missouri consisting of 47 acres.]

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Crawford County, Missouri Deed Record Book "G", page 12, June 1, 1859:
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1860 Childbirth of sister; Mary Ellen (BLANTON)

Mary Ellen (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 January 1860.

1860 Federal Census age 2 [where's Nancy?]

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 26 July 1860, line 13, house 877, family 867

BLANTON, Elbert w m 29; Mary w f 20; Susan w f 5; Absalom w m 3; Mary C. w f 4months

[All born in Tennessee. Elbert is a miner. Living next door to several Blanton and Pratt families. They were not all born in Tennessee, the children were born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.]

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1870 Federal Census age 12

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 9, house 109, family 109

BLANTON, John w m 41; Margaret w f 28; Cintha A. w f 10; Nancy C. w f 13; Austin w m 6; John E. w m 4; Charles H. w m 1

[All born in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to his father and brothers. I believe this Nancy C. is Nancy Caroline (**BLANTON**) daughter of Elbert Sevier & Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton.]

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1872-1880 Family Move

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1878 Childbirth of sister; Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 22 [where's Nancy?]

Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 80a, 25 June 1880, line 42, house 308, family 328

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 49; Mary wife w f 43; Ellen dau w f 21; Sarah dau w f 14; Martin son w m 12; Catherine dau w f 9; Sevier son w m 8; Lucy A. dau w f 2;

HOLLINHEAD, Jasper boarder w m 23

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, the children born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Jasper born in Ohio as was his parents. Elbert, Martin and Jasper work at an iron works.]

From 1880 to 1900 Move

From Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1880-1900.

Research Note

In order to trace Albert's footsteps we need to track each and every property transaction he made after his marriage until his death. This would reveal where they were living at the time of each child's birth and give us an understanding to his movements.

1881 Marriage of Charles "Carl" E. Brandt and Nancy Caroline (BLANTON)

[1] Washington Co., MO., Marriage Book "I", Page 5:

Charles Brandt and Nancy Blanton were married on 17 August 1881.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Charles Brandt Marriage Date: 17 Aug 1881 Marriage Location: Hamilton, Washington, Missouri Marriage County: Washington Spouse Name: Nancy Blanton

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1882 Childbirth of son; Walter Scott Brandt

Walter Scott Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 20 July 1882.

1884 Childbirth of daughter; Bertha Ellen (BRANDT)

Bertha Ellen (BRANDT) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 August 1884.

1886 Childbirth of son; William Carl Brandt

William Carl Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 12 May 1886.

1888 Childbirth of son; Albert Brandt

Albert Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 April 1888.

1892 Childbirth of son; Reginald McKinley Brandt

Reginald McKinley Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 May 1892.

1895 Childbirth of son; John Brandt

John Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on January 1895.

1900 Federal Census age 42

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 191b, 25 June 1900, line 58, house 204, family 207

BRANDT, Charles head w m born March 1850 age 50; Nancy wife w f born March 1858 age 41; Walter son w m born July 1882 age 17; Bertha dau w f born August 1883 age 16; William son born May 1886 age 14; Albert son w m born April 1888 age 12; Reginald son w m born May 1892 age 8; John son w m born January 1895 age 5

[Charles was born in Illinois, his parents in Germany. Nancy was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children born in Missouri, their father in Illinois their mother in Missouri. Nancy says this is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years. She has had 7 children born and 6 are living. Charles works as farm laborer and they are renting.]

1902 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census age 52

Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 241, 25 & 27 April 1910, house 279

BRANDT, Charles head w m 61; Nancy wife w f 52; Reginald son w m 17

[Charles was born in Illinois his parents in Germany, Nancy was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, Reginald says he was born in Missouri, his father in Illinois, his mother in Missouri. They have been married for 28 years and Charles says he has been married twice. Nancy says she has been married once and has had 7 children born and 5 are living.]

1913 Death of father; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

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Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1920 Federal Census age 62

Sullivan City, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 177, 6 January 1920, house 71:

BRANDT, Charles head w m 71; Nancy C. wife w f 52;

[Charles was born in Illinois his parents in Germany, Nancy was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee.]

1923 Death of spouse; Charles "Carl" E. Brandt

Charles "Carl" E. Brandt died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 19 February 1923.

1930 Federal Census age 72

Sullivan City, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 273a, 14 April 1930, line 19, house 249, family 261

MOSS, Bertha E. head w f 45; Gweneth C. dau w f 16; Victor L. son w m 13;

BRANDT, Nancy mother w f 73

[Bertha was born in Missouri her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri. The children born in Missouri as was their parents and Nancy was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. Bertha is married and was age 15 when she first married. Nancy is a widow. Living next door to William & Daisy (**CALVERT**) Brandt family.]

1931 Death of Nancy Caroline (BLANTON) Brandt

Nancy Caroline (**BLANTON**) Brandt died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 9 April 1931. _

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #13734

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Nancy Caroline Brandt April 09, 1931 Franklin 13734

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1931 Burial of Nancy Caroline (BLANTON) Brandt

Odd Fellows Cemetery(IOOF), Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
Brandt, Charles 29 March 1849-19 February 1923

Nancy married **Charles "Carl" E. Brandt**, son of **Frederick Augustus Brandt Sr.** and **Anna Maria Wilhelmina "Mina" Jobusch**, on 17 August 1881 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Charles was born on 20 March 1849 in Fountian Precinct, Monroe, Illinois, United States, died on 19 February 1923 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried on 20 February 1923 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1849 Birthblock for Charles "Carl" E. Brandt son of Frederick Augustus Sr. and Anna Maria Wilhelmina "Mina" (JOBUSCH) Brandt

Charles "Carl" E. Brandt was born in Fountian Precinct, Monroe, Illinois, United States on 20 March 1849.

Date from the 1850 census states he was born 1849 in Illinois.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born 1848 in Illinois.

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Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1848 in Illinois.
Date from the 1880 census states he was born
Date from the 1900 census states he was born March 1850 in Illinois.
Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1849 in Illinois.
Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1849 in Illinois.
Date from the death certificate states he was born 20 March 1849 in Illinois.
Date from the headstone states he was born 29 March 1849.

1850 Federal Census age 1

Fountain Precinct, Monroe, Illinois

BRAND, Augustus w m 55; Wilhelminia w f 39; Fredrick w m 13; Wm w m 8; Henry w m 6;
Louis w m 3; Chas w m1

1860 Federal Census age 11

Waterloo Post Office, Township 2 S Range 10 W, Monroe, Illinois

BRANDT Sr, Aug w m 66; Mina w f 49; Henry w m 17; Lewis w m 14; Chs w m 12; Bertha
w f 7

U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865

Name:Charles Brandt Side:Union Regiment State/Origin:Illinois Regiment Name:20 Illinois
Infantry. Regiment Name Expanded:20th Regiment, Illinois Infantry Company:B Rank In:Private
Rank In Expanded:Private Rank Out:Private Rank Out Expanded:Private Alternate
Name:Charles/Brant Film Number:M539 roll 9

1867 Marriage of Charles Brandt and Malinda (BREWER)

[1] Illinois Marriages, 1851-1900

Name:Charles Brandt Gender:Male Spouse Name:Malinda Brewer Marriage Date:Sep 19,
1867 Marriage County:Monroe Comments:This record can be found at the County Court
Records, Film # 1006355 - 1006359.

1868 Childbirth of daughter; Minnie Elizabeth (BRANDT)

Minnie Elizabeth (**BRANDT**) was born near Columbia Post Office, Township 1 Range 10,
Monroe, Illinois, United States on 6 July 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 21

Columbia Post Office, Township 1 Range 10, Monroe, Illinois, United States, page 489b,
20 July 1870, line 10, house 51, family 52

BRAND, Charles w m 22; Melinda w f 19; Elisabeth w f 2

[All born in Illinois. Charles is a farm laborer.]

1870-1881 Death or Divorce of spouse; Malinda (BREWER) Brandt

1870-1881 Family Move

From near Columbia Post Office, Township 1 Range 10, Monroe, Illinois, United States to
Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

1880 Federal Census age 31

1881 Marriage of Charles "Carl" E. Brandt and Nancy Caroline (BLANTON)

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[1] Washington Co., MO., Marriage Book "I", Page 5:

Charles Brandt and Nancy Blanton were married on 17 August 1881.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Charles Brandt Marriage Date: 17 Aug 1881 Marriage Location: Hamilton, Washington, Missouri Marriage County: Washington Spouse Name: Nancy Blanton

1882 Childbirth of son; Walter Scott Brandt

Walter Scott Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 20 July 1882.

1884 Childbirth of daughter; Bertha Ellen (BRANDT)

Bertha Ellen (BRANDT) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 August 1884.

1886 Childbirth of son; William Carl Brandt

William Carl Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 12 May 1886.

1888 Childbirth of son; Albert Brandt

Albert Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 April 1888.

1892 Childbirth of son; Reginald McKinley Brandt

Reginald McKinley Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 May 1892.

1895 Childbirth of son; John Brandt

John Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on January 1895.

1900 Federal Census age 51

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 191b, 25 June 1900, line 58, house 204, family 207

BRANDT, Charles head w m born March 1850 age 50; Nancy wife w f born March 1858 age 41; Walter son w m born July 1882 age 17; Bertha dau w f born August 1883 age 16; William son born May 1886 age 14; Albert son w m born April 1888 age 12; Reginald son w m born May 1892 age 8; John son w m born January 1895 age 5

[Charles was born in Illinois, his parents in Germany. Nancy was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children born in Missouri, their father in Illinois their mother in Missouri. Nancy says this is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years. She has had 7 children born and 6 are living. Charles works as farm laborer and they are renting.]

1910 Federal Census age 61

Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 241, 25 & 27 April 1910, house 279

BRANDT, Charles head w m 61; Nancy wife w f 52; Reginald son w m 17

[Charles was born in Illinois his parents in Germany, Nancy was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, Reginald says he was born in Missouri, his father in Illinois, his mother in Missouri. They have been married for 28 years and Charles says he has been married twice. Nancy says she has been married once and has had 7 children born and 5 are living.]

1920 Federal Census age 71

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Sullivan City, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 177, 6 January 1920, house 71:

BRANDT, Charles head w m 71; Nancy C. wife w f 52;

[Charles was born in Illinois his parents in Germany, Nancy was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee.]

1923 Death of Charles "Carl" E. Brandt

Charles "Carl" E. Brandt died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 19 February 1923.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #4480

Carl Brandt white married male born 20 March 1849 in Illinois to [don't know] born in Germany and [don't know] born in Germany. He was married to Nancy Blanton. He was a laborer. He died on 19 February 1923 at Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. He was buried on 20 February 1923 at Sullivan, Missouri. Tthe informant was Charles Moss, Sullivan, Missouri.

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Carl Brandt February 19, 1923 Franklin 4480

[2] Date from headstone of 19 February 1923.

1923 Burial of Charles "Carl" E. Brandt

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Brandt, Charles 29 March 1849-19 February 1923

Children from this marriage were:

- + 151 M i. **Walter Scott Brandt** was born on 20 July 1882 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 7 January 1959 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States at age 76.
Walter married **Margaret Hattie Schallenberg** (d. 14 August 1966) from 1908 to 1909.
- + 152 F ii. **Bertha Ellen Brandt** was born on 15 August 1884 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 15 September 1971 in Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States at age 87.
Bertha married **Charles Lee Moss** (d. 29 May 1961) on 1 June 1901 near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 153 M iii. **William Carl Brandt** was born on 12 May 1886 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 2 November 1937 in Missouri State Hospital #1, Fulton, Fulton Twp, Callaway, Missouri, United States at age 51, and was buried on 4 November 1937 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
William married **Daisy Maisy Calvert** (d. 28 August 1988) on 1 September 1913 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
- + 154 M iv. **Albert Brandt** was born on 28 April 1888 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 21 March 1943 in rural Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 54, and was buried on 25 March 1943 in Valhalla Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
Albert married **Anna "Annie" Bremer** (d. 16 August 1947) in 1910.

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+ 155 M v. **Reginald McKinley Brandt** was born on 13 May 1892 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 12 August 1955 in 800 Leonard Drive, Rock Hill, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 15 August 1955 in Forever Oak Hill Cemetery, 10305 Big Bend Road, Kirkwood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Reginald married **Grace Mae Kimbrell** (d. 20 May 1991) from 1915 to 1917.

+ 156 M vi. **John Brandt** was born in January 1895 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

44. Mary Ellen Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 4 January 1860 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 12 February 1943 in 520 Freeburg Avenue, Belleville, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States at age 83, and was buried in February 1943 in Walnut Hill Cemetery, Belleville, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Mary Ellen (BLANTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1860 Birthblock for Mary Ellen (BLANTON) daughter of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr. & Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Ellen (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 January 1860.

Date from the 1860 census states she was born April 1860 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1859 in Tennessee.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1859 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born January 1861 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1860 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1860 in Missouri.

Date from the 1940 census states she was born

Date from obituary states she was born January 4, 1860 in Franklin County, Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born

1860 Federal Census age 4 months

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 26 July 1860, line 13, house 877, family 867

BLANTON, Elbert w m 29; Mary w f 20; Susan w f 5; Absalom w m 3; Mary C. w f 4months

[All born in Tennessee. Elbert is a miner. Living next door to several Blanton and Pratt families.

They were not all born in Tennessee, the children were born near Rock Spring Post Office,

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Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.]

1864 Father's Military Physical

Between 1860 and 1875 Dr. John B. Bell for the Union Army gave various individuals physicals for service in the Civil War. These records are known as "The Dr. John B. Bell Papers" and are housed in the University of Missouri Manuscript Department at Rolla, in the University's Library. Various Blantons and others are listed. The physicals took place at Potosi, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864 Elbert S. Blanton age 33- Diagnosis: Pulse 136, palpitation of heart & symptoms of phthisis." [This is all that is written about Elbert. Palpitation of heart means his heart beats in a rapid rate. Phthisis means tuberculosis of the lungs, consumption. He is listed next to his brothers Henry H. & Alexander Blanton.]

1865 Childbirth of sister: Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

Sarah Ann (BLANTON) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 5 December 1865.

1868 Childbirth of brother: Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1868.

1870 Childbirth of sister: Delila Catherine (BLANTON)

Delila Catherine (BLANTON) near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on May 1870.

1870 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, Deed Record Book", page "", 11 August 1870

Elbert S. & wife, Mary E. Blanton sold for \$700 to the Austin Clark c/o Franklin City & Ross M. Crow the "Blanton Specular Mine" N1/2 SE1/4, Sec 29, T40N, R1W.

ORE MINE: The Iron Ores, p344, "Hematities of the Filled Sinks", "Blanton Specular Mine"

"Some rounded surface ore, mostly small, is found here, on three spurs of a low ridge. The spurs point about north and strata of solid sandstone crop out at foot of each. A hole, dug fifteen feet deep on the top of the most eastern spur passed through drifted, sandy detritus, with little ore, then struck a layer of chert. This bank is on a hill thickly covered with detritus, through which single pieces of specular ore are unequally distributed. The ore itself is of good quality."

1870 Federal Census age 10

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 1, house 108, family 108

BLANTON, A.[Albert] S.[Sevier] w m 39; Mary E. w f 35; Susan J. w f 15; Absalom w m 13; Mary E. w f 11; Sarah A. w f 5; Martin V. w m 3; Delila C. w f 2months born in May [Albert and Mary were born in Tennessee the children born in Missouri. Albert is a lead miner. They are living next door to brothers and father.]

1871 Family Move

From Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 13 August 1871.

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1871 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 13 August 1871
Bradley G. Beavers and wife Amanda M. sold to Elbert S. Blanton of Washington County, for \$600, in the county of Crawford NE quarter of the SW quarter and the NW quarter of the SE quarter of Section (14) Township (40) Range 2W containing 80 acres. NE¼ of the SW¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14, T40N, R2W 80 acres.
[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1871 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 30 August 1871, FHL# 0914709
B.J. Beavir to E.S. Blanton NE¼ of the SE¼ & NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14 T40N R2W 80acres
[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1872 Death of grandfather; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

1872 Childbirth of brother; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. was born west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 5 May 1872.

1872-1880 Family Move

From west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1878 Childbirth of sister; Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 20

Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 80a, 25 June 1880, line 42, house 308, family 328

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 49; Mary wife w f 43; Ellen dau w f 21; Sarah dau w f 14; Martin son w m 12; Catherine dau w f 9; Sevier son w m 8; Lucy A. dau w f 2; **HOLLINHEAD**, Jasper boarder w m 23

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, the children born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Jasper born in Ohio as was his parents. Elbert, Martin and Jasper work at an iron works.]

1880-1900 Family Move

From Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1880-1900.

1887 Marriage of Harvey James Simmons and Mary Ellen (BLANTON)

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 207
Harvey J. Simmons of Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Mary E. Blanton of Franklin Co., Mo. over 18;

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19 October 1887 license; married on 21 October 1887 by T. M. Snyder, JP at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

1887 Childbirth of daughter; Phoebe E. (SIMMONS)

Phoebe E. (SIMMONS) was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on September 1887.

1889 Childbirth of son; William Seth Simmons

William Seth Simmons was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on September 1889 and died on 18 October 1911.

1893 Childbirth of son; Carl Herbert Simmons

Carl Herbert Simmons was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 7 August 1894.

1893-1900 Death of spouse; Harvey James Simmons

Harvey James Simmons died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1892 the conception date of his last child and the 1900 census date.

1900 Federal Census age 40

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9a, 6 June 1900, line , house 163, family

SIMMONS, Mary E. head w f born January 1861 age 39; Phebe E. dau w f born September 1887 age 12; W.[William] Seth son w m born September 1889 age 10; Carl son w m born August 1893 age 6;

[All born in Missouri including parents except Mary's parents born in Tennessee. Mary is a widow and she says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living.]

1902 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1904 Marriage of widower; Albert W. Frazier and widow; Mary Ellen (BLANTON) Simmons

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "J" 1901-1905, page 268

Albert W. Frasuer of Stanton, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Ellen Simmons of Stanton, Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 30 December 1903 license; married on 7 January 1904 by Fredrick Speck, MG at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Ellen Simmons Marriage Date:11 January 1904 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, MO Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Albert W Toorner

1910 Federal Census age 50

Springfield Road, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 249a, 19 & 20 April 1910, line 39, house 47, family 48

FRASUER, Albert W. head w m 49; Ellen wife w f 50; **SIMMONS**, William sson w m 19; Carl sson w m 15; **BLANTON**, Albert S. fnlw w m 79

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Ellen father was born in Tennessee and Albert Blanton was born in Tennessee as was his parents adn he is a widower. Albert and Ellen say they have been married twice and they have been married for 2 years. Ellen say this is her

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second marriage and she has been married 6 years and she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Albert Frasier is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1913 Death of father; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1920 Federal Census age 60

1925 Death of Albert W. Frazier Fraseur

Albert W. Frazier Fraseur died in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15 July 1925.

1930 Federal Census age 70

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri _
FRAZIER, Ellen M. widowed w f 70

1940 Federal Census age 80

1943 Death of Mary Ellen (BLANTON) Simmons Frazier

Mary Ellen (BLANTON) Simmons Frazier died at 520 Freeburg Avenue, Belleville, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States on 12 February 1943.

[1] Date of 12 February 1943 from obituary.

[2] Date of 12 February 1943 from headstone.

[3] Date from cemetery records states she died 12 February 1943.

1943 Burial of Mary Ellen (BLANTON) Simmons Frazier

Walnut Hill Cemetery, Belleville, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States

Subdivision: Block 21 Orig Sub B; Lot #:Tier 18; Grave #46; Given and middle name: Mary Ellen; Last name: Frasier; date of death: Feb. 12, 1943

1943 Obituary of Mary Ellen (BLANTON) Simmons Frazier

Mrs. Mary Ellen Frazier was born January 4, 1860 in Franklin County, Missouri and died February 12, 1943, at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, 520 Freeburg Avenue, Belleville, Illinois. She was the daughter of Elbert S. Blanton and Mary E. Blanton (nee Pratt). She was married to Harvey J. Simmons. To this union three children were born, Mrs. Phoebe White of St. Louis, William S., who died in 1913 and Carl H. of Belleville, Illinois. She had five sisters and four brothers who preceded her in death. One sister, Mrs. Sarah Dace still living at Sullivan, Missouri. She had fourteen grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren. She married Albert W. Frazier in 1905, he also preceded her in death. She was buried in the Walnut Hill Cemetery at Belleville, Illinois. [Newspaper unknown, date unknown.]

Mary married **Harvey James Simmons**, son of **John Austin Simmons** and **Rachel H. Sparks**, on 21 October 1887 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Harvey was born on 7 February 1860 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1892 to 1900 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 32.

1860 Birthblock of Harvey James Simmons son of John Austin and Rachel H. (SPARKS) Simmons

Harvey James Simmons was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington,

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Missouri, United States on 7 February 1860. _

Date from the 1860 census states he was born January 1860 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born

Date from the 1880 census states he was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born _

1860 Federal Census age 7 months

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 455b, 24

July 1860, line 21, house 833, family 826

SIMMON, John w m 44; Sarah w f 15; Nancy w f 11; Andrew w m 10; John w m 8; Manerva w f 2;
Harvey w m 7 mos

[John born in Virginia the rest in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to the Smith Jackson family.]

1870 Federal Census age 10

1880 Federal Census age 20

1887 Marriage of Harvey James Simmons and Mary Ellen (BLANTON)

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 207

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1887 Childbirth of daughter; Phoebe E. (SIMMONS)

Phoebe E. (**SIMMONS**) was born in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on September 1887.

1889 Childbirth of son; William Seth Simmons

William Seth Simmons was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on September 1889 and died on 18 October 1911.

1893 Childbirth of son; Carl Herbert Simmons

Carl Herbert Simmons was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 7 August 1894.

1893-1900 Death of Harvey James Simmons

Harvey James Simmons died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1892 the conception date of his last child and the 1900 census date.

Children from this marriage were:

+ 157 F i. **Phoebe E. Simmons** was born in September 1887 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Phoebe married **White**.

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- + 158 M ii. **William Seth Simmons** was born in September 1889 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 18 October 1911 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 22, and was buried on 20 October 1911 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 159 M iii. **Carl Herbert Simmons** was born on 7 August 1894 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in December 1981 in Belleville, Belleville Twp, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States at age 87.
- Carl married **Maude Campbell** on 15 August 1915 in Spring Bluff, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Mary next married **Albert W. Fraseur**, son of **William Fraseur** and **Unknown**, on 7 January 1904 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Albert was born on 25 April 1852 in Acid, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 15 July 1925 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried on 16 July 1925 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1852 Birthblock for Albert W. Frazier son of William and

Albert W. Frazier was born in Acid, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 25 April 1852.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born

Date from the 1870 census states he was born

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1860 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born April 1852 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1861 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born 25 April 1852 in Acid, Missouri

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

Place name

Acid Description: A switch on the Frisco Railroad in Meramec Township that goes to the Ripley Mines. It is so named for the amount of acid found in the iron mines. (Kiel's BIOG. DIR., 188; Miss Johnson; Charles Ripley; E.H. Hoff) Source: Harrison, Eugenia L. "Place Names Of Four River Counties In Eastern Missouri." M.A. thesis., University of Missouri-Columbia, 1943.

1860 Federal Census age 8

1870 Federak Census age 18

1872 Marriage Albert W. Fraseur and Agnes Mosley (WALTON) Armistead

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mr Albert W Fresier Marriage Date:11 Feb 1872 Marriage Location:Franklin, Missouri

Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Mrs Agnes Armstreet

1876 Missouri State Census

Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page

FRASURE, Albert ; Agnes

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1880 Federal Census age 28

Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 182c,

FRASER, A.[Albert] head w m 30; A.[Agnes] wife w f 36; **ARMSTEAD, J.** sdau w f 16; W. other w m 40

[Albert born in Missouri as was his parents, Agnes born in Kentucky as was her father, her mother born in Virginia, J. born in Missouri, her father born in Tennessee he mother born in Virginia and W. born in Missouri his parents born in Tennessee. Albert is a farmer.]

1900 Federal Census age 48

Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 201b, 15 June 1900, line , house 233,

FRASER, Albert head w m born April 1852 age 48; Agnes wife w f born October 1825 age 74

[Albert born in Missouri as was his parents, Agnes born in Kentucky as was her parents. They have been married for 25 years. Agnes says she had had 4 children born and 2 are living.]

1903 Death of spouse; Agnes Mosley (WALTON) Armistead Frazier

Agnes Mosley (**WALTON**) Armistead Frazier died in Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

in 1903.

1904 Marriage of widower; Albert W. Frazier and widow; Mary Ellen (BLANTON) Simmons

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "J" 1901-1905, page 268

Albert W. Frasuer of Stanton, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Ellen Simmons of Stanton, Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 30 December 1903 license; married on 7 January 1904 by Fredrick Speck, MG at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Ellen Simmons Marriage Date:11 January 1904 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, MO Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Albert W Toorner

1902 Death of mother-in-law; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census age 58

Springfield Road, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 249a, 19 & 20 April

1910, line 39, house 47, family 48

FRASUER, Albert W. head w m 49; Ellen wife w f 50; **SIMMONS, William** sson w m 19;

Carl sson w m 15; **BLANTON, Albert S.** fnlw w m 79

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Ellen father was born in Tennessee and Albert Blanton was born in Tennessee as was his parents adn he is a widower. Albert and Ellen say they have been married twice and they have been married for 2 years. Ellen say this is her second marriage and she has been married 6 years and she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Albert Frasuer is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1913 Death of father-in-law; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1920 Federal Census age 68

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1925 Death of Albert W. Frazier Fraseur

Albert W. Frazier Fraseur died in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15 July 1925.

1925 Death of Albert W. Frazier Fraseur

Albert W. Frazier Fraseur died in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15 July 1925.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #20516

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Albert Fraseur July 15, 1925 Franklin 20516

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1925 Burial of Albert W. Frazier Fraseur

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

45. Sarah Ann Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 5 December 1865 near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 18 September 1943 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried on 20 September 1943 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1865 Birthblock for Sarah Ann (BLANTON) daughter of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr. & Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Sarah Ann (**BLANTON**) was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 5 December 1865.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1865 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1866 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born November 1864 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1866 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1865 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1865 in Missouri.

Date from the 1940 census states she was born 1866 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 5 December 1865

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born November 5, 1865.

1868 Childbirth of brother; Martin Van Buren Blanton

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Martin Van Buren Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1868.

1870 Childbirth of sister; Delila Catherine (BLANTON)

Delila Catherine (BLANTON) near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on May 1870.

1870 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "", page "", 11 August 1870

Elbert S. & wife, Mary E. Blanton sold for \$700 to the Austin Clark c/o Franklin City & Ross M. Crow the "Blanton Specular Mine" N1/2 SE1/4, Sec 29, T40N, R1W.

ORE MINE: The Iron Ores, p344, "Hematities of the Filled Sinks", "Blanton Specular Mine"

"Some rounded surface ore, mostley small, is found here, on three spurs of a low ridge. The spurs point about north and strata of solid snadstone crop out at foot of each. A hole, dug fifteen feet deep on the top of the most eastern spur passed through drifted, sandy detrtus, with little ore, then struck a layer of chert. This bank is on a hill thickly covered with detrius, through which single pieces of speclar ore are unequally distributed. The ore itself is of good quality."

1870 Federal Census age 5

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 1, house 108, family 108

BLANTON, A.[Albert] S.[Sevier] w m 39; Mary E. w f 35; Susan J. w f 15; Absalom w m 13; Mary E. w f 11; Sarah A. w f 5; Martin V. w m 3; Delila C. w f 2months born in May [Albert and Mary were born in Tennessee the children born in Missouri. Albert is a lead miner. They are living next door to brothers and father.]

1871 Family Move

From Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 13 August 1871.

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Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 13 August 1871

Bradley G. Beavers and wife Amanda M. sold to Elbert S. Blanton of Washington County, for \$600, in the county of Crawford NE quarter of the SW quarter and the NW quarter of the SE quarter of Section (14) Township (40) Range 2W containing 80 acres. NE¼ of the SW¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14, T40N, R2W 80 acres.

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1871 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 30 August 1871, FHL# 0914709

B.J. Beavir to E.S. Blanton NE¼ of the SE¼ & NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14 T40N R2W 80acres

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1872 Death of grandfather; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

1872 Childbirth of brother; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. was born west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 5 May 1872.

1872-1880 Family Move

From west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1878 Childbirth of sister; Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 15

Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 80a, 25 June 1880, line 42, house 308, family 328

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 49; Mary wife w f 43; Ellen dau w f 21; Sarah dau w f 14; Martin son w m 12; Catherine dau w f 9; Sevier son w m 8; Lucy A. dau w f 2; **HOLLINHEAD**, Jasper boarder w m 23

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, the children born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Jasper born in Ohio as was his parents. Elbert, Martin and Jasper work at an iron works.]

1893 Marriage of Michael Edward Dace Jr. and Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

[1] Franklin County Missouri Marriage Book "E", page 330

Michael E. Dace of Meramec Twp., Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Sarah Ann Blanton of Washington Co., Mo. over 18; 28 April 1893 license; married on 30 April 1893 by Rev. B. S. Hutton, Baptist MG, Sullivan near Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

1894 Childbirth of son; James Martin Dace

James Martin Dace was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 16 April 1894.

1895 Childbirth of son; Oskar Eugene Dace

Oskar Eugene Dace was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 November 1895.

1896 Death of father-in-law; Michael Edward Dace Sr.

Michael Edward Dace Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1896.

1897 Childbirth of daughter; Naoma (DACE)

Naoma (DACE) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on March 1897 and died on 3 January 1903.

1900 Federal Census age 35

Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 193a, 6 June 1900, house 67,

DACE, Edward head w m born October 1865 age 34; Sarah wife w f born November

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1864 age 35; James M. son w m born April 1894 age 6; Eugene son w m born November 1894 age 5; Nima dau w f born March 1897 age 3; Elizabeth mother w f born January 1844 age 59; William D. brother w m born April 1883 age 17

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Sarah's parents born in Tennessee. They have been married for 7 years and Sarah has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Elizabeth is a widow and has had 11 children born and 8 are living.]

1901 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Elizabeth (DACE)

Mary Elizabeth (**DACE**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 26 April 1901.

1902 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1903 Childbirth of daughter; Ellen (DACE)

Ellen (**DACE**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 24 June 1903.

1903-1910 Family Move

From Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1910 Federal Census age 45

Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 131b, 10 & 11 May 1910, line , house 241

DACE, Michael E. head w m 48; Sarah A. wife w f 44; James M. son w m 15; Oscar E.

son w m 14; Mary E. dau w f 8; Ellen dau w f 6

[All born in Missouri as were their parents except Sarah's parents were born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 16 years. Sarah says she has had 6 children born and 4 are living.]

1911 Family Move

From Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Brazil, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1913 Death of father; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1919 Death of mother-in-law; Mary Elizabeth (WHITWORTH) Dace

Mary Elizabeth (**WHITWORTH**) Dace died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 3 August 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 55

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 1b, 2 January 1920, line , house 15,

DACE, Michael E. head w m 57; Sarah A. wife w f 55; Oscar E. son w m 24; Ellen dau w f 16

[All born in Missouri as were their parents except Sarah's parents were born in Tennessee. Living next door to son; James Martin Dace.]

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1930 Federal Census age 65

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page

DACE, Michel E. head w m 69; Sarrah A. wife w f 65; Elizabeth A. gdau w f 5

1935 Residency at Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1939 Death of spouse: Michael Edward Dace Jr.

Michael Edward Dace died at Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 30 November 1939._

1940 Federal Census age 75

Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page

DACE, Sarah widowed w f 74

1943 Death of Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Dace

Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Dace died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 September 1943.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #31589

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Sarah A. Dace September __, 1943 Franklin 31589

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

[2] Date of 18 Sep 1843 from obituary. [error]

1943 Burial of Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Dace

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1943 Obituary of Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Dace

Newspaper unknown

SARAH ANN DACE

Sarah Ann Dace was born November 5, 1865, and died in Sullivan at the home of her son, Jas. M. Dace, September 18, 1943, aged 77 years, 10 months, 14 days. She was the daughter of Alfred S. and Mary E. Blanton. On April 30, 1893, she was united in marriage to Michael Edward Dace. To this union were born six children. Three of the children preceded her in death, her husband, M.E. Dace also. The surviving children are, James M. Dace, Sullivan, O.E. Dace, Pacific, and Mrs. Elizabeth Summers, Shirley. Mrs. Dace professed hope in Christ at an early age and united with the Baptist Church. She remained a faithful member and a devoted Christain until death. She was a loving mother and a good friend to all. Besides her three children who survive her, she also leaves ten grandchildren, several nephews and nieces, and a host of other relatives and friends to mourn her death. Funeral services were conducted Monday from the First Baptist Church. The Reverend Pulliam of the Temple Baptist Church assisted Pastor Owens in the services. Burial was made in the Buffalo Cemetery beside her husband and two children. Those from a distance in attendance at the funeral were Mrs.W.R. Summers and son Dale of Shirley; Mr. and Mrs. O.E. Dace of Pacific; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dace and daughter of berryman, Mr. and Mrs. W.N. Dace, Mrs. Hazel Kimberlin and son Clyde Kimberlin and Miss Florence Dace of Anthonies Mill; Wm. Jenkerson of Springfield, Ill., and Stanley Dace, U.S.N. a grandson, Cadet Marvin Summers, in transit from Edmond, Okla., to Dallas, Texas recieved notice too late but arrived Tuesday.

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Sarah married **Michael Edward Dace Jr.**, son of **Michael Edward Dace Sr.** and **Mary Elizabeth Whitworth**, on 30 April 1893 near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Michael was born on 23 October 1861 near High Ridge Post Office, Meramec Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States, died on 30 November 1939 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 78, and was buried on 2 December 1939 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1861 Birthblock for Michael Edward Dace Jr. son of Michael Edward Sr. and Mary Elizabeth (WHITWORTH) Dace

Michael Edward Dace Jr. was born near High Ridge Post Office, Meramec Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States on 23 October 1861.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1862 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1862 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born October 1865 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1862 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1863 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1861 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 30 November 1939 _

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born October 23, 1861

1860-1870 Family Move

From near High Ridge Post Office, Meramec Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States to Melrose Post Office, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

1870 Federal Census age 9

Melrose Post Office, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 250, 16 June 1870, line , house 48

DACE, Michael E. w m 43; Elizabeth w f 28; Michael E. w m 8; James G. w m 6; Mary E. w f 3; Naomi Susan w f 6mos

[All born in Missouri.

1870-1880 Family Move

From near Melrose Post Office, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States to Meramec Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

1880 Federal Census age 19

Meramec Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States, page 154b,

DACE, Michael E. head wm 54; Elizabeth wife w f 39; Michael E. son w m 18; James G.

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son w m 16; Mary E. dau w f 13; Margat E. dau w f 5; Dennis T. son w m 3; Polina sister w f 42; Willie Ann dau w f 17; Herman spn w m 15; Florence E. dau w f 12; Jacob brother w m 48
[Michael was born in Missouri, his father in Missouri his mother in Indiana, Elizabeth was born in Missouri, her father in Kentucky her motehr in Missouri, the rest were born in Missouri as were their parents. Michael is a farmer. Javob is a laborer.]

1893 Marriage of Michael Edward Dace and Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

[1] Franklin County Missouri Marriage Book "E", page 330

Michael E. Dace of Meramec Twp., Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Sarah Ann Blanton of Washington Co., Mo. over 18; 28 April 1893 license; married on 30 April 1893 by Rev. B. S. Hutton, Baptist MG, Sullivan near Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

1894 Childbirth of son; James Martin Dace

James Martin Dace was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 16 April 1894.

1894 Childbirth of son; Oskar Eugene Dace

Oskar Eugene Dace was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 November 1895.

1896 Death of father; Michael Edward Dace Sr.

Michael Edward Dace Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1896.

1897 Childbirth of daughter; Naoma (DACE)

Naoma (**DACE**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on March 1897 and died on 3 January 1903.

1900 Federal Census age 39

Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page193a, 6 June 1900, house 67, **DACE**, Edward head w m born October 1865 age 34; Sarah wife w f born November 1864 age 35; James M. son w m born April 1894 age 6; Eugene son w m born November 1894 age 5; Nima dau w f born March 1897 age 3; Elizabeth mother w f born January 1844 age 59; William D. brother w m born April 1883 age 17

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Sarah's parents born in Tennessee. They ahve been married for 7 years and Sarah has had 3 childrern born and 3 are living. Elizabeth is a widow and has had 11 children born and 8 are living.]

1901 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Elizabeth (DACE)

Mary Elizabeth (**DACE**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 26 April 1901.

1902 Death of mother-in-law; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1903 Childbirth of daughter; Ellen (DACE)

Ellen (**DACE**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 24 June 1903.

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1903-1910 Family Move

From Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1910 Federal Census age 49

Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 131b, 10 & 11 May 1910, line , house 241

DACE, Michael E. head w m 48; Sarah A. wife w f 44; James M. son w m 15; Oscar E. son w m 14; Mary E. dau w f 8; Ellen dau w f 6

[All born in Missouri as were their parents except Sarah's parents were born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 16 years. Sarah say she has had 6 children born and 4 are living.

1911 Family Move

From Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Brazil, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1913 Death of father-in-law; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1919 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth (WHITWORTH) Dace

Mary Elizabeth (WHITWORTH) Dace died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 3 August 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 59

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 1b, 2 January 1920, line , house 15,

DACE, Michael E. head w m 57; Sarah A. wife w f 55; Oscar E. son w m 24; Ellen dau w f 16

[All born in Missouri as were their parents except Sarah's parents were born in Tennessee. Living next door to son; James Martin Dace.]

1930 Federal Census age 69

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page

DACE, Michel E. head w m 69; Sarrah A. wife w f 65; Elizabeth A. gdau w f 5

1935 Residency at Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1939 Death of Michael Edward Dace Jr.

Michael Edward Dace died at Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 30 November 1939._

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #40722

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website:Michael E. Dace November __, 1939 St. Francois 40722

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>> _

[2] Date of 30 November 1939 from obituary.

1939 Burial of Michael Edward Dace Jr.

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1939 Obituary of Michael Edward Dace Jr.

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Newspaper Obituary (Newspaper unknown):

MICHAEL EDWARD DACE

Michael Edward Dace was born October 23, 1861, and departed this life November 30, 1939, aged 78 years, 1 month, and 7 days. On April 30, 1893 he was united in marriage to Miss Sarah Ann Blanton. To this union six children were born, three girls preceding him in death. He leaves to mourn his departure his wife and three children, J.M. Dace of Sullivan, O.E. Dace of Pacific, and Mrs. Elizabeth Summers of Shirley, Mo., also two brothers, T.D. Dace, Wm. Dace, and one sister Mrs. Maggie Marlow, ten grandchildren and a host of other relatives and friends. Mr. Dace professed a hope in Christ in early life and joined the Missionary Baptist Church and was a member of same at the time of his death. The writer has known Mr. Dace for about 22 years, he and his family having moved to Brazil, Washington Co., in the year 1911. To those that are left to mourn his departure, only rely on God's promises and realize that though , you can't bring him back, you can go to meet him in the great beyond where there will be no weeping, no seperation, all will be peace and happiness. May God's richest blessings rest upon all of his kindred and family. Written by one of Mr. Dace's old neighbors, F.E. Hill, Sullivan.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 160 M i. **James Martin Dace** was born on 16 April 1894 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 26 January 1976 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in January 1976 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

James married **Ardelia Genevieve Hill** (d. 6 November 1988) on 15 September 1915 in Kimberlin Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 161 M ii. **Oskar Eugene Dace** was born on 2 November 1895 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 8 November 1975 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 80, and was buried in November 1975 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Oskar married **Minerva Ann Record** (d. 17 August 1966) on 11 April 1925.
- + 162 F iii. **Neoma Dace** was born in March 1897 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 3 January 1903 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 5, and was buried in January 1903 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 163 F iv. **Mary Elizabeth Dace** was born on 26 April 1901 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in May 1981 in Cuba, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 80, and was buried in May 1981 in Meramec Hills Memory Lawn Cemetery, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Mary married **William Reuben Summers** (d. 29 August 1971) on 20 May 1917 in Kimberlin Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 164 F v. **Ellen Dace** was born on 24 June 1903 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 3 February 1923 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 19, and was buried on 4 February 1923 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

46. Martin Van Buren Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 February 1868 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 1 February 1935 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 66, and was buried on 3

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February 1935 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1868 Birthblock for Martin Van Buren Blanton son of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr. & Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 February 1868.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1867 in Missouri. _

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1868 in Missouri. _

Date from the 1900 census states he was born _

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1868 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1881 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1862 in Missouri.

Date from the headstone states he was born 13 February 1868.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 13 February 1868 in Sullivan, Missouri.

1870 Childbirth of sister; Delila Catherine (BLANTON)

Delila Catherine (BLANTON) near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on May 1870.

1870 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, Deed Record Book", page "", 11 August 1870

Elbert S. & wife, Mary E. Blanton sold for \$700 to the Austin Clark c/o Franklin City & Ross M. Crow the "Blanton Specular Mine" N1/2 SE1/4, Sec 29, T40N, R1w.

ORE MINE: The Iron Ores, p344, "Hematities of the Filled Sinks", "Blanton Specular Mine"

"Some rounded surface ore, mostley small, is found here, on three spurs of a low ridge. The spurs point about north and strata of solid snadstone crop out at foot of each. A hole, dug fifteen feet deep on the top of the most eastern spur passed through drifted, sandy detrtus, with little ore, then struck a layer of chert. This bank is on a hill thickly covered with detrius, through which single pieces of speclar ore are unequally distributed. The ore itself is of good quality."

1870 Federal Census age 2

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 1, house 108, family 108

BLANTON, A.[Albert] S.[Sevier] w m 39; Mary E. w f 35; Susan J. w f 15; Absalom w m 13;

Mary E. w f 11; Sarah A. w f 5; Martin V. w m 3; Delila C. w f 2months born in May

[Albert and Mary were born in Tennessee the children born in Missouri. Albert is a lead miner. They are living next door to brothers and father.]

1871 Family Move

From Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp,

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Crawford, Missouri, United States on 13 August 1871.

1871 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 13 August 1871

Bradley G. Beavers and wife Amanda M. sold to Elbert S. Blanton of Washington County, for \$600, in the county of Crawford NE quarter of the SW quarter and the NW quarter of the SE quarter of Section (14) Township (40) Range 2W containing 80 acres. NE¼ of the SW¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14, T40N, R2W 80 acres.

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1871 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 30 August 1871, FHL# 0914709

B.J. Beavir to E.S. Blanton NE¼ of the SE¼ & NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14 T40N R2W 80acres

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1872 Death of grandfather; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

1872 Childbirth of brother; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. was born west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 5 May 1872.

1872-1880 Family Move

From west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1878 Childbirth of sister; Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

Lucy Adeline (**BLANTON**) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 12

Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 80a, 25 June 1880, line 42, house 308, family 328

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 49; Mary wife w f 43; Ellen dau w f 21; Sarah dau w f 14;

Martin son w m 12; Catherine dau w f 9; Sevier son w m 8; Lucy A. dau w f 2;

HOLLINHEAD, Jasper boarder w m 23

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, the children born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Jasper born in Ohio as was his parents. Elbert, Martin and Jasper work at an iron works.]

1900 Federal Census age 32

1902 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary,

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probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1904 Marriage of Martin Van Buren Blanton and Anna (BURTON)

[1] Saint Louis County, Missouri Marriage Record Book, Page 972

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Anna Burton of Dahlgren, Hamilton, Illinois, United States over the age of 21 Marriage Date: 10 November 1904 Marriage Location: Clayton, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County: St Louis Spouse Name: Martin Van Buren Blanton of Allenton, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

1907 Childbirth of daughter: Lora Grace (BLANTON)

Lora Grace (BLANTON) was born near Leslie, Lyon Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 25 May 1907.

1909 Childbirth of daughter: Minnie Etta (BLANTON)

Minnie Etta (BLANTON) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 June 1909.

1910 Federal Census age 42

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 29a, 4 May 1910, line 8, house 272, family 275

BLANTON, Martin V. head w m 42; Anna wife w f 28; Lora G. dau w f 2; Minnie E. dau w f 10mos

[All born in Missouri except Anna born in Illinois, Martin's parents born in Tennessee. Anna's father born in Tennessee her mother born in the US. the children's father born in Missouri, their mother in Illinois. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 5 years. Anna says she had had 2 children born 2 are living. Martin is a farmer and is renting.]

1910 Childbirth of son: Leo Franklin Blanton

Leo Franklin Blanton was born Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 15 September 1910 and died on 6 October 1916 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1912 Childbirth of daughter: Daisy Meriel (BLANTON)

Daisy Meriel (BLANTON) was born Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 September 1912.

1913 Death of father: Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1917 Childbirth of son: Walter Sanford Blanton

Walter Sanford Blanton was born near Stanton Town, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 December 1917.

1920 Federal Census age 52

Stanton Town, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 194a, 13 January 1920, line 31, dwelling 40, family 40

BLANTON, M.[Martin] V.[Van Buren] head w m 39; Anna wife w f 38; Grace dau w f 13;

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Minnie dau w f 10; Daisy dau w f 7; Walter son w m 2yrs 2mos

[All born in Missouri except Anna born in Illinois, Martin's parents born in Tennessee. Anna's father born in Tennessee her mother born in the Illinois. The children's father born in Missouri, Grace, Minnie and Daisy's mother born in Tennessee and Walter's mother born in Illinois. Martin is a laborer in the mines and is renting. Living a few doors down from the George & Lula Mae (**WEST**) Doyle family, Grace's future husband George Edward Doyle Jr.]

1930 Federal Census age 62

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 284b, 12 April 1930, house 69,

BLANTON, Martin V. head w m 68; Anna wife w f 48; Walter S. son w m 12

[Martin was born in Missouri, his father in the US his mother in Tennessee, Anna was born in Illinois, her father in Tennessee, her mother in Illinois, Walter was born in Missouri his father in Missouri his mother in Illinois. Martin was first married at age 36; Ann at age 22. Martin is a brakeman for the mine railroad.]

1935 Death of Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton died in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1 February 1935.

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, File #4938

Martin Van Buren Blanton was born 13 February 1868 in Sullivan, MO and died 1 Feb 1935 in Meramec Township, Franklin, Missouri, USA. His parents are Elbert S. Blanton born in Tennessee and Mary Pratt born in Sullivan, MO. His wife is Anna Blanton who was also the informant from Stanton, MO.

He was buried on 3 February 1935 in Sullivan, Missouri.

[2] Date from headstone of 1 February 1935.

1935 Burial of Martin Van Buren Blanton

Buffalo Cemtery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Blanton, Martin Van Buren 13 February 1868-1 February 1935

Martin married **Anna Burton**, daughter of **Thomas B. Burton** and **Mary "Polly" Goin**, on 10 November 1904 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. Anna was born on 5 July 1887 in Delafield, Dahlgren Twp, Hamilton, Illinois, United States, died on 5 October 1962 in 116 McKinley Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried on 8 October 1962 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Anna (BURTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. _

1887 Birthblock of Anna (BURTON) daughter of Thomas B. and Mary "Polly" (GOIN) Burton

Anna (**BURTON**) was born in Delafield, Dahlgren Twp. Hamilton, Illinois, United States on 5 July 1887.

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Date from the 1900 census states she was born July 1887 in Illinois. _
Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1882 in Illinois.
Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1882 in Illinois.
Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1882 in Illinois.
Date from the 1940 census states she was born 1883 in Illinois.
Date from the death certificate states she was born 5 July 1887 in Deerfield, Illinois.
Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born
Date from the funeral home records states she was born
Date from the headstone states she was born Jul. 5, 1887
Date from the obituary states she was born

1887-1894 Death of mother; Mary "Polly" (GOIN) Burton

Mary "Polly" (GOIN) Burton died in Delafield, Dahlgren Twp. Hamilton, Illinois, United States after the birth of daughter; Ann and before her spouse's marriage. _

1894-1895 Father's marriage of Thomas B. Burton and Lydia (CROSS) Heullinger

Thomas B. Burton and Lydia (CROSS) Heullinger were married 1894-1895.

1896 Childbirth of step-brother; Chester Harkness Burton

Chester Harkness Burton born in Dahlgren Village, Dahlgren Twp, Hamilton, Illinois, United States in November 1896.

1900 Federal Census age 13

Dahlgren Village, Dahlgren Twp, Hamilton, Illinois, United States, page 217b, __ Jun 1900, dwelling 85, family 86

BURTON, Thomas head w m born September 1836 age 63; Lydia wife w f born December 1852 age 47; Matilda dau w f born June 1884 age 15; Annie dau w f born July 1887 age 12; Chester son w m born November 1896 age 3; **HEULLINGER**, Myrtle sdau w f born October 1883 age 16

[Thomas born in Tennessee as was his parents, the rest born in Illinois, Lydia's father born in Canada her mother in Illinois, the children's father born in Tennessee, their mother in Illinois. Myrtle was born in Illinois as was her parents. They have been married for 5 years.]

1904 Marriage of Martin Van Buren Blanton and Anna (BURTON)

[1] Saint Louis County, Missouri Marriage Record Book, Page 972

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Anna Burton of Dahlgren, Hamilton, Illinois, United States over the age of 21 Marriage Date: 10 November 1904 Marriage Location: Clayton, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County: St Louis Spouse Name: Martin Van Buren Blanton of Allenton, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

1907 Childbirth of daughter; Lora Grace (BLANTON)

Lora Grace (BLANTON) was born near Leslie, Lyon Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 25 May 1907.

1908 Death of father; Thomas B. Burton

Thomas B. Burton died in Dahlgren Village, Dahlgren Twp, Hamilton, Illinois, United States in 1908. [needs verification]

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1909 Childbirth of daughter; Minnie Etta (BLANTON)

Minnie Etta (BLANTON) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 7 June 1909.

1910 Federal Census age 23

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 29a, 4 May 1910, line 8, house 272, family 275

BLANTON, Martin V. head w m 42; Anna wife w f 28; Lora G. dau w f 2; Minnie E. dau w f 10mos

[All born in Missouri except Anna born in Illinois, Martin's parents born in Tennessee. Anna's father born in Tennessee her mother born in the US. the children's father born in Missouri, their mother in Illinois. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 5 years. Anna says she had had 2 children born 2 are living. Martin is a farmer and is renting.]

1910 Childbirth of son; Leo Franklin Blanton

Leo Franklin Blanton was born Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 15 September 1910 and died on 6 October 1916 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1912 Childbirth of daughter; Daisy Meriel (BLANTON)

Daisy Meriel (BLANTON) was born Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1 September 1912.

1913 Death of father; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1917 Childbirth of son; Walter Sanford Blanton

Walter Sanford Blanton was born near Stanton Town, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 December 1917.

1920 Federal Census age 33

Stanton Town, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 194a, 13 January 1920, line 31, dwelling 40, family 40

BLANTON, M.[Martin] V.[Van Buren] head w m 39; Anna wife w f 38; Grace dau w f 13; Minnie dau w f 10; Daisy dau w f 7; Walter son w m 2yrs 2mos

[All born in Missouri except Anna born in Illinois, Martin's parents born in Tennessee. Anna's father born in Tennessee her mother born in the Illinois. The children's father born in Missouri, Grace, Minnie and Daisy's mother born in Tennessee and Walter's mother born in Illinois. Martin is a laborer in the mines and is renting. Living a few doors down from the George & Lula Mae (WEST) Doyle family, Grace's future husband George Edward Doyle Jr.]

1930 Federal Census age 43

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 284b, 12 April 1930, house 69,

BLANTON, Martin V. head w m 68; Anna wife w f 48; Walter S. son w m 12

[Martin was born in Missouri, his father in the US his mother in Tennessee, Anna was born in Illinois, her father in Tennessee, her mother in Illinois, Walter was born in Missouri his father in Missouri his mother in Illinois. Martin was first married at age 36; Ann at age 22. Martin is a brakeman for the mine railroad.]

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1935 Death of spouse; Martin Van Buren Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton died in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1 February 1935.

1935 Residency in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 53

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 4a,

DOYLE, Thomas E. head w m 36; Minnie wife w f 30; Virginia R. dau w f 14; Thomas E. son w m 12; Earl C. son w m 10; Minnie dau w f 8; **BURTON**, Anna mother-in-law w f 57

1940-1962 Marriage of Fred Miller and Anna (BURTON) Blanton

1962 Death of Anna (BURTON) Blanton Miller

Anna (**BURTON**) Blanton Miller died at 116 McKinley Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 5 October 1962.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #64296

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Anna B. Miller October 05, 1962 Franklin 34296

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1962 Burial of Anna (BURTON) Blanton Miller

Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Miller, Anna Blanton Jul. 5, 1887--Oct. 5, 1962

Children from this marriage were:

- + 165 F i. **Lora Grace Blanton** was born on 25 May 1907 in Leslie, Lyon Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 15 October 1995 in Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 88, and was buried in October 1995 in Crow Cemetery, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Lora married **George Edward Doyle Jr.** (d. 16 July 1969) from 1924 to 1925.
- + 166 F ii. **Minnie Etta Blanton** was born on 7 June 1909 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 7 February 1986 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 76, and was buried in February 1986 in Stanton Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Minnie married **Thomas "Tommy" Everett Doyle Sr.** (d. 29 April 1954) from 1923 to 1924.
- + 167 M iii. **Leo Franklin Blanton** was born on 15 September 1910 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 6 October 1916 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 6, and was buried on 6 October 1916 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 168 F iv. **Daisy Meriel Blanton** was born on 1 September 1912 in Stanton, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Daisy married **Homer Woodcock**.
- + 169 M v. **Walter Sanford Blanton** was born on 18 December 1917 near Stanton Town, Meramec

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Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 January 1974 in Searcy, White, Arkansas, United States at age 56, and was buried in January 1974 in Searcy, White, Arkansas, United States.

Walter married **Fern Marie Herron** on 15 July 1939 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

47. Delila Catherine Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in May 1870 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died after 1910.

1870 Birthblock for Delilah Catherine (BLANTON) daughter of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr. & Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Delila Catherine (**BLANTON**) near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on May 1870.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born May 1870 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1871 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born March 1872 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1870 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born

1870 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, Deed Record Book"", page "", 11 August 1870

Elbert S. & wife, Mary E. Blanton sold for \$700 to the Austin Clark c/o Franklin City & Ross M. Crow the "Blanton Specular Mine" N1/2 SE1/4, Sec 29, T40N, R1w.

ORE MINE: The Iron Ores, p344, "Hematities of the Filled Sinks", "Blanton Specular Mine"

"Some rounded surface ore, mostley small, is found here, on three spurs of a low ridge. The spurs point about north and strata of solid snadstone crop out at foot of each. A hole, dug fifteen feet deep on the top of the most eastern spur passed through drifted, sandy detrtus, with little ore, then struck a layer of chert. This bank is on a hill thickly covered with detrius, through which single pieces of speclar ore are unequally distributed. The ore itself is of good quality."

1870 Federal Census age 2 months

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 1, house 108, family 108

BLANTON, A.[Albert] S.[Sevier] w m 39; Mary E. w f 35; Susan J. w f 15; Absalom w m 13; Mary E. w f 11; Sarah A. w f 5; Martin V. w m 3; Delila C. w f 2months born in May [Albert and Mary were born in Tennessee the children born in Missouri. Albert is a lead miner. They are living next door to brothers and father.]

1871 Family Move

From Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 13 August 1871.

1871 Father's Property Transaction

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Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 13 August 1871

Bradley G. Beavers and wife Amanda M. sold to Elbert S. Blanton of Washington County, for \$600, in the county of Crawford NE quarter of the SW quarter and the NW quarter of the SE quarter of Section (14) Township (40) Range 2W containing 80 acres. NE¼ of the SW¼ and the NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14, T40N, R2W 80 acres.

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1871 Father's Property Transaction

Crawford County, Missouri, Deed Record Book "M", page 406, 30 August 1871, FHL# 0914709

B.J. Beavir to E.S. Blanton NE¼ of the SE¼ & NW¼ of the SE¼ of S14 T40N R2W 80acres

[This property is located west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.]

1872 Death of grandfather; Absalom Blanton

Absalom Blanton, in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

1872 Childbirth of brother; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. was born west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 5 May 1872.

1872-1880 Family Move

From west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1878 Childbirth of sister; Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 10

Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 80a, 25 June 1880, line 42, house 308, family 328

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 49; Mary wife w f 43; Ellen dau w f 21; Sarah dau w f 14; Martin son w m 12; Catherine dau w f 9; Sevier son w m 8; Lucy A. dau w f 2;

HOLLINHEAD, Jasper boarder w m 23

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, the children born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Jasper born in Ohio as was his parents. Elbert, Martin and Jasper work at an iron works.]

1892 Marriage of John Nelson Souders and Delilah Catherine (BLANTON)

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Record Book " ", page 285

John N. So(n/u)ders of Washington Co., Mo. over 21; Delilah C. Blanton of Meramec Twp., Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 5 December 1892 license; married on 11 December 1892 by Joseph Bennett, JP at his office, Franklin Co., Mo.

1893 Childbirth of daughter; Edna (SOUDERS)

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Edna (**SOUDERS**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on September 1893.

1896 Childbirth of son; Carac Souders

Carac Souders was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on April 1896.

1898 Childbirth of son; Earl Souders (twin)

Earl Souders was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 December 1898.

1898 Childbirth of daughter; Pearl Souders (twin)

Pearl Souders was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 December 1898 and died on 30 July 1902.

1900 Federal Census age 30

Miller Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 189b, 5 June 1900, line house 103, family

SOUDERS, John head w m born April 1873 age 27; Katherine wife w f born March 1872 age 28; Edna dau w f born September 1893 age 6; Charic son w m born April 1896 age 4; Earl son w m born December 1898 age 1; Pearl dau w f born December 1898 age 1 [twins]

[John was born in Indiana as was his parents, the rest born in Missouri as was her parents, the children born in Missouri, their father born in Indiana their mother born in Missouri. They have been married for 7 years and Katherine says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Next door to brother; Charles & Leora Lucretia (**RYERSON**) Souders family.]

1900 Death of father-in-law; Benjamin Franklin "Ben" Souders

Benjamin Franklin "Ben" Souders died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 4 October 1900._

1902 Childbirth of son; Charles "Charley" L. Souders

Charles "Charley" L. Souders was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1902.

1902 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census age 40

Campbell Twp, Searcy, Arkansas, United States, page 58b, 20 April 1910, line 100, house 58, family 58

SOUDERS, John N. head w m 37; [page 59a] Delilah C. wife w f 40; Edna dau w f 16; Caric C. son w m 14; Earl R. son w m 11; Charley L. son w m 8

[John was born in Iowa as was his parents, Delilah was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the children born in Missouri, their father born in Iowa, their mother born in Missouri. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 17 years. Delilah says she has had 5 children born and 4 are living. John is a farmer and owns his farm.]

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Delila married **John Nelson Souders**, son of **Benjamin "Ben" Franklin Souders** and **Eliza A. "Lizzie" Kepley**, on 11 December 1892 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. John was born on 18 March 1872 near Maryville Post Office, Linclon Twp, Nodaway, Missouri, United States and died after 1910.

1873 Birthblock for John Nelson Souders son of Benjamin "Ben" Franklin and Eliza A. "Lizzie" (KEPLEY) Souders

John Nelson Souders was born near Maryville Post Office, Linclon Twp, Nodaway, Missouri, United States in 18 March 1872. _

Date from the 1880 census states he was born

Date from the 1900 census states he was born April 1873 in Indiana.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1873 in Indiana.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born

Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

1880 Federal Census age 7

1892 Marriage of John Nelson Souders and Delilah Catherine (BLANTON)

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Record Book " ", page 285

John N. So(n/u)ders of Washington Co., Mo. over 21; Delilah C. Blanton of Meramec Twp., Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 5 December 1892 license; married on 11 December 1892 by Joseph Bennett, JP at his office, Franklin Co., Mo.

1893 Childbirth of daughter; Edna (SOUDERS)

Edna (**SOUDERS**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on September 1893.

1896 Childbirth of son; Carac Souders

Carac Souders was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on April 1896.

1898 Childbirth of son; Earl Souders (twin)

Earl Souders was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 December 1898.

1898 Childbirth of daughter; Pearl Souders (twin)

Pearl Souders was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 December 1898 and died on 30 July 1902.

1900 Federal Census age 27

Miller Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 189b, 5 June 1900, line house 103, family

SOUDERS, John head w m born April 1873 age 27; Katherine wife w f born March 1872 age 28; Edna dau w f born September 1893 age 6; Charic son w m born April 1896 age 4; Earl son w m born December 1898 age 1; Pearl dau w f born December 1898 age1 [twins]

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[John was born in Indiana as was his parents, the rest born in Missouri as was her parents, the children born in Missouri, their father born in Indiana their mother born in Missouri. They have been married for 7 years and Katherine says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Next door to brother; Charles & Leora Lucretia (**RYERSON**) Souders family.]

1900 Death of father; Benjamin Franklin "Ben" Souders

Benjamin Franklin "Ben" Souders died in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 4 October 1900._

1902 Childbirth of son; Charles "Charley" L. Souders

Charles "Charley" L. Souders was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1902.

1902 Death of mother-in-law; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census age 37

Campbell Twp, Searcy, Arkansas, United States, page 58b, 20 April 1910, line 100, house 58, family 58

SOUDERS, John N. head w m 37; [page 59a] Delilah C. wife w f 40; Edna dau w f 16; Caric C. son w m 14; Earl R. son w m 11; Charley L. son w m 8

[John was born in Iowa as was his parents, Delilah was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the children born in Missouri, their father born in Iowa, their mother born in Missouri. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 17 years. Delilah says she has had 5 children born and 4 are living. John is a farmer and owns his farm.]

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 170 F i. **Edna Souders** was born in September 1893 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 171 M ii. **Caric C. Souders** was born in April 1896 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 172 M iii. **Earl Robert Souders** was born on 23 December 1898 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 173 F iv. **Pearl Souders** was born on 23 December 1898 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 July 1902 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 3, and was buried in July 1902 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 174 M v. **Charles "Charley" L. Souders** was born in 1902 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

48. Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹)

was born on 5 May 1872 east of Sullivan in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 10 April 1940 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 67, and was

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buried on 13 April 1940 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. _

1872 Birthblock for Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. son of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr. & Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. was born west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 5 May 1872.
Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1872 in Missouri.
Date from the 1900 census states he was born May 1872 in Missouri.
Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1873 in Missouri.
Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1872 in Missouri.
Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1873 in Missouri.
Date from the death certificate states he was born 5 May 1872 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
Date from the headstone states he was born 1872.

1872-1880 Family Move

From west of the Meramac River, east of Copper Hill Road east of Sullivan located in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1878 Childbirth of sister; Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 8

Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 80a, 25 June 1880, line 42, house 308, family 328

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 49; Mary wife w f 43; Ellen dau w f 21; Sarah dau w f 14; Martin son w m 12; Catherine dau w f 9; Sevier son w m 8; Lucy A. dau w f 2; **HOLLINHEAD**, Jasper boarder w m 23

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, the children born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Jasper born in Ohio as was his parents. Elbert, Martin and Jasper work at an iron works.]

1893 Death of future father-in-law; William Conrad Garner

William Conrad Garner died in Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 30 May 1893._

1893 Marriage of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. and Alice Mary (GARNER)

[1] Franklin Co., MO., Book " " Page 366:

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Elbert S. Blanton of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Alice M. Garner of Meramec Twp., Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 16 September 1893 license; married on 17 September 1893 by Jos. V. Pitts, JP at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Alice M Garner of Meramec Twp Marriage Date:17 Sep 1893 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Elbert S Blanton of Sullivan

1894 Childbirth of son; William Ellsworth Blanton

William Ellsworth Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15 July 1894.

1897 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Addie (BLANTON)

Mary Addie (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on March 1897.

1899 Childbirth of daughter; Anna "Annie" G. (BLANTON)

Anna "Annie" G. (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on September 1899.

1900 Federal Census age 28

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186a, 2 June 1900, line 32, house 31, family 32

BLANTON, Albert head w m born May 1872 age 28; Alice wife w f born June 1876 age 24; William son w m born July 1894 age 5; Mary dau w f born March 1897 age 3; Annie dau w f born September 1899 age 8mos

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. They have been married 6 years and Alice says she has had 3 children born 3 are living. Albert is a day laborer and they are renting.]

1902 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1905 Childbirth of son; James E. Blanton

James E. Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 19 February 1905.

1908 Childbirth of daughter; Eva A. (BLANTON)

Eva A. (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 38

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 19 & 20 April 1910, line 90, house 171, family 174

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 37; Alice wife w f 34; Willie son w m 15; Addie dau w f 13; Annie dau w f 11; James son w m 5; Eva dau w f 2

[All born in Missouri including parents except Elbert's parents born in Tennessee and Alice's parents born in Indiana. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 16 years. Alice

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say she had 6 children born and 5 are living. Elbert is a laborer Alice is a washerwoman and they are renting.]

1913 Death of father; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1920 Federal Census age 48

Miller? Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 179b, 5 & 6 January 1920, line 69, house 118, family 133

BLANTON, Elbert S. head w m 48; Alice M. wife w f 43; Anna G. dau w f 19; James E. son w m 14; Eva A. dau w f 11; Wilma L. gdau 10mos

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. Elbert is a teamster on the railroad and they are renting. Wilma is the daughter of their son; William Ellsworth & Mary (**KING**) Blanton.]

1921 Death of mother-in-law; Sarah Jane (NAUGLE) Garner

Sarah Jane (**NAUGLE**) Garner died in Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 8 May 1921._

1930 Federal Census age 58

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 4b, 5 April 1930, line 73, house 84, family 92

BLANTON, Elbert S. head w m 57; Alice M. wife w f 53; **SAPPINGTON**, Maxine gdau w f 4

[Elbert was born in Missouri his parents in Tennessee. Alice was born in Missouri her parents in Indiana, Maxine was born in Missouri as was her parents. Elbert was first married at age 21, Alice at age 18. They are living next door to Susan (**BLANTON**) Claspill, Elbert's sister. Elbert is a laborer at odd jobs and is renting.]

1933 Death of spouse; Alice Mary (GARNER) Blanton

Alice Mary (**GARNER**) Blanton died at 3951 McRea Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 1 October 1937._

1940 Death of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 April 1940.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #14816
Elbert S. Blanton white widowed male born 5 May 1872 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Alfred Blanton born [unknown] and Mary [unknown]. His wife is Alice Blanton. He died on 10 April 1940 at Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried on 13 April 1940 at Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. The informant was Mrs. Addie Prather, 325a Boyle Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States. In the medical notes states the following "He died on sidewalk on way home from a trip down town".

[2] As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Elbert S. Blanton April __, 1940 Franklin 14816

[3] Date of 1940 from headstone.

1940 Burial of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Jr.

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I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
Blanton, Elbert S. 1872-1940
Blanton, Alice M. 1875-1933

Elbert married **Alice Mary Garner**, daughter of **William Conrad Garner** and **Sarah Jane Naugle**, on 17 September 1893 in Franklin, Missouri, United States. Alice was born on 14 June 1875 in Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 1 October 1933 in 3951 McRee Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 58, and was buried on 4 October 1933 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Alice Mary (GARNER) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1875 Birthblock for Alice Mary (GARNER) daughter of William Conrad and Sarah Jane (NAUGLE) Garner

Alice Mary (**GARNER**) was born in Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 June 1875.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1875 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born June 1876 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1876 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1877 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1877 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 14 June 1875 in Missouri.

Date from the headstone states she was born 1875.

1880 Federal Census age 5

Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 52c, 8 July 1880, line 26, family 268

GARNER, William C. head w m 35; Sarah J. wife w f 33; William A. son w m 7; Mary E. dau w f 5; Noah W. son w m 3; George H. son w m 9mos born in September

[William and children born in Missouri, Sarah born in Indiana. William does not know where his parents were born, Sarah's parents born in Ohio. William is a farmer.]

1881 Death of grandfather; William M. Garner

William M. Garner died in Brush Creek Twp, Gasconade, Missouri, United States on 14 April 1881.

1893 Death of father; William Conrad Garner

William Conrad Garner died in Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 30 May 1893._

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[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Alice M Garner of Meramec Twp Marriage Date:17 Sep 1893 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Elbert S Blanton of Sullivan

1894 Childbirth of son; William Ellsworth Blanton

William Ellsworth Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15 July 1894.

1897 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Addie (BLANTON)

Mary Addie (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on March 1897.

1899 Childbirth of daughter; Anna "Annie" G. (BLANTON)

Anna "Annie" G. (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on September 1899.

1900 Federal Census age 25

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186a, 2 June 1900, line 32, house 31, family 32

BLANTON, Albert head w m born May 1872 age 28; Alice wife w f born June 1876 age 24; William son w m born July 1894 age 5; Mary dau w f born March 1897 age 3; Annie dau w f born September 1899 age 8mos

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. They have been married 6 years and Alice says she has had 3 children born 3 are living. Albert is a day laborer and they are renting.]

1902 Death of mother-in-law; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1905 Childbirth of son; James E. Blanton

James E. Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 19 February 1905.

1908 Childbirth of daughter; Eva A. (BLANTON)

Eva A. (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 35

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 19 & 20 April 1910, line 90, house 171, family 174

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 37; Alice wife w f 34; Willie son w m 15; Addie dau w f 13; Annie dau w f 11; James son w m 5; Eva dau w f 2

[All born in Missouri including parents except Elbert's parents born in Tennessee and Alice's parents born in Indiana. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 16 years. Alice say she had 6 children born and 5 are living. Elbert is a laborer Alice is a washerwoman and they

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are renting.]

1913 Death of father-in-law; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1920 Federal Census age 45

Miller? Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 179b, 5 & 6 January 1920, line 69, house 118, family 133

BLANTON, Elbert S. head w m 48; Alice M. wife w f 43; Anna G. dau w f 19; James E. son w m 14; Eva A. dau w f 11; Wilma L. gdau 10mos

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. Elbert is a teamster on the railroad and they are renting. Wilma is the daughter of their son; William Ellsworth & Mary (**KING**) Blanton.]

1921 Death of mother; Sarah Jane (NAUGLE) Garner

Sarah Jane (**NAUGLE**) Garner died in Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 8 May 1921._

1930 Federal Census age 55

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 4b, 5 April 1930, line 73, house 84, family 92

BLANTON, Elbert S. head w m 57; Alice M. wife w f 53; **SAPPINGTON**, Maxine gdau w f 4

[Elbert was born in Missouri his parents in Tennessee. Alice was born in Missouri her parents in Indiana, Maxine was born in Missouri as was her parents. Elbert was first married at age 21, Alice at age 18. They are living next door to Susan (**BLANTON**) Claspill, Elbert's sister. Elbert is a laborer at odd jobs and is renting.]

1933 Death of Alice Mary (GARNER) Blanton

Alice Mary (**GARNER**) Blanton died at 3951 McRea Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 1 October 1937._

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate # 34457

Alice Blanton white married female born 14 June 1875 in Missouri to George Garner born [unknown] and wife [unknown]. Her usual residence was 3951 McRea Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri. She died 1 October 1937 at 3951 McRea Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States and was buried on 4 October 1937 at Sullivan, Missouri. The informant was Addie Prather, 3951 McRea Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri.

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Alice Blanton October 01, 1933 St. Louis City St. Louis City 34457

[2] Date of 1933 from headstone.

1933 Burial of Alice Mary (GARNER) Blanton

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Blanton, Elbert S. 1872-1940

Blanton, Alice M. 1875-1933

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 175 M i. **William Ellsworth Blanton** was born on 15 July 1894 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died after 1917.
William married **Mary King** (d. After 1917) on 22 April 1917 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 176 F ii. **Mary Addie Blanton** was born in March 1897 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died after 1930.
Mary married **Floyd Prather** (d. 5 September 1958) on 18 December 1916 in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 177 F iii. **Anna "Annie" G. Blanton** was born in September 1899 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died after 1920.
- + 178 M iv. **James E. Blanton** was born on 19 February 1905 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in September 1985 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 80.
James married **Nora V.** (d. 28 March 2002) from 1928 to 1929.
- + 179 F v. **Eva A. Blanton** was born in 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

49. Lucy Adeline Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 23 May 1878 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 31 July 1937 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 59, and was buried on 2 August 1937 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) by Floyd Thomas Pratt

F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1879 Birthblock for Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) daughter of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr. & Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Lucy Adeline (**BLANTON**) was born near Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 23 May 1878.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1878 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born May 1878 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1879 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1878 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1879 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 23 May 1878 at Washington County, Missouri

Date from the headstone states she was born 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 1

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Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 80a, 25 June 1880, line 42, house 308, family 328

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 49; Mary wife w f 43; Ellen dau w f 21; Sarah dau w f 14; Martin son w m 12; Catherine dau w f 9; Sevier son w m 8; Lucy A. dau w f 2;

HOLLINHEAD, Jasper boarder w m 23

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, the children born in Missouri their parents born in Tennessee. Jasper born in Ohio as was his parents. Elbert, Martin and Jasper work at an iron works.]

1880-1900 Family Move

From Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 1880/1900.

1900 Federal Census age 21

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 187b, 15 June 1900, line 90, house 136, family 139

BLANTON, Elbert head w m born April 1831 age 69; Mary E. wife w f born August 1836 age 63; Lucy E. dau w f born May 1878 age 22

[Elbert and Mary born in Tennessee as was their parents, Lucy born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. They have been married for 48 years. Mary says she has had 12 children born and 8 are living. Elbert is a farmer and is renting. Living two doors down from the Campbell and Pratt families]

1900-1902 Father's Newspaper Article

"Elbert Blanton is still confined to his bed with an abcess on his lung caused by pueumonia, but it is hoped that an operation may be avoided. He has been ill more than five weeks. Mrs. Blanton has been ill, too, but is up again." [Newspaper unknown, date unknown. Most likely before Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902.]

1901 Marriage of George Walter Moss and Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:George W Moss of Sullivan Marriage Date:14 April 1901 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Lucy A Blauton of Sullivan

1902 Death of mother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1905 Childbirth of daughter; Bessie L. (MOSS)

Bessie L. (**MOSS**) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1905.

1907 Childbirth of son; Daniel S. Moss

Daniel S. Moss was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 28 April 1907.

1910 Childbirth of son; Samuel Ferris Compus Moss

Samuel Ferris Compus Moss was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in February 1910. However, he used 24 July 1909.

1910 Federal Census age 31

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Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 32a, 9 & 10 May 1910, line 15, house 342, family 345

MOSS, George W. head w m 30; Lucy A. wife w f 31; Bessie L. dau w f 5; Daniel S. son w m 3; Samuel C. son w m 3mos

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Lucy's parents born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage they have been married for 9 years and Lucy says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. George is a laborer at odd jobs and is renting.]

1913 Childbirth of daughter; Ollie A. (MOSS)

Ollie A. (**MOSS**) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1913.

1913 Death of father; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1918 Spouse's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: George Walter Moss City: Sullivan County: Franklin State: Missouri Birth Date: 14 March 1881 Race: White Roll: 1683163 nearest relative: Lucy Adeline Moss, Sullivan, Missouri Date: 12 September 1918

1920 Federal Census age 41

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 9 January 1920, line 50, farm 54, family 54

MOSS, George D. head w m 40; [page 178b] Lucy A. wife w f 42; Bessie L. dau w f 15; Daniel S. son w m 12; Samuel C. son w m 10; Ollie A. dau w f 7

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. George is a woodsman and is renting.]

1920-1930 Divorce of George Walter Moss and Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) Moss

George Walter Moss and Lucy Adeline (**BLANTON**) Moss were divorced.

1930 Federal Census age 51

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 274a, 15 April 1930, line 66, house 287, family 297

MOSS, Lucy A. head w f 51

[Lucy was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. She is a widow and is renting. She works as a sticher at the shoe factory.]

1937 Death of Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) Moss

Lucy Adeline (**BLANTON**) Moss died at Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 31 July 1937.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #27162 Lucy Adeline Moss white *divorced* female born 23 May 1878 at Washington County, Missouri to Elbert Sevier Blanton born Tennessee and Mary E. Pratt born Tennessee. Lucy worked at the shoe factory and died on 31 July 1937 at Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. She was buried on 2 August 1937 at I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. The informant was Dan Moss, Sullivan, Missouri.

[2] As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: LUCY A. MOSS July 31, 1937 Franklin 27162

[3] Date from headstone of 1937.

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1937 Burial of Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) Moss

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
Moss, Lucy A. 1878-1937

Lucy married **George Walter Moss**, son of **Daniel Boone Moss** and **Tabitha "Telitha" Frances Benson**, on 14 April 1901 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. George was born on 15 March 1879 in Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 7 December 1949 in Beaufort Rural Route, Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 70, and was buried on 10 December 1949 in Memorial Park Cemetery, 5200 Lucas & Hunt Road, Jennings, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

1879 Birthblock for George Walter Moss son of Daniel Boone and Tabitha "Telitha" Frances (BENSON) Moss

George Walter Moss was born in Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 March 1879.
Date from the 1880 census states he was born
Date from the 1900 census states he was born March 1879 in Missouri.
Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1880 in Missouri.
Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 14 March 1881.
Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1880 in Missouri.
Date from the 1930 census states he was born
Date from the death certificate states he was born 15 March 1879 in Washington County, Missouri.
Date from the headstone states he was born

1880 Federal Census age 1

1882 Childbirth of sister; Atcha Fala (MOSS)

Atcha Fala (**MOSS**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1 February 1882.

1888 Childbirth of sister; Tabitha "Telitha" Charlotte (MOSS)

Tabitha "Telitha" Charlotte (**MOSS**) was born Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on December 1888.

1900 Federal Census age 21

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 28a, 20 June 1900, line 27, house 224, family 227

MOSS, Daniel head w m born February 1845 age 55; Tabitha wife w f born November 1849 age 50; Charles L. son w m born August 1877 age 22; George W. son w m born March 1879 age 21; Tabitha F. dau w f born December 1888 age 11; **WILLSON**, Emma gdau w f born May 1890 age 10

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Daniel's parents born in New York and Tabitha's father born in Kentucky. They have been married for 32 years and Tabitha says she has had 8 children born and 8 are living. Daniel is a farmer and is renting.]

1901 Marriage of George Walter Moss and Lucy Adeline (BLANTON)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: George W Moss of Sullivan Marriage Date: 14 April 1901 Marriage Location: Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Lucy A Blanton of Sullivan

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1902 Death of mother-in-law; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1905 Childbirth of daughter; Bessie L. (MOSS)

Bessie L. (MOSS) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1905.

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1910 Federal Census age 31

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 32a, 9 & 10 May 1910, line 15, house 342, family 345

MOSS, George W. head w m 30; Lucy A. wife w f 31; Bessie L. dau w f 5; Daniel S. son w m 3; Samuel C. son w m 3mos

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1913 Childbirth of daughter; Ollie A. (MOSS)

Ollie A. (MOSS) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1913.

1913 Death of father-in-law; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1918 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:George Walter Moss City:Sullivan County:Franklin State:Missouri Birth Date:14 March 1881 Race:White Roll:1683163 nearest relative:Lucy Adeline Moss, Sullivan, Missouri Date: 12 September 1918

1920 Federal Census age 41

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 9 January 1920, line 50, farm 54, family 54

MOSS, George D. head w m 40; [page 178b] Lucy A. wife w f 42; Bessie L dau w f 15; Daniel S. son w m 12; Samuel C. son w m 10; Ollie A. dau w f 7

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. George is a woodsman and is renting.]

1920-1930 Divorce of George Walter Moss and Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) Moss

George Walter Moss and Lucy Adeline (BLANTON) Moss were divorced.

1920-1930 Marriage of George Walter Moss and Captolia "Fola" E. (PENNINGTON)

George Walter Moss and Captolia "Fola" E. (PENNINGTON) were married sometime after 1920.

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1930 Federal Census

Allenton Road, Allenton, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (County), Missouri, United States, page

- **MOSS**, George head w m 49; Fola E. wife w f 53

1935 Residency at Turner Road, Allenton, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (County), Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census

Turner Road, Allenton, Meramec Twp, Saint Louis (County), Missouri, United States, page

- **MOSS**, George W head w m 59; Captola wife w f 63

1949 Death of George Walter Moss

George Walter Moss died in Beaufort Rural Route, Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 7 December 1949. _

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #36836
As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: George W. Moss December __, 1949 Franklin 36836
<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1949 Burial of George Walter Moss

Memorial Park Cemetery, 5200 Lucas & Hunt Road, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

FAG# 96508971

George Walter Moss Birth: Mar. 15, 1879 Missouri, USA Death: Dec. 7, 1949 Union (Franklin County) Franklin County Missouri, USA George Walter Moss, son of Daniel Boone Moss & Telitha Frances Benson Married 1.) Lucy Adeline Blanton April 1901; married 2.) Captola E. Occupation: Farmer Address: Beaufort, Missouri 1920 Census; George & Lucy Moss living in Crawford County Missouri Boone Township with children, Bessie L. 15 yrs., Daniel S. 12 yrs., Samuel C. 10 yrs., and Ollie A. 7 yrs. Cause of Death: Coronary Thrombosis Information from Missouri Death Certificate #36836 Family links: Parents: Daniel Boone Moss (1845 - 1920) Spouse: Lucy Adeline Blanton Moss (1878 - 1937) Samuel Ferris Compus Moss (1909 - 1983) Note: Buried Dec. 10, 1949 Burial: Memorial Park Cemetery Jennings St. Louis County Missouri, USA Created by: w* Record added: Sep 04, 2012

Children from this marriage were:

- + 180 F i. **Bessie L. Moss** was born in 1905 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 181 M ii. **Daniel S. Moss** was born on 28 April 1907 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 4 February 1989 in Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in February 1989 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Daniel married **Rose C.** (d. 14 October 1996) on 20 April 1928.
- + 182 M iii. **Samuel Ferris Compus Moss** was born on 24 July 1909 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died in May 1983 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried in May 1983 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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Samuel married **Wilma L.**

+ 183 F iv. **Ollie A. Moss** was born in 1913 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

50. Cinthia A. Blanton (*John Allen², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in 1860 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

51. Christian L. Blanton (*John Allen², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in 1863 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

52. Austin Clark Blanton (*John Allen², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in April 1863 in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 10 October 1927 in County Infirmary, Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried on 11 October 1927 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Austin Clark Blanton by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1863 Birthblock of Austin Clark Blanton son of John Allen and Margaret Serice (BLANTON) Blanton

Austin Clark Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on April 1863._

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1864 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born

Date from the 1900 census states he was born April 1863 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1859 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born [no date listed]

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born April 1863.

Date from the obituary states he was born

1863 Childbirth of brother; Christian C. Blanton

Christian C. Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1863._

1864 Father's U.S. Civil War Soldiers, 1861-1865

Name:John A. Blanton Side:Union Regiment State/Origin:Missouri Regiment Name:63 Reg't Enrolled Militia, Mo. Inf. (60 Days, 1864) Regiment Name Expanded:63rd Regiment, Enrolled Militia, Missouri Infantry (60 days 1864) COMPANY:K Rank In:Private Rank In Expanded:Private Rank Out:Private Rank Out Expanded:Private Film Number:M390 roll 4

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Research Note

Not sure if this civil war record is John Allen Blanton's or John Anderson Blanton's.

1866 Father's Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, United States Deed Book , page , 1 November 1866:
George T. Westover to John A. Blanton of Franklin Co., MO for \$110.00 Lot #49, in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1866 Childbirth of brother; John E. Blanton

John E. Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1866 and died after the 1870 census and before the 1880 census.

1867 Father's Property Transaction

[1] Franklin County, Missouri, United States, Deed Book 1, page 760, 3 Aug 1867:
NW corner E½ of the NW¼ of S16, T40, R2W
Drury F. Curry & wife Mary to John A. Blanton of Franklin Co., MO for \$75.00 located North west corner of the east half of the north west quarter of section 16, township 40, range 2 west adjacent to the town of Sullivan. Being 140 feet south on Washington Street of Sullivan. by 50 feet ???

1869 Childbirth of brother; Charles Henry Blanton

Charles Henry Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 8 February 1869._

1870 Federal Census age 7

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 9, house 109, family 109

BLANTON, John w m 41; Margaret w f 28; Cintha A. w f 10; Nancy C. w f 13; Austin w m 6;
John E. w m 4; Charles H. w m 1

[All born in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to his father and brothers. I believe this Nancy C. is Nancy Caroline (**BLANTON**) daughter of Elbert Sevier & Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton.]

1870-1872 Family Move

From near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States between 1870-1872.

1872 Childbirth of brother; William Joshua Blanton

William Joshua Blanton was born in Frankclay, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 19 December 1873.

1880 Federal Census age 17

1884 Childbirth of son; William Blanton

William Blanton was born in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 22 April 1884.

Research Note

Even though the 1900 census states he was born April 1884 and William's death certificate states he was born 22 April 1884, could indicate that Mary Jane (**GREENWOOD**) was previously

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married prior to her marriage to Austin Blanton and Austin raised William as his son. Or, she had William out of wedlock and Austin took him in.

1886 Marriage of Austin Clark Blanton and Mary Jane (GREENWOOD)

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "I", page 293
Austin Blanton of Bonne Terre, St. Francois Co., Mo. over 21; Mary Greenwood of Washington Co., Mo. over 18; 20 September 1886 license; married on 21 September 1886 by Andrew Casey, JP at Potosi

1886-1900 Family Move

From Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

1896 Childbirth of daughter; Lillie (BLANTON)

Lillie (BLANTON) was born in either Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States in 12 January 1896.

1897 Childbirth of son; John Blanton

John Blanton was born in either Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States in February 1897.

1897-1900 Death of father; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States after the 1880 census date and before the 1900 census date. His spouse is listed as a widow in the 1900 census.

1898 Childbirth of daughter; Rosa May (BLANTON)

Rosa May (BLANTON) was born in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States on 29 November 1898.

1900 Federal Census age 37

Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States, page 60a, 4 June 1900, line 19, house 74, family 76

BLANTON, Aus head w m born April 1863 age 37; Mary wife w f born May 1868 age 32; William son w m born April 1884 age 16; Lilly dau w g born January 1896 age 4; John son w m born February 1897 age 3; **SMITH**, Lilly boarder w f born March 1876 age 24
[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married 15 years and Mary says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Austin is a lead roster and they are renting.]

Research Note

Where's Rosa May (BLANTON) in the 1900 census?

1900 Childbirth of daughter; Eva Myrtle (BLANTON)

Eva Myrtle (BLANTON) was born in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States on 5 July 1900.

1900-1901 Death of spouse; Mary Jane (GREENWOOD) Blanton

Mary Jane (GREENWOOD) Blanton died in Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States after 5 July 1900, Eva's birth date and the 1910 census date.

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1910 Federal Census age 47

County Road, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 46b, & 47a, 16 April 1910, line 3, house 31, family 33

BLANTON, Austin head w m 51; Lillie dau w f 14; John son w m 13; Rosa dau w f 11; Eva dau w f 9; Margaret mother w f 75; William brother w m 34

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Margaret's parents born in Tennessee. Living in his brother; Charles Henry Blanton's house. Austin is widowed and had been married 15 years. Margaret is widowed and has had 9 children born and 3 are living. Austin works in a lead mill and is renting.]

1917 Death of mother: Margaret Serice (BLANTON) Blanton

Margaret Serice (**BLANTON**) Blanton died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 30 May 1917.

1920 Federal Census age 57

Hazel Run Road, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 55a, 5 February 1920, line 33, house 892, family 916

BLANTON, Auston C. head w m 63; William J. borther w m 45

[Both born in Missouri their father born in Kentucky their mother in Tennessee. Austin is a teamster and is renting.]

1927 Death of Austin Clark Blanton

Austin Clark Blanton died in the County Infirmary, Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 Octoer 1927.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #31326
As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Austin Blanton October 10, 1927 St. Francois 31326
<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1927 Burial of Austin Clark Blanton

Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

Find A Grave Memorial# 94764897

Austin Clark Blanton Birth: Apr., 1863 Sullivan County Missouri, USA Death: Oct. 10, 1927 Bonne Terre St. Francois County Missouri, USA Family links: Children: Eva Myrtle Blanton (1900 - 1917) FAG#94764831 Burial: Bonne Terre Cemetery Bonne Terre St. Francois County Missouri, USA Created by: Dee Burris Blakley Record added: Aug 03, 2012

Research Note

The above FAG posting is incorrect. This is what happens when people do not research before they post information. Since there is no picture of the headstone we really don't know where Dee Blakely got her information.

Austin married **Mary Jane Greenwood**, daughter of **Joseph Greenwood** and **Ruth Ann "Ruthie" Neuse**, on 21 September 1886 in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Mary was born in May 1868 near Osage Post Office, Belleview Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1900 to 1901 in Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 32.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Mary Jane (GREENWOOD) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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- **1868 Birthblock for Mary Jane (GREENWOOD) daughter of Joseph and Ruth Ann "Ruthie" (NEUSE) Greenwood**

Mary Jane (**GREENWOOD**) was born near Osage Post Office, Bellevue Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in May 1868. _

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1868 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1868 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born May 1868 in Missouri.

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

- **1869 Childbirth of sister; Minnie (GREENWOOD)**

Minnie (**GREENWOOD**) was born near Osage Post Office, Bellevue Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in November 1869.

- **1870 Federal Census age 2**

Osage Post Office, Bellevue Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 18b, 28 June 1870, line 30, house 264, family 267

GREENWOOD, Joseph w m 32; Ruthie w f 17; Mary w f 2; Minnie w f 6months born in November

[Joseph was born in Canada the rest in Missouri. Joseph works in a saw mill.]

- **1873 Childbirth of sister; Mamie (GREENWOOD)**

Mamie (**GREENWOOD**) was born near Osage Post Office, Bellevue Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1873. _

- **1877-1880 Death of father; Joseph Greenwood**

Joseph Greenwood died near Osage Post Office, Bellevue Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between the birth of Lizzie; 1 March 1877 and 9 June 1880 census date.

- **1877 Childbirth of sister; Elizabeth "Lizzie" (GREENWOOD)**

Elizabeth "Lizzie" (**GREENWOOD**) was born in Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1 March 1877. _

- **1880 Federal Census age 12**

Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 10a, 9 June 1880, line 1, house 138, family 144

GREENWOOD, Ruth head w f 35; Mary dau w f 12; Minnie dau w f 9; Mamie dau w f 7

[Ruth born in Missouri her parents in North Carolina, the rest born in Missouri their father in Canada, their mother in Missouri. Ruth is a widow and works in the lead mine.] _

1884 Childbirth of son; William Blanton

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William Blanton was born in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 22 April 1884.

Research Note

Even though the 1900 census states he was born April 1884 and William's death certificate states he was born 22 April 1884, could indicate that Mary Jane (**GREENWOOD**) was previously married prior to her marriage to Austin Blanton in 1886 and Austin raised William as his son giving him his surname, or, she had William out of wedlock and Austin took him in.

1884 Childbirth of step-sister; Nancy Ann ()

1884 Washington County, Missouri, Birth Book 1882-1893, page 175 October 6 1884
Nancy Ann (Greenwood?) white, eighth child, born September 8 1884 at Breton Twp., Washington Co., Mo.

d/o unknown and Ruth Nuse, Missouri, born in Missouri, age 38, resides in Washington Co. J. B. Bell of Potosi, Mo., med att (the mother's full name is listed as Ruth Greenwood)

1886 Marriage of Austin Clark Blanton and Mary Jane (GREENWOOD)

[1] Washington County Missouri Marriage Record Book "I", page 293
Austin Blanton of Bonne Terre, St. Francois Co., Mo. over 21; Mary Greenwood of Washington Co., Mo. over 18; 20 September 1886 license; married on 21 September 1886 by Andrew Casey, JP at Potosi

1886-1900 Family Move

From Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

1891 Mother's marriage of Robert Louis Raymond aka Ramo and Ruth Ann "Ruthie" (NEUSE) Greenwood

[1] Washington County, Missouri Marriage Record Book Volume "2" 1889-1897 by Brian Oster / page 86-1 Robert Ramo of Potosi, Washington Co., Mo. over 21; Rusta Greenwood of Potosi, Washington Co., Mo. over 18; 1 January 1891 license; married on 1 January 1891 by Andrew Casey, Judge of Probate at Potosi

1896 Childbirth of daughter; Lillie (BLANTON)

Lillie (**BLANTON**) was born in either Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States in 12 January 1896.

1897 Childbirth of son; John Blanton

John Blanton was born in either Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States in February 1897.

1897-1900 Death of father; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States after the 1880 census date and before the 1900 census date. His spouse is listed as a widow in the 1900 census.

1898 Childbirth of daughter; Rosa May (BLANTON)

Rosa May (**BLANTON**) was born in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States on 29 November 1898.

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1900 Federal Census age 32

Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States, page 60a, 4 June 1900, line 19, house 74, family 76

BLANTON, Aus head w m born April 1863 age 37; Mary wife w f born May 1868 age 32;

William son w m born April 1884 age 16; Lilly dau w g born January 1896 age 4; John son w m born February 1897 age 3; **SMITH**, Lilly boarder w f born March 1876 age 24

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married 15 years and Mary says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Austin is a lead roster and they are renting.]

Research Note

Where's Rosa May (**BLANTON**) in the 1900 census?

1900 Childbirth of daughter; Eva Myrtle (BLANTON)

Eva Myrtle (**BLANTON**) was born in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States on 5 July 1900.

1901 Death of step-father; Robert Louis Raymond aka Ramo

Robert Louis Raymond aka Ramo died in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 2 May 1901.

1900-1910 Death of mother; Ruth Ann "Ruthie" (NEUSE) Greenwood Raymond

Ruth Ann "Ruthie" (**NEUSE**) Greenwood Raymond died in Potosi Town, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States between 7 June 1900 census date and the 1910 census date.

1900-1901 Death of Mary Jane (GREENWOOD) Blanton

Mary Jane (**GREENWOOD**) Blanton died in Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States after 5 July 1900, Eva's birth date and the 1910 census date.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 184 M i. **William Blanton** was born on 22 April 1884 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 23 November 1915 in Robert Koch Hospital, Koch, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 31, and was buried on 1 December 1915 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.
- + 185 F ii. **Lillie Blanton** was born on 12 January 1896 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died in June 1968 in Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 72.
- + 186 M iii. **John Blanton** was born in February 1897 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 187 F iv. **Rosa May Blanton** was born on 29 November 1898 in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States, died on 28 August 1951 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 52, and was buried on 30 August 1951 in Marvin Chapel Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

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Rosa married **William R. Byington** (d. 1 March 1944) on 23 November 1916 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

- + 188 F v. **Eva Myrtle Blanton** was born on 5 July 1900 in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States, died on 10 July 1917 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 17, and was buried on 11 July 1917 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

53. John E. Blanton (*John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1866 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died from 1870 to 1880 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 4.

1866 Childbirth of son; John E. Blanton

John E. Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1867 Property Transaction

Franklin County, Missouri, United States, Deed Book 1, page 760, 3 Aug 1867:

NW corner E½ of the NW¼ of S16, T40, R2W

Drury F. Curry & wife Mary to John A. Blanton of Franklin Co., MO for \$75.00 located North west corner of the east half of the north west quarter of section 16, township 40, range 2 west adjacent to the town of Sullivan. Being 140 feet south on Washington Street of Sullivan. by 50 feet ???

1869 Childbirth of son; Charles Henry Blanton

Charles Henry Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 8 February 1869._

1870 Federal Census age 4

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 9, house 109, family 109

BLANTON, John w m 41; Margaret w f 28; Cintha A. w f 10; Nancy C. w f 13; Austin w m 6;

John E. w m 4; Charles H. w m 1

[All born in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to his father and brothers. I believe this Nancy C. is Nancy Caroline (**BLANTON**) daughter of Elbert Sevier & Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton.]

1870-1880 Family Move

From near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States between 1870-1880.

54. Charles Henry Blanton (*John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 8 February 1869 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 29 May 1932 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 1 June 1932 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

1869 Birthblock of Charles Henry Blanton son of John Allen and Margaret Serice (BLANTON) Blanton

Charles Henry Blanton was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 8 February 1869._

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1869 in Missouri.

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Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1869 in Missouri.
Date from the 1900 census states he was born February 1869 in Missouri.
Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1869 in Missouri.
Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born
Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1868 in Missouri.
Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1859 in Missouri.
Date from the death certificate states he was born 8 February 1859 in Franklin County, Missouri.
Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born
Date from the funeral home records states he was born
Date from the headstone states he was born
Date from the obituary states he was born

1870 Federal Census age 1

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 9, house 109, family 109

BLANTON, John w m 41; Margaret w f 28; Cintha A. w f 10; Nancy C. w f 13; Austin w m 6; John E. w m 4; Charles H. w m 1

[All born in Missouri. John is a farmer. Living next door to his father and brothers. I believe this Nancy C. is Nancy Caroline (**BLANTON**) daughter of Elbert Sevier & Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton.]

1870-1872 Family Move

From near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States between 1870-1872.

1873 Childbirth of brother; William Joshua Blanton

William Joshua Blanton was born in Frankclay, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 19 December 1873.

1880 Federal Census age 11

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 458b, 3 June 1880, line 26, house 74, family 75

BLANTON, John head w m 43; Margerett S. wife w f 36; Christian C. son w m 17; Charles H. son w m 11; Josua Wm. son w m 6

[John was born in Missouri his parents in Tennessee, Margaret was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee the rest born in Missouri as was their parents. John is a laborer.]

1886-1900 Family Move

From Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States

1892 Marriage of Charles Henry Blanton and Mary Elizabeth (PULLEN)

Charles Henry Blanton and Mary Elizabeth (**PULLEN**) were married in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 28 April 1892.

1897-1900 Death of father; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States after the 1880 census date and before the 1900 census date. His spouse is listed as a widow in the 1900 census.

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1900 Federal Census age 31

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 87b, 6 June 1900, line 85, house 125, family 135

BLANTON, Margret head w f born May 1843 age 57; Henry son w m born February 1869 age 31; William J. son w m born December 1874 age 25; Mary dnlw w f born January 1869 age 31; Cynthia gdau w f born August 1892 age 7; Stella gdau w f born October 1895 age 4; May gdau w f born December 1897 age 2; Della gdau w f born December 1898 age 1; **PULLEN**, George boarder w m born April 1871 age 29

[All born in Missouri, Margaret's parents born in Tennessee, Henry and William's father born in Tennessee, mother in Missouri, the rest parents born in Missouri. Margaret says she is a widow and she has had 9 children born and 3 are living. Henry and Mary have been married for 8 years and Mary says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Margaret is renting.]

1910 Federal Census age 41

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 46b & 47a, 16 April 1910, house 31,

BLANTON, C. Henry head w m 41; Mary E. wife w f 41; Stelle dau w f 15; May dau w f 13; Della dau w f 11; Charlie son w m 5; Ethel dau w f 3; Geraldine dau w f 7mos

[All born in Missouri as were their parents. They have been married for 18 years and this is their first marriage. Mary says she has had 9 children born and 7 are living. In the same house is Charles' brothers, Austin's family, William and his mother, Margaret.]

1920 Federal Census age 51

Second Street, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 54b, 5 February 1920, house 883

BLANTON, Henry C. head w m 52; Mary E. wife w f 50; Charles H. son w m 15; Albertine dau w f 12; Geraldine dau w f 10; **HAVERSTICK**, Nellie gdau w f 10; **BLANTON**, Mildred G. dau w f 6

[All born in Missouri as were their parents except Henry and Mary state their parents were born in the US. Living next door to Hedgeman Asbridge family.]

1930 Federal Census age 61

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 110a, 16 April 1930, house 19

BLANTON, Henry C. head w m 71; Mary wife w f 63; Charley son w m 35; Geraldine son w m 20; **HAYS**, Avateena dau w f 33; **BLANTON**, William J. brother w m 55; Mary E. granddau w f 5yrs 2mos

[Henry and William were born in Missouri, their father in Kentucky, their mother in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri as were their parents except Mary says her father was born in the US. Avateena is married.]

1932 Death of Charles Henry Blanton

Charles Henry Blanton died in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 29 May 1932.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #17246

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Charles Henry Blanton May 29, 1932 St. Francois 17246

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1932 Burial of Charles Henry Blanton

Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

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FAG#* 97451323

Charles Henry Blanton {FAG#* 97451323} Birth: 8 February 1869 - Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States Death: 29 May 1932 - Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Burial: 1 June 1932 - Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Parents Father: John Allen Blanton (1833-1897/1900) Mother: Margaret Serice (**BLANTON**) (1833-1917) Spouse: Mary Elizabeth (**PULLEN**) {FAG#* 97451470} (14 January 1869 - 22 January 1946) Marriage: 28 April 1892 - Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Children: Stella (**BLANTON**) (1895-) May (**BLANTON**) (1897-) Della (**BLANTON**) (1899-) Charles Henry "Charlie" Blanton (1907-1963) Albertine (**BLANTON**) Hays (1908-) Geraldine (**BLANTON**) (1909-1930) Ethel Irene (**BLANTON**) Mock Wood (1909-) Mildred Geneva (**BLANTON**) Black (1912-1972)

Charles married **Mary Elizabeth Pullen**, daughter of **Hezekiah "Hezie" Pullen** and **Louisiana "Louzan" Reeder**, on 28 April 1892 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. Mary was born on 14 January 1869 near Pringaub Post Office, Jackson Twp, Sainte Genevieve, Missouri, United States, died on 22 January 1946 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried on 24 January 1946 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

1869 Birthblock of Mary Elizabeth (PULLEN) daughter of Hezekiah "Hezie" and Louisiana "Louzan" (REEDER) Pullen

Mary Elizabeth (**PULLEN**) was born near Pringaub Post Office, Jackson Twp, Sainte Genevieve, Missouri, United States on 14 January 1869.

1870 Federal Census age 1

Pungaub Post Office, Jackson Twp, Sainte Genevieve, Missouri, United States, page 20, 25 July 1870, line 38, house 139, family 141

PULLEN, Hezekia w m 26; Louisa w f 18; Mary w f 1

[All born in Missouri. Hezekiah is a laborer.]

1880 Federal Census age 11

Union, Sainte Genevieve, Missouri

PULLAN, Heseekiah heaad w m 39; Louisa wife w f 29; Mary E. dau w f 12; George A. son w m 10; William son w m 8; John T. son w m 6; Annie dau w f 4; Harriet dau w f 2

1892 Marriage of Charles Henry Blanton and Mary Elizabeth (PULLEN)

Charles Henry Blanton and Mary Elizabeth (**PULLEN**) were married in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 28 April 1892.

1897-1900 Death of father-in-law; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States after the 1880 census date and before the 1900 census date. His spouse is listed as a widow in the 1900 census.

1900 Federal Census age 31

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 87b, 6 June 1900, line 85, house 125, family 135

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BLANTON, Margret head w f born May 1843 age 57; Henry son w m born February 1869 age 31; William J. son w m born December 1874 age 25; Mary dnlw w f born January 1869 age 31; Cynthia gdau w f born August 1892 age 7; Stella gdau w f born October 1895 age 4; May gdau w f born December 1897 age 2; Della gdau w f born December 1898 age 1; **PULLEN**, George boarder w m born April 1871 age 29
[All born in Missouri, Margaret's parents born in Tennessee, Henry and William's father born in Tennessee, mother in Missouri, the rest parents born in Missouri. Margaret says she is a widow and she has had 9 children born and 3 are living. Henry and Mary have been married for 8 years and Mary says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Margaret is renting.]

1910 Federal Census age 41

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 46b & 47a, 16 April 1910, house 31, **BLANTON**, C. Henry head w m 41; Mary E. wife w f 41; Stelle dau w f 15; May dau w f 13; Della dau w f 11; Charlie son w m 5; Ethel dau w f 3; Geraldine dau w f 7mos
[All born in Missouri as were their parents. They have been married for 18 years and this is their first marriage. Mary says she has had 9 children born and 7 are living. In the same house is Charles' brothers, Austin's family, William and his mother, Margaret.]

1920 Federal Census age 51

Second Street, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 54b, 5 February 1920, house 883

BLANTON, Henry C. head w m 52; Mary E. wife w f 50; Charles H. son w m 15; Albertine dau w f 12; Geraldine dau w f 10; **HAVERSTICK**, Nellie gdau w f 10; **BLANTON**, Mildred G. dau w f 6

[All born in Missouri as were their parents except Henry and Mary state their parents were born in the US. Living next door to Hedgeman Asbridge family.]

1930 Federal Census age 61

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 110a, 16 April 1930, house 19

BLANTON, Henry C. head w m 71; Mary wife w f 63; Charley son w m 35; Geraldine son w m 20; **HAYS**, Avateena dau w f 33; **BLANTON**, William J. brother w m 55; Mary E. granddau w f 5yrs 2mos

[Henry and William were born in Missouri, their father in Kentucky, their mother in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri as were their parents except Mary says her father was born in the US. Avateena is married.]

1932 Death of spouse; Charles Henry Blanton

Charles Henry Blanton died in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 29 May 1932.

1940 Federal Census age 71

East Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 141a, 7 May 1940, line 65, house 85

BLANTON, William J head w m 65; Charles H. nephew w m 35; Mary sister-in-law w f 76; **HAYES**, Mary Ellen niece w f 15

[All born in Missouri. William is a carpenter. They are renting.]

1946 Death of Mary Elizabeth (PULLEN) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PULLEN**) Blanton died in East Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois,

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Missouri, United States on 22 January 1946.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #3865

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Mary E. Blanton January __, 1946 St. Francois 3865

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1946 Burial of Mary Elizabeth (PULLEN) Blanton

Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States _

1946 Obituary of Mary Elizabeth (PULLEN) Blanton

LEAD BELT NEWS, Flat River, St. Francois Co. MO, Fri. Jan. 25, 1946

MARY ELIZABETH BLANTON

Mary Elizabeth Blanton, daughter of the late Hezzie and Louzan Reeder Pullen, was born at Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, January 14, 1869 and died in East Bonne Terre, January 22, 1946 at the age of 77 years, 8 days. Funeral services were held at the East Bonne Terre Baptist Church Thursday, January 24 at 2 p.m., conducted by the Rev. Thos. Barton. Interment Bonne Terre Cemetery. Benham Service. Mrs. Blanton is survived by three children: Chas. Blanton, East Bonne Terre; Mrs. May Baker, St. Louis and Mrs. Mildred Black, East Bonne Terre.

FAG# 97451470

Mary Elizabeth (**PULLEN**) Blanton {FAG# 97451470} Birth: 14 January 1869 - Sainte Genevieve, Sainte Genevieve, Missouri, United States Death: 22 January 1946 - Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Burial: 24 January 1946 - Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Parents Father: Hezekiah "Hezie" Pullen (1844-1926) Mother: Louisiana "Louzan" (**REEDER**) (1850-1928) Spouse: Charles Henry Blanton {FAG# 97451323} (8 February 1869 - 29 May 1932) Marriage: 28 April 1892 - Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Children: Stella (**BLANTON**) (1895-) May (**BLANTON**) Baker (1897-) Della (**BLANTON**) (1899-) Charles Henry "Charlie" Blanton (1907-1963) Albertine (**BLANTON**) Hays (1908-) Geraldine Blanton (1909-1930) Ethel Irene (**BLANTON**) Mock Wood (1909-) Mildred Geneva (**BLANTON**) Black (1912-1972)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 189 F i. **Cynthia Blanton** was born in August 1892 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 190 F ii. **Stella Blanton** was born in October 1895 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 191 F iii. **May Blanton** was born in December 1897 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
May married **Baker**.
- + 192 F iv. **Della Blanton** was born in December 1898 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 193 M v. **Charles "Charlie" Henry Blanton** was born on 11 October 1907 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 13 February 1963 in City Hospital # 1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 55, and was buried on 16 February 1963 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint

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Francois, Missouri, United States.

- + 194 F vi. **Albertina Blanton** was born on 10 February 1907 in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 11 July 1930 in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 23, and was buried on 13 July 1930 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Albertina married **Edward Hayes** from 1923 to 1924.

- + 195 M vii. **Geraldine Blanton** was born on 20 August 1909 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 10 May 1930 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 20, and was buried on 12 May 1930 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

- + 196 F viii. **Ethel Irene Blanton** was born on 31 August 1909 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died in 1988 at age 79, and was buried in 1988 in Grandview Cemetery, Athens Twp, Gentry, Missouri, United States.

Ethel married **Robert Homer Mock** (d. 1965) on 18 July 1928 in Kansas City, Kaw Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States.

Ethel next married **Charley Maurice Wood** (d. 12 February 1982) on 9 August 1971 in Nodaway, Missouri, United States.

- + 197 F ix. **Mildred Geneva Blanton** was born on 27 December 1912 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 9 April 1972 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 59, and was buried in April 1972 in Adams-Hillcrest Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Mildred married **August "Gus" Elvin Black** (d. 19 April 1951) on 24 July 1927 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

55. William Joshua Blanton (*John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 December 1873 in Frankclay, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 6 August 1947 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried on 7 August 1947 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. He never married and had no children.

1873 Birthblock of William Joshua Blanton son of John Allen and Margaret Serice (BLANTON) Blanton

William Joshua Blanton was born in Frankclay, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 19 December 1873.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1874 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born December 1874 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1876 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 19 December 1874.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from the 1940 census states he was born

Date from the WWII military involvement states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

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Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1880 Federal Census age 7

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 458b, 3 June 1880, line 26, house 74, family 75

BLANTON, John head w m 43; Margerett S. wife w f 36; Christian C. son w m 17; Charles H. son w m 11; Josua Wm. son w m 6

[John was born in Missouri his parents in Tennessee, Margaret was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee the rest born in Missouri as was their parents. John is a laborer.]

1897-1900 Death of father; John Allen Blanton

John Allen Blanton died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States after the 1880 census date and before the 1900 census date. His spouse is listed as a widow in the 1900 census.

1900 Federal Census age 27

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 87b, 6 June 1900, line 85, house 125, family 135

BLANTON, Margret head w f born May 1843 age 57; Henry son w m born February 1869 age 31; William J. son w m born December 1874 age 25; Mary dnlw w f born January 1869 age 31; Cynthia gdau w f born August 1892 age 7; Stella gdau w f born October 1895 age 4; May gdau w f born December 1897 age 2; Della gdau w f born December 1898 age 1; **PULLEN**, George boarder w m born April 1871 age 29

[All born in Missouri, Margaret's parents born in Tennessee, Henry and William's father born in Tennessee, mother in Missouri, the rest parents born in Missouri. Margaret says she is a widow and she has had 9 children born and 3 are living. Henry and Mary have been married for 8 years and Mary says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Margaret is renting.]

1910 Federal Census age 37

County Road, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 46b, & 47a, 16 April 1910, line 3, house 31, family 33

BLANTON, Austin head w m 51; Lillie dau w f 14; John son w m 13; Rosa dau w f 11; Eva dau w f 9; Margaret mother w f 75; William brother w m 34

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Margaret's parents born in Tennessee. Living in his brother; Charles Henry Blanton's house. Austin is widowed and had been married 15 years. Margaret is widowed and has had 9 children born and 3 are living. Austin works in a lead mill and is renting.]

1918 U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: William Joshua Blanton County: St Francois State: Missouri Birth Date: 19 Dec 1874 Race: White Date 121 September 1918

1920 Federal Census age 47

Hazel Run Road, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 55a, 5 February 1920, line 33, house 892, family 916

BLANTON, Auston C. head w m 63; William J. brother w m 45

[Both born in Missouri their father born in Kentucky their mother in Tennessee. Austin is a

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teamster and is renting.]

1930 Federal Census age 57

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 110a, 16 April 1930, house 19

BLANTON, Henry C. head w m 71; Mary wife w f 63; Charley son w m 35; Geraldine son w m 20; **HAYS**, Avateena dau w f 33; **BLANTON**, William J. brother w m 55; Mary E.

granddau w f 5yrs 2mos

[Henry and William were born in Missouri, their father in Kentucky, their mother in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri as were their parents except Mary says her father was born in the US. Avateena is married.]

1935 Residency in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 67

East Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 141a, 7 May 1940, line 65, house 85 _

BLANTON, William J head w m 65; Charles H. nephew w m 35; Mary sister-in-law w f 76;

HAYES, Mary Ellen niece w f 15

[All born in Missouri. William is a carpenter. They are renting.]

1947 Death of William Joshua Blanton

William Joshua Blanton died in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 6 August 1947.

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics File #28781

William J. Blanton August __, 1947 St. Francois 28781

1947 Burial of William Joshua Blanton

Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

FAG#* 97457909

William Joshua Blanton {FAG#* 97457909} Birth: 19 December 1873 - Frankclay, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Death: 6 August 1947 - Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

Burial: 7 August 1947 - Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Parents Father: John Allen Blanton {FAGI#* 97457088} (1833-1897/1900) Mother: Margaret Serice (**BLANTON**) {FAG#* 97457183} (1833-1917)

56. Henry W. A. Blanton (*Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 25 July 1858 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died after 1920.

1858 Birthblock for Henry W. A. Blanton son of Henry Hubert and Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Henry W. A. Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 25 July 1858.

Date from the 1860 census states he was born 1858 in Missouri.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1858 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1859 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born July 1858 in Missouri.

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Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

[Concerning his name, The 1860 census states he is Henry W., the 1870 and 1910 census states he is Henry A. without further evidence we really don't know who he was.]

1860 Federal Census age 2

Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 463, 25 July 1860, line 27, house 879, family 869

BLANTON, Henry w m 22; Matilda w f 17; Henry W. w m 2

[All born in Missouri. Henry is a farmer. Living next door to Blanton relatives.]

1861 Childbirth of brother; James Blanton

James Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 9 February 1861.

1863 Childbirth of brother; Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton

Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 August 1863.

1864 Father's Military Physical

Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to various men for application for a pension. These records are known as "The John B. Bell Manuscripts" and are housed in the library at the University of Missouri, Rolla, Mo. These physicals took place in Potosi, MO.

"Persons belonging to the E.M.M. 32nd Reg. 22 March 1864: Henry H. Blanton age 28-

Diagnosis: BC palpitation of the heart & and has had mine sickness & subject to epistaxis."

[Palpitation of the heart means that his heart beats at a rapid rate. He is listed next to his brothers Elbert S. and Alexander Blanton.]

1869 Childbirth of brother; Jesse Van Buren Blanton

Jesse Van Buren Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 August 1869.

1870 Federal Census age 12

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 20, house 111, family 111

BLANTON, Henry w m 29; Matilda w f 27; Henry A. w m 12; James w m 9; Wesley B. w m 6; Jesse w m 2

[All born in Missouri. Henry works on a farm. Living next door to Blantons.]

1871 Childbirth of brother; Wiley Blanton

Wiley Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1871.

1872 Death of grandfather; Abraham Absalom Blanton

Abraham Absalom Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

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[1] Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322. [There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a landowner and businessman with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1874 Childbirth of brother; Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton

Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1874.

1876 Childbirth of brother; William H. Blanton

William H. Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 April 1876.

1879 Marriage of Henry W. A. Blanton and Martha (BROOKS)

[1] Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mr. Henry A Blanton Marriage Date:30 November 1879 Marriage County:Crawford
Spouse Name:Miss. Martha Brooks

1880 Federal Census age 22

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 407b, 12 June 1880, line 2, house 209, family 215

BLANTON, Martha head w f 23; Henry husband w m 21; **MOORE**, James laborer w m 18

[Martha born in Kentucky her father in Pennsylvania, her mother in Virginia. The rest born in Missouri as was their parents. Living next door to her parents James & Susan (_____) Brooks and in close proximity to Absalom & Clara (**KEY**) Blanton family.]

1900 Federal Census age 42

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 63b, 8 June 1900, line 87, house 129, family 129

BLANTON, Henry head w m born July 1858 age 41; Martha wife w f born June 1858 age 41; Annie G. dau w f born June 1882 age 17; Blanche L. dau w f born March 1885 age 15; Harry son w m born July 1889 age 10; Roy son w m born August 1891 age 8; Minnie J. dau w f born July 1894 age 5; Henry H. son w m born June 1897 age 2

[All were born in Missouri except Martha born in Kentucky, her father born in Pennsylvania and her mother born in Virginia. Henry's father born in Tennessee and his mother born in Missouri. Martha says they have been married for 19 years and she has had 7 children born and 7 are living. Henry is a laborer at the iron works. They are renting.]

1900-1910 Family Move

From Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States to Elvins City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1908 Death of father; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton died in Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on

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21 January 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 52

Elvins City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 18 April 1910, line 58, house 56, family 68

BLANTON, Henry A. head w m 53; Martha wife w f 53; Harry L. son w m 22; Roy F. son w m 20; Henry H. son w m 15; Homer gson w m 4; **LEVEE**, Blanch dau w f 25

[All were born in Missouri except Martha born in Kentucky, her father born in Pennsylvania and her mother born in Virginia. Henry's parents born in Tennessee. Martha says they have been married once for 31 years and she has had 7 children born and 7 are living. Blanche is a widow. Henry and sons are miners at the lead mines. They are renting.]

1910 Death of mother; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 20 September 1910.

1910-1920 Family Move

From Elvins City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to

1920 Federal Census age 62

Central City, Quapaw Twp, Ottawa, Oklahoma, United States, page 147a, 29 January 1920, line 13, house 568. family 568

BLANTON, Henry A. head w m 63; Martha wife w f 63; Homer W. gson w m 14

[Henry was born in Missouri, his father in Tennessee, his mother in Missouri, Martha was born in Kentucky, her father in Pennsylvania, her mother in Virginia, Homer was born in Missouri as were his parents. Henry is a miner for a lead and zinc mine. They are renting.]

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Henry married **Martha Brooks**, daughter of **James Brooks** and **Susan Powell**, on 30 November 1879 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Martha was born in June 1858 in District 2, Greenup, Kentucky, United States and died after 1920.

1857 Birthblock for Martha (BROOKS) daughter of James and Susan (POWELL) Brooks

Martha (**BROOKS**) was born in District 2, Greenup, Kentucky, United States on 5 June 1857.

Date from the 1860 census states she was born 1857 in Kentucky.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1857 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1857 in Kentucky.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born June 1858 in Kentucky.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1857 in Kentucky.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1857 in Kentucky.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1858-1860 Family Move

From District 2, Greenup, Kentucky, United States to near Irondale Post Office, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States from 1858 to 1860. _

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1860 Federal Census age 3

Irondale Post Office, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 381, 30 June 1860, line 31, house 335, family 357

BROOKS, James w m 44; Susan w f 40; Angeline w f 17; Henrietta w f 14; William w m 9; James w m 6; Martha dau w f 3; **MERRILL**, Harry w m 30

[James born in Pennsylvania, Susan born in Virginia, Angeline and Henrietta born in Ohio, the rest in Kentucky. James is a collier. Living on previous page is daughter Jane (**BROOKS**) Key.]

1870 Federal Census age 13

Osage Post Office, Concord, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 55a, 2 July 1870, line 18, house 4, family 4

BROOKS, James w m 54; Susan w f 49; William w m 18; James w m 15; Martha w f 13; **MOOR**, James w m 8

[All born in Missouri. James is a farmer. A few doors down from Jasper and Jane (**BROOKS**) Key family.]

1879 Marriage of Henry W. A. Blanton and Martha (BROOKS)

[1] Crawford County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mr. Henry A Blanton Marriage Date:30 November 1879 Marriage County:Crawford

Spouse Name:Miss. Martha Brooks

1880 Federal Census age 23

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 407b, 12 June 1880, line 2, house 209, family 215

BLANTON, Martha head w f 23; Henry husband w m 21; **MOORE**, James laborer w m 18

[Martha born in Kentucky her father in Pennsylvania, her mother in Virginia. The rest born in Missouri as was their parents. Living next door to her parents James & Susan (_____) Brooks and in close proximity to Absalom & Clara (**KEY**) Blanton family.]

1880-1900 Death of parents; James and Susan (POWELL) Brooks

Not in the 1900 Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States census.

1900 Federal Census age 43

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 63b, 8 June 1900, line 87, house 129, family 129

BLANTON, Henry head w m born July 1858 age 41; Martha wife w f born June 1858 age 41; Annie G. dau w f born June 1882 age 17; Blanche L. dau w f born March 1885 age 15; Harry son w m born July 1889 age 10; Roy son w m born August 1891 age 8; Minnie J. dau w f born July 1894 age 5; Henry H. son w m born June 1897 age 2

[All were born in Missouri except Martha born in Kentucky, her father born in Pennsylvania and her mother born in Virginia. Henry's father born in Tennessee and his mother born in Missouri. Martha says they have been married for 19 years and she has had 7 children born and 7 are living. Henry is a laborer at the iron works. They are renting.]

1900-1910 Family Move

From Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States to Elvins City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint

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Francois, Missouri, United States

1908 Death of father-in-law; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton died in Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 21 January 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 53

Elvins City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 18 April 1910, line 58, house 56, family 68

BLANTON, Henry A. head w m 53; Martha wife w f 53; Harry L. son w m 22; Roy F. son w m 20; Henry H. son w m 15; Homer gson w m 4; **LEVEE**, Blanch dau w f 25

[All were born in Missouri except Martha born in Kentucky, her father born in Pennsylvania and her mother born in Virginia. Henry's parents born in Tennessee. Martha says they have been married once for 31 years and she has had 7 children born and 7 are living. Blanche is a widow. Henry and sons are miners at the lead mines. They are renting.]

1910 Death of mother-in-law; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 20 September 1910.

1910-1920 Family Move

From Elvins City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to

1920 Federal Census age 63

Central City, Quapaw Twp, Ottawa, Oklahoma, United States, page 147a, 29 January 1920, line 13, house 568. family 568

BLANTON, Henry A. head w m 63; Martha wife w f 63; Homer W. gson w m 14

[Henry was born in Missouri, his father in Tennessee, his mother in Missouri, Martha was born in Kentucky, her father in Pennsylvania, her mother in Virginia, Homer was born in Missouri as were his parents. Henry is a miner for a lead and zinc mine. They are renting.]

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Children from this marriage were:

+ 198 F i. **Annie G. Blanton** was born in June 1882 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

Annie married **Edward Boatright** on 6 June 1908 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

+ 199 F ii. **Blanche L. Blanton** was born in March 1885 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

Blanche married **Level** (d. 1900-1910).

+ 200 M iii. **Harry Blanton** was born on 30 July 1889 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

+ 201 M iv. **Roy Ernest Blanton** was born on 5 August 1890 in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States and died on 30 January 1946 in Alameda, California, United States at age 55.

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+ 202 F v. **Minnie I. Blanton** was born on 4 July 1894 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, died on 29 August 1959 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 65, and was buried on 1 September 1959 in Saint Paul's Churchyard, 7600 South Rock Hill Road, Afton, Saint Louis (county) Missouri, United States.

Minnie married **Albert Edward Nash** (d. 29 October 1954) on 8 October 1909 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

+ 203 M vi. **Henry H. Blanton** was born in June 1897 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

57. James Blanton (*Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 9 February 1861 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 11 June 1933 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 72, and was buried on 13 June 1933 in Woodlawn Cemetery, Leadington, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for James Blanton by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1861 Birthblock for James Blanton son of Henry Hubert and Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

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Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

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Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton was born near Rock Spring Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 26 August 1863.

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Between 1860-1875, Dr. John B. Bell was commissioned by the Union Army to give physicals to various men for application for a pension. These records are known as "The John B. Bell Manuscripts" and are housed in the library at the University of Missouri, Rolla, Mo. These

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Diagnosis: BC palpitation of the heart & and has had mine sickness & subject to epistaxis."

[Palpitation of the heart means that his heart beats at a rapid rate. He is listed next to his brothers Elbert S. and Alexander Blanton.]

1869 Childbirth of brother; Jesse Van Buren Blanton

Jesse Van Buren Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 August 1869.

1870 Federal Census age 9

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 20, house 111, family 111

BLANTON, Henry w m 29; Matilda w f 27; Henry A. w m 12; James w m 9; Wesely B. w m 6; Jesse w m 2

[All born in Missouri. Henry works on a farm. Living next door to Blantons.]

1871 Childbirth of brother; Wiley Blanton

Wiley Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1871.

1872 Death of grandfather; Abraham Absalom Blanton

Abraham Absalom Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

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1876 Childbirth of brother; William H. Blanton

William H. Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 April 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 19

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 7 June 1880, line 17, house 3, family 3

BLANTON, H.[Henry] H.[Hubert] head w m 43; M.[Matilda] J.[Jane] wife w f 40; James son w m 19; Valentine son w m 17; Jesse son w m 11; Wiley son w m 9; Edda son w m 7; William son w m 4

[All born in Missouri including parents, except Henry's father born in Kentucky his mother in Tennessee. Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. Henry is a farmer.]

1885-1887 Marriage of James Blanton and Ada Ava (HILL) or O'Neil

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1900 Federal Census age 39

Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 33a, 1 June 1900, house 6,
BLANTON, James head w m born February 1861 age 39; Ava wife w f born April 1865 age 35; Effie J. dau w f born November 1887 age 12; Ida dau w f born December 1889 age 11; Jesse son w m born August 1893 age 6; Howard son w m born September 1895 age 4; Irvin son w m born October 1898 age 1

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. James and Ava have been married for 17 years.]

1900-1910 Family Move

From Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States between 1900/1910.

1908 Death of father; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton died in Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 21 January 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 49

Elvin City, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 37, 20 April 1910, line , house 159

BLANTON, James head w m 49; Ada wife w f 44; Ida dau w f 20; Jesse son w m 18; Howard son w m 16; Irvan son w m 10; Esther dau w f 7

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. they have been married once for 25 years and Ada says she has had 7 children born and 6 are living. James is a fireman for the railroad.]

1910 Death of mother; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 20 September 1910.

1910-1920 Divorce of James Blanton and Ava or Ada C. (HILL) Blanton

It appears that James Blanton and Ada (**HILL**) Blanton got a divorce. James must have remarried and by the 1920 census he is listed as a widower and living with his daughter Ida. Ada we know married ____ O'Neil but we don't know when.]

1920 Federal Census age 59

1409 Tower Grove Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 181a, 19 January 1920, line , house 1409, family

JONES, Katherine w f roomer 40; **BLANTON, James** roomer w m 50; Ida roomer w f 24

[They were born in Missouri as was their parents. James is a widower. He is a laborer for a cabinet company. This appears to be a four family flat.]

1930 Federal Census age 69

Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 8b, 10 April 1930, line 64, house 175, family 181

BLANTON, James head w m 69; Ida dau w f 21

[All born in Missouri as was their parents, except James' father born in Tennessee. James was first married at age 21. James is a widow. Ida is single. James is a laborer and is renting.]

1933 Death of James Blanton

James Blanton died at Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United

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States on 11 June 1933.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #20878 James Blanton white widowed male born 9 February 1861 at Hamilton, Missouri to Henry Blanton [birthplace unknown] and Jane Pratt [birthplace unknown]. His spouse was Jane Blanton. He died on 11 June 1933 at Flat River, Saint Francois, Missouri. He was buried on 13 June 1933 at Woodlawn Cemetery. The informant was Ed Blanton Bios?, Saint Louis (city), Missouri.

[2] Date of 11 June 1933 from obituary.

[3] Date of 1933 from headstone.

[4] As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: _

[<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>](http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search)

James Blanton June 11, 1933 St. Francois 20878

1933 Burial of James Blanton

Woodlawn Cemetery, Leadington, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

Blanton, James 1860-1933

Blanton, Ida 1891-1937

1933 Obituary of James Blanton

Copy in Farmington Library, 108 West Harrison St., Farmington, MO 63640

James Blanton son of Mr. & Mrs Henry Blanton born 9 February 1861 at Hamilton and died at Flat River on 11 June 1933 at the age of 72 years, 4 months and 2days. Died at the Blanton home and buried at the Woodlawn Cemtery. Survived by his wife, and children Ida, Irvin, Mrs. Esther Cobb and Howard of Ray, Arizonia. Brothers, Edward of St. Louis and William of El Paso, Texas.

James married **Ava C. Hill**, daughter of **Benjamin F. "Ben" Hill** and **Sarah Ann Blanton**, from 1885 to 1887. Ava was born on 12 January 1870 near Osage Post Office, Harmony Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 13 October 1957 in 2847 Indiana Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 87, and was buried on 15 October 1957 in Woodlawn Cemetery, Leadington, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

1870 Birthblock for Ava or Ada C. (HILL) daughter of Benjamin F. "Ben" & Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Hill

Ava or Ada C. (HILL) was born near Osage Post Office, Harmony Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 January 1870.

Date from 1870 census states she was born January 1870 in Missouri.

Date from 1880 census states she was born 1870 in Missouri.

Date from 1900 census states she was born April 1865 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1866 in Missouri.

Date from 1920 census states she was born [not found]

Date from 1930 census states she was born [not found]

Date from 1940 census states she was born [not found]

Date from the death certificate states she was born 13 January 1862 in Sullivan, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states she was born [not found]

Date from the obituary states she was born January 13, 1862.

Research Note

Concerning her name, in the 1870 & 1880 census she is Ava C., in the 1900 census she is Ava, in the 1910 census, death certificate, and obituary she is listed as Ada. So, we really don't know

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what her parents intended. Concerning her birth, I would intend to believe her parents that she was born in January 1870 as indicated in the 1870 census. Where the 13 January 1862 date came from is strange, especially since her parents were married on 24 January 1869 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

1870 Federal Census age 4 months

Osage Post Office, Harmony Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 80b, 7 June 1870, line 39, house 176, family 116

HILL, Benjamin w m 27; Sarah A. w f 17; [page 81a] Ava C. w f 4mos born in January

[All born in Missouri. Benjamin works in a lead mine as a miner. Living a few doors down from brother John H. Hill and father Willam Hill.]

1880 Federal Census age 10

Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 61a, 11 June 1880, line 38, house 115, family 121

HILL, B.[Benjamin] F.[Franklin] head w m 39; Sarah wife w f 23; Ava C. dau w f 10;

George F. son w m 9; Laura J. dau w f 6; Arminta dau w f 3; William Jackson son w m 5mos born in December

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Sarah's father born in Tennessee. Benjamin is a laborer.]

1880-1900 Death of mother; Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Hill

Sarah Ann (**BLANTON**) Hill died in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after the 1880 census and before the 1900 census where her spouse is a widower.

1885-1887 Marriage James Blanton and Ava C. (HILL)

James Blanton and Ava C. (**HILL**) were married 1885-1887.

1900 Federal Census age 30

Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 33a, 1 June 1900, house 6,

BLANTON, James head w m born February 1861 age 39; Ava wife w f born April 1865 age

35; Effie J. dau w f born November 1887 age 12; Ida dau w f born December 1889 age 11;

Jesse son w m born August 1893 age 6; Howard son w m born September 1895 age 4; Irvin son w m born October 1898 age 1

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1910 Federal Census age 40

Elvin City, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 37, 20 April 1910, line , house 159

BLANTON, James head w m 49; Ada wife w f 44; Ida dau w f 20; Jesse son w m 18;

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1910-1920 Divorce of James Blanton and Ava or Ada C. (HILL) Blanton

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1913 Death of father; Benjamin F. "Ben" Hill

Benjamin F. "Ben" Hill died at Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 20 August 1913.

1920 Federal Census age 50

1930 Federal Census age 60

1937 Residence

Ava (**HILL**) Blanton was living in Valles Mines, Jefferson, Missouri, United States after 11 December 1937 according to the obituary of her daughter Ida (**BLANTON**).

1937-1957 Marriage of John O'Neal or O'Neil and Ava or Ada C. (HILL) Blanton

1940 Federal Census age 70

1957 Death of Ava or Ada C. (HILL) Blanton O'Neil

Ava or Ada C. (**HILL**) Blanton O'Neil died at 2847 Indiana Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 13 October 1957. _

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #37946
Ada O'Neil white female twice widowed was born 13 January 1862 in Sullivan, Missouri to Ben Hill and unknown mother. She died on 13 October 1957 at 2847 Indiana Ave., Saint Louis (city), Missouri. She was buried on 15 October 1957 at Flat River, Missouri. The informant was Mrs. Irvin Blanton, Flat River, Missouri.

[2] Date of 15 November 1957 from headstone.

[3] Headstone report from Farmington Public Library, 108 West Harrison Street, Farmington, MO 63640

Ava Blanton O'Neal born 12 January 1862 to Ben & Sarah Hill, died 15 November 1957. Married 1st Blanton 2nd O'Neal. Buried Woodlawn Cemetery.

[4] As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: _

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>> Ada Oneil October 13, 1957 St. Louis City 37946

1957 Burial of Ava or Ada C. (HILL) Blanton O'Neil

Woodlawn Cemetery, Leadington, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1957 Obituary of Ava or Ada C. (HILL) Blanton O'Neil

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Monday, October 15, 1957, Page 84 Bonne Terre, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

Mrs. Ada Blanton O'Neil Funeral to Be Tuesday

Funeral services for Mrs. Ada Blanton O'Neil of St. Louis will be conducted at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Raymond Caldwell and Son Funeral Home of Flat River. The Rev. Emerson Jones will be the officiating minister. Interment will be in the Woodlawn Cemetery. Ada Blanton O'Neil was born January 13, 1862 and died at her home in St. Louis, Sunday, October 13, being 94 years of age. She was the daughter of Sarah and Ben Hill. Survivors include the following children, Irvin Blanton of Flat River, Howard Blanton of Phoenix, Arizona and Mrs. Esther Mayhugh of Belleville, Illinois. Ten grandchildren also survive. The body is in state at the Raymond Caldwell and Son Funeral Home of Flat River.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 204 F i. **Effie J. Blanton** was born in November 1887 in Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 23 July 1930 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 42, and was buried on 30 July 1930 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.
- + 205 F ii. **Ida Blanton** was born on 26 December 1890 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 10 December 1937 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 46, and was buried on 11 December 1937 in Woodlawn Cemetery, Leadington, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 206 M iii. **Jesse Blanton** was born in August 1893 in Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 9 October 1918 in during World War 1 at age 25, and was buried on 9 October 1918 in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States.
- + 207 M iv. **Howard Browning Blanton Sr.** was born on 18 October 1894 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 8 September 1961 in Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, United States at age 66, and was buried on 12 September 1961 in Memory Lawn Memorial, Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, United States.

Howard married **Sarah Ann Coleman** (d. 11 November 1981) on 13 August 1915 in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.
- + 208 M v. **James Irvin Blanton** was born on 12 October 1898 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 24 December 1976 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 78, and was buried in December 1976 in Herod-Haile Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

James married **Cora Margaret "Maggie"** (d. 7 January 1966) from 1917 to 1918.
- + 209 F vi. **Esther Marie Blanton** was born on 4 April 1902 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died on 22 June 1972 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 70.

Esther married **Robert L. Cobb** on 3 August 1921 in 708 East Eighth Street, Kansas City, Kaw Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States.

Esther next married **Mayhugh**.

58. Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton (*Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 August 1863 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 24

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February 1926 in 4472 Vista Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 62, and was buried on 27 February 1926 in Valhalla Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

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1870 Federal Census age 7

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 20, house 111, family 111

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1880 Federal Census age 17

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 7 June 1880, line 17, house 3, family 3

BLANTON, H.[Henry] H.[Hubert] head w m 43; M.[Matilda] J.[Jane] wife w f 40; James son w m 19; Valentine son w m 17; Jesse son w m 11; Wiley son w m 9; Edda son w m 7; William son w m 4

[All born in Missouri including parents, except Henry's father born in Kentucky his mother in Tennessee. Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. Henry is a farmer.]

1886 Marriage of Wesley Valentine Blanton and Julia Ann H. (BENTON) Love Williams

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "D", Page 248:

W. V. Blanton and Julia A. Williams were married on 25 April 1886.

1891 Childbirth of daughter; Evelin "Effie" (BLANTON) (twin)

Evelin "Effie" (**BLANTON**) was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 15 May 1891.

1891 Childbirth of daughter; Elba (BLANTON) (twin)

Elba (**BLANTON**) was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 15 May 1891.

1900 Federal Census age 37

2014 Hereford Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 192a, 5 June 1900, line 43, house 2014, dwelling 28, family 33

BLANTON, William head w m born August 1862 age 38; Julia wife w f born October 1855 age 44; Mary B. dau w f born April 1880 age 20; Effe dau w f born May 1891 age 9; Elba dau w f

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born May 1891 age 9

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 14 years and Julia says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Wesley is a laborer and they are renting.]

1908 Death of father: Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton died in Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 21 January 1908.

1909 Death of spouse: Julia Ann H. (BENTON) Love Williams Blanton

Julia Ann H. (BENTON) Love Williams Blanton died in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 16 July 1909.

1910 Federal Census age 47

2260 Old Manchester Road, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 195b, 18 April 1910, line 80, house 2260, dwelling 17, family 17

BLANTON, Val head w m 46; Evelin dau w f 19

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Valentine's mother born in Tennessee. Valentine is a widower and is a fireman for a tobacco factory and is renting. Evelin is a house keeper.]

1910 Death of mother: Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton died in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 20 September 1910.

1920 Federal Census age 57

4229 Hunt Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 179a, 2 January 1920, line 32, house 4229, dwelling 7, family 10

BELANTON, Val head w m 55

[Val was born in Missouri as was their parents except his mother born in Tennessee. Valentine is a widower and is a fireman for a tobacco factory and is renting.]

1926 Death of Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton

Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton died at 4472 Vista Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 24 February 1926.

[1] Missouri State Board of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, File #6671

Wesley V. Blanton white widowed male born 26 August 1863 in Missouri to Henry H. Blanton and Jane Pratt both born in Missouri. He died 24 February 1926 at 4472 Vista Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. He was buried on 27 February 1926 at Valhalla Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

1926 Burial of Wesley Valentine "Val" Blanton

Valhalla Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States
on 27 February 1926.

Wesley married **Julia Ann H. Benton**, daughter of **Henry W. Benton** and **Nancy F. King**, on 25 April 1886 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Julia was born in October 1855 in Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 16 July 1909 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 53.

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1854 Birthblock for Julia Ann H. (BENTON) daughter of Henry and Nancy F. (KING) Benton

Julia Ann (**BENTON**) was born in Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on October 1855.

Date from the 1860 census states she was born 1854 in Kentucky.

Date from the 1870 census states she was born 1854 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1854 in Missouri. [with parents]

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1852 in Missouri. [with spouse]

Date from the 1900 census states she was born October 1855 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1854 Childbirth of brother; Elijah P. Benton

Elijah P. Benton was born in Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on Spetember 1857.

1860 Federal Census age 6

Cuba Post Office, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 139; line 9, house 927, family 921

BENTON, Henry w m 56; Nancy w f 47; James S. w m 24; John T. w m 12; Henry E. w m 11;

Nancy E. w f 8; Julian w f 6; Elijah P. w m 4; **BROWN**, Darcus w f 18

[Henry was born in Missouri the rest in Kentucky. Henry is a farmer.]

1861 Childbirth of sister; Sarah E. (BENTON)

Sarah E. (**BENTON**) was born near Cuba Post Office, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1861.

1870 Federal Census age 16

Cuba Post Office, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 646a, 25 August 1870, line 10, house 65, family 65

BENTON, Henry w m 65; Nancy F. w f 54; James S. w m 31; Nancy E. w f 18; Julia H. w f

16; Elijah P. w m 14; Sarah E. w f 9

[All were born in Missouri except Nancy was born in Kentucky. Henry is a farmer. Living next door to son, Henry E. Benton.]

1872 Marriage Hannibal Jasper Love and Julia Ann H. (BENTON)

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book Page

Hannibal Jasper Love and Julia Ann Benton were married 1872.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

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Name:Lucker Love Marriage Date:8 Dec 1872 Marriage County:Crawford Spouse Name:Miss. Julia Benton

1874 Childbirth of son; Henry Eligh Love

Henry Eligh Love was born in Spring Creek Twp, Maries, Missouri, United States in 22 November 1874.

1878 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Belle (LOVE)

Mary Belle (LOVE) was born in Spring Creek Twp, Maries, Missouri, United States in 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 26

Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 71a, 14 June 1880, line 37, house 157, family 162

BENTON, Henry head w m 75; Nancy wife w f 64; **KING**, Rhoda mother-in-law w f 90;

BENTON, James gson w m 10; **LOVE**, Julia dau w f 26; Belle gdau w f 2

[Henry was born in Missouri his parents in South Carolina, Nancy was born in Kentucky as were her parents, Rhoda was born in Kentucky, her father in England her mother in Virginia, James was born in Missouri his father in Missouri, his mother in Arkansas, Julia was born in Missouri her father in Missouri her mother in Kentucky, Belle was born in Missouri, her father in Tennessee her mother in Missouri. Rhoda is a widow. Henry is a farmer. Living next door to Sweeny Benton, Jane Benton, Elijah Benton.]

1880 Federal Census age 26

Spring Creek Twp, Maries, Missouri, United States, page 119d, 24 June 1880, line 42, house 181, family 192

LOVE, H.[Hannibal] J.[Jasper] head w m 35; Julia A. wife w f 28; Henry E. son w m 6; Mary B.[Belle] dau w f 2; Dialtha mother w f 66

[H. J. was born in Tennessee as were his parents, Julia was born in Missouri her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri. The children were born in Missouri their father in Tennessee their mother in Missouri. Dialtha was born in Tennessee her father in North Carolina her mother in Tennessee. Hannibal is a wood chopper. He also has one leg.]

1881 Death of spouse; Hannibal Jasper Love

Hannibal Jasper Love died in Spring Creek Twp, Maries, Missouri, United States on 12 May 1881.

1884 Marriage of Thomas J. Williams and Julia Ann H. (BENTON) Love

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Book Volume "D" 1880-1889 page
Thomas J. Williams and Julia Ann Love were married 8 December 1884.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Thos J Williams of Springfield, Green County, Missouri Marriage Date:8 December 1884
Marriage Location:Steelsville, Crawford, MO Marriage County:Crawford Spouse Name:Julia A Gove of Midland, Crawford County, Missouri

1884-1886 Death or divorce of Thomas J. Williams and Julia Ann H. (BENTON) Love Williams

1886 Marriage of Wesley Valentine Blanton and Julia Ann H. (BENTON) Love Williams

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "D", Page 248:

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W. V. Blanton and Julia A. Williams were married on 25 April 1886.

1891 Childbirth of daughter; Evelin "Effie" (BLANTON) (twin)

Evelin "Effie" (BLANTON) was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 15 May 1891.

1891 Childbirth of daughter; Elba (BLANTON) (twin)

Elba (BLANTON) was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 15 May 1891.

1897 Death of mother-in-law; Dialthea Perry (ARMSTRONG) Love

Dialthea Perry (ARMSTRONG) Love died in Spring Creek Twp, Maries, Missouri, United States on 5 August 1897.

1900 Federal Census age 46

2014 Hereford Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 192a, 5 June 1900, line 43, house 2014, dwelling 28, family 33

BLANTON, William head w m born August 1862 age 38; Julia wife w f born October 1855 age 44; Mary B. dau w f born April 1880 age 20; Efie dau w f born May 1891 age 9; Elba dau w f born May 1891 age 9

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 14 years and Julia says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Wesly is a laborer and they are renting.]

1908 Death of father-in-law; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton died in Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 21 January 1908.

1909 Death of Julia Ann H. (BENTON) Love Williams Blanton

Julia Ann H. (BENTON) Love Williams Blanton died in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 16 July 1909. [needs verification]

1909 Burial of Julia Ann H. (BENTON) Love Williams Blanton

Children from this marriage were:

+ 210 F i. **Evelin "Effie" Blanton** was born on 15 May 1891 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

Evelin married **Thomas "Tom" Kelly**.

+ 211 F ii. **Elba Blanton** was born on 15 May 1891 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

59. Jesse Van Buren Blanton (*Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 11 August 1869 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 20 July 1911 in Vandeventer & Kentucky Ave., St. Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 41, and was buried on 23 July 1911 in Edwards Cemetery, Pasty, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

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1869 Birthblock for Jesse Van Buren Blanton son of Henry Hubert and Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Jesse Van Buren Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 11 August 1869.

Date from the 1870 census states he was born 1868 in Missouri.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1869 in Missouri.

Date from the 1898 U.S. Army, Register of Enlistments states he was born 1868 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born August 1871 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born 11 August 1869 in Missouri.

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born Aug. 11, 1869

Date from the obituary states he was born

1870 Federal Census age 2

Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 98b, 17 August 1870, line 20, house 111, family 111

BLANTON, Henry w m 29; Matilda w f 27; Henry A. w m 12; James w m 9; Wesely B. w m 6; Jesse w m 2

[All born in Missouri. Henry works on a farm. Living next door to Blantons.]

1871 Childbirth of brother; Wiley Blanton

Wiley Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1871.

1872 Death of grandfather; Abraham Absalom Blanton

Abraham Absalom Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

[1] Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322. [There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a landowner and businessman with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1874 Childbirth of brother; Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton

Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1874.

1876 Childbirth of brother; William H. Blanton

William H. Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on

28 April 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 12

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Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 7 June 1880, line 17, house 3, family 3

BLANTON, H.[Henry] H.[Hubert] head w m 43; M.[Matilda] J.[Jane] wife w f 40; James son w m 19; Valentine son w m 17; Jesse son w m 11; Wiley son w m 9; Edda son w m 7; William son w m 4

[All born in Missouri including parents, except Henry's father born in Kentucky his mother in Tennessee. Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. Henry is a farmer.]

1898 U.S. Army, Register of Enlistments, 1798-1914

Name:Jesse V Blanton Birthyear:abt 1868 Birthplace:Missouri, United States Enlistment Age:29 9/12 at Steelville, Mo. Discharged 25 April 1899 at San Juan

1900 Federal Census age 32

4367 Vista Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 35b, 5 June 1900, line 65, house 73, family 92

REICHARDT, Charles head w m born January 1869 age 31; Annie wife w f born November 1871 age 29; Racine dau w f born February 1889 age 11; Harry son w m born September 1892 age 7; Barnett son w m born November 1894 age 5; **BLANTON**, Jessie boarder w m born August 1871 age 28; **BUCHARD**, Will boarder w m September 1882 age 17

[Charles was born in Pennsylvania as were his parents, Annie was born in Missouri as were her parents, Racine was born in Kansas, her father in Pennsylvania, her mother in Missouri, the next two were born in Missouri, their father in Pennsylvania their mother in Missouri, Jesse was born in Missouri his father in Tennessee his mother in Missouri, Will was born in Illinois as were his parents. They have been married for 11 years and Annie says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Charles is a city ?, Jesse is a fireman, and will is a day laborer. They are renting.]

1900 Marriage of Jesse Van Buren Blanton and Nellie Zerenia Della (EDWARDS)

[1] Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "F", page 214

Jesse V. Blanton and Nellie Edwards were married on 20 December 1900. GS#914149

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mr. Jenet Blanton [Jesse Van Buren Blanton] Marriage Date:20 Dec 1901 Marriage

Location:Crawford, Missouri Marriage County:Crawford Spouse Name:Miss. Nellie Edwards

1901 Childbirth of daughter; Bertha Ann (BLANTON)

Bertha Ann (**BLANTON**) was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 28 October 1901 and died in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 11 February 1902. _

1901 Childbirth of son; Lloyd Jesse Blanton

Lloyd Jesse Blanton was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 27 January 1903._

1908 Death of father; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton died in Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 21 January 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 42

Courtois Twp,Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 42a (Wife Only)

1910 Death of mother; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

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Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 20 September 1910.

1911 Death of Jesse Van Buren Blanton

Jesse Van Buren Blanton died at Vandeventer & Kentucky Ave., St. Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 20 July 1911.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, File #26669

Jesse Blanton was born 11 Aug 1869 in Missouri and died 20 Jul 1911 at Vandeventer & Kentucky Ave., St. Louis, Missouri. His parents are Henry H. Blanton and Matilda Pratt both born in Missouri. He was buried 23 July 1911 at Steelville, Crawford Co., Missouri. The informant was the Coroner's office.

Research Note

Since Jesse is not with his family in the 1910 census, and I can not locate him in the 1910 census and he died in 1911, then it appears he was ill and was separated from his family and probably hospitalized. I googled the location of his death at Vandeventer and Kentucky Avenue and the sources said that the Vertern Administration bought the property in 1947. What was located in that area during 1911 is unknown. Checking the old 1911 city directories of Saint Louis might reveal what was at that location during his death. His death certificate states he died of heart disease and was treated by a Dr. Clement Schnuser at 713 Vandeventer Avenue. However, the informant on the death certificate was the coroner; T. L. Carriet M.D.

1911 Burial of Jesse Van Buren Blanton

Edwards Cemetery, Pasty, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

FAG# 87631372

Jesse V Blanton Birth: Aug. 11, 1869 Death: Jul. 20, 1911 Husband of Nellie Edwards Burial: Edwards Cemetery Cuba Crawford County Missouri, USA Created by: Kristy Schultz Record added: Mar 29, 2012

Jesse married **Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth Edwards**, daughter of **Samuel Taylor Edwards** and **Julia Ann Williams**, on 20 December 1900 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Nellie was born on 23 August 1876 near Lacrosse Post Office, Conway Twp, Izard, Arkansas, United States, died on 5 December 1955 in Phelps County Memorial Hospital, Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States at age 79, and was buried on 8 December 1955 in Edwards Cemetery, Pasty, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

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1876 Birthblock of Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth (EDWARDS) daughter of Samuel Taylor and Julia Ann (WILLIAMS) Edwards

Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth (**EDWARDS**) was born near Lacrosse Post Office, Conway

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Twp, Izard, Arkansas, United States on 23 August 1876.
Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1877 in Arkansas.
Date from the 1900 census states she was born August 1876 in Arkansas.
Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1880 in Arkansas.
Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1878 in Arkansas.
Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1878 in Missouri.
Date from the 1940 census states she was born 1877 in Missouri.
Date from the death certificate states she was born
Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born
Date from the funeral home records states she was born
Date from the headstone states she was born Aug. 23, 1876
Date from the obituary states she was born

1878 Childbirth of brother; George Robert Edwards

George Robert Edwards was born near Lacrosse Post Office, Conway Twp, Izard, Arkansas, United States in October 1878.

1879-1880 Family Move

From near Lacrosse Post Office, Conway Twp, Izard, Arkansas, United States to Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

1880 Federal Census age 6

Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 44d, 22 June 1880, line 1, house 170, family 171

EDWARDS, Samuel T. head w m 38; Julia wife w f 27; Nella E. dau w f 6; George R. son w m 1

[Samuel was born in Tennessee his father in North Carolina his mother in Tennessee, Julia was born in Arkansas her parents in Kentucky, the rest born in Arkansas their father in Tennessee, their mother in Arkansas. Samuel is a farmer.]

1900 Federal Census age 26

Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 39a, 9 June 1900, line , house 104, family **EDWARDS**, Samuel T. head w m born February 1842 age 58; Julia A. wife w f born January 1850 age 50; Nellie dau w f born August 1876 age 23; Robert H. T. son w m born October 1878 age 21

[Samuel was born in Tennessee his father in North Carolina his mother in Tennessee, Julia was born in Arkansas her parents in Kentucky, the rest born in Arkansas their father in Tennessee, their mother in Arkansas. They have been married for 29 years and Julia says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Samuel is a farmer.]

1900 Marriage of Jesse Van Buren Blanton and Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth (EDWARDS)

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1901 Childbirth of daughter; Bertha Ann (BLANTON)

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Bertha Ann (**BLANTON**) was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 28 October 1901 and died in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 11 February 1902. _

- **1901 Childbirth of son; Lloyd Jesse Blanton**

Lloyd Jesse Blanton was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 27 January 1903._

- **1906 Death of father; Samuel Taylor Edwards**

Samuel Taylor Edwards died in Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 2 September 1906.

- **1908 Death of father-in-law; Henry Hubert Blanton**

Henry Hubert Blanton died in Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 21 January 1908.

- **1910 Federal Census age 36**

Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 42a, 28 April 1910, house 184

EDWARDS, Julia A. head w f 60; **BLANTON**, Nellie E. dau w f 30; Loyd gson w m 7

[Julia was born in Arkansas her parents in Kentucky, Nellie was born in Arkansas her father in Tennessee, their mother in Arkansas, Lloyd was born in Missouri as was his father his motehr in Arkansas. Julia is a widow. Nellie has been married for 9 years.]

1910 Death of mother-in-law; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Matilda Jane "Janie" (**PRATT**) Blanton died in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 20 September 1910.

1911 Death of spouse; Jesse Van Buren Blanton

Jesse Van Buren Blanton died at Vandeventer & Kentucky Ave., St. Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 20 July 1911.

Research Note

Since Jesse is not with his family in the 1910 census, and I can not locate him in the 1910 census and he died in 1911, then it appears he was ill and was seperated from his family and probably hospitalized. I googled the location of his death at Vandeventer and Kentucky Avenue and the sources said that the Vertern Administration bought the property in 1947. What was located in that area during 1911 is unknown. Checking the old 1911 city directories of Saint Louis might reveal what was at that location during his death. His death certificate states he died of heart disease and was treated by a Dr. Clement Schnuser at 713 Vandeventer Avenue. Hoiwever, the informant on the death certificate was the coroner; T. L. Carriet M.D.

1917 Marriage of Patrick "Paddy" J. McCoy and Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth (EDWARDS) Blanton

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mrs Nellie Blanton Marriage Date:28 Jul 1917 Marriage Location:Steelville, Crawford, Missouri Marriage County:Crawford Spouse Name:Mr Paddy McCoy

1920 Federal Census age 46

Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 181a, 2 January 1920, line 35, farm 8, family 8

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McCoy, Patrick J. head w m 29; Nellie Z. wife w f 42; Beatrice M. dau w f 10; Roydus Z. son w m 6; Patrick S. son w m 8mos

[Paddy was born in Missouri as was his parents, Nellie was born in Arkansas her father in Tennessee, their mother in Arkansas, the rest were born in Missouri as were their parents. Paddy is a farmer and is renting. Living next door to mother-in-law; Julia Ann (**WILLIAMS**) Edwards and Nellie's son; Lloyd Blanton.]

1930 Federal Census age 56

Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 195b, 26 April 1930, line 97, house 217, family 216

McCOY, Paddy J. head w m 39; Nellie wife w f 52; Roduis son w m 15; Stanley son w m 11
[All were born in Missouri as was their parents except Nellie's mother was born in Arkansas. Paddy was first married at age 18, Nellie at age 22. Paddy is a blacksmith at the lead mines. Living next door to mother-in-law; Julia Ann (**WILLIAMS**) Edwards]

1931 Death of mother: Julia Ann (WILLIAMS) Edwards

Julia Ann (**WILLIAMS**) Edwards died in Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 13 October 1931.

1930-1935 Divorce of Patrick "Paddy" J. McCoy and Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth (EDWARDS) Blanton McCoy

1935 Residency in Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 66

Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 129b, 14 May 1940, line 55, house

McCOY, Nellie head w f 63; Stanley son w m 25; Noama daughter-in-law w f 20

[All born in Missouri. Nellie is a widow. Stanley does farming and they are renting.]

1955 Death of Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth (EDWARDS) Blanton McCoy

Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth (**EDWARDS**) Blanton McCoy died at Phelps County Memorial Hospital, Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States on 5 December 1955.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #37734

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Nellie Elizabeth McCoy December __, 1955 Phelps 37734

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1955 Burial of Nellie Zerenia Della Elizabeth (EDWARDS) Blanton McCoy

Edwards Cemetery, Pasty, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

FAG# 87631441

Nellie E McCoy Birth: Aug. 23, 1876 Death: Dec. 5, 1955 Burial: Edwards Cemetery Cuba Crawford County Missouri, USA Created by: Kristy Schultz Record added: Mar 29, 2012

Children from this marriage were:

- + 212 F i. **Bertha Ann Blanton** was born on 28 October 1901 in Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 11 February 1902 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, and was buried in February 1902 in Edwards Cemetery, Pasty, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 213 M ii. **Lloyd Jesse Blanton** was born on 27 January 1903 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri,

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United States, died on 20 May 1956 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 53, and was buried on 23 May 1956 in Liberty Cemetery, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Lloyd married **Frances Eliza "Fannie" Brown** (d. 19 April 1963) on 9 October 1924 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

60. Wiley Blanton (*Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in 1871 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1880 to 1900 in Washington, Missouri, United States at age 9.

1871 Birthblock for Wiley Blanton son of Henry Hubert and Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Wiley Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1871.

1872 Death of grandfather; Abraham Absalom Blanton

Abraham Absalom Blanton died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 March 1872.

[1] Date and place stated in the Deed of Washington, Missouri, United States Deed Record Book "U", page 322. [There should be an article about him in the Sullivan or Potosi newspapers at that time. As a landowner and businessman with one of the largest mansions in the Washington County area, and he employed a great many of the locals, he was a man of importance and his death should not have gone unnoticed by the local community.-Floyd Thomas Pratt]

1874 Childbirth of brother; Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton

Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1874.

1876 Childbirth of brother; William H. Blanton

William H. Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 April 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 8

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 7 June 1880, line 17, house 3, family 3

BLANTON, H.[Henry] H.[Hubert] head w m 43; M.[Matilda] J.[Jane] wife w f 40; James son w m 19; Valentine son w m 17; Jesse son w m 11; Wiley son w m 9; Edda son w m 7; William son w m 4

[All born in Missouri including parents, except Henry's father born in Kentucky his mother in Tennessee. Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. Henry is a farmer.]

1880-1900 Death of Wiley Blanton

61. Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton (*Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 3 April 1874 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 2 October 1963 at age 89, and was buried in October 1963 in Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

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1874 Birthblock for Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton son of Henry Hubert and Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 3 April 1874.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1873 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born April 1872 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1874 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born :3 April 1874

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1875 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1874 in Missouri.

Date from the 1940 census states he was born 1874 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born April 3, 1874

Date from the SSDI states he was born 3 April 1874

Date from the obituary states he was born

1876 Childbirth of brother; William H. Blanton

William H. Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on

28 April 1876.

1880 Federal Census age 6

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 7 June 1880, line 17, house 3, family 3

BLANTON, H.[Henry] H.[Hubert] head w m 43; M.[Matilda] J.[Jane] wife w f 40; James son w m 19; Valentine son w m 17; Jesse son w m 11; Wiley son w m 9; Edda son w m 7; William son w m 4

[All born in Missouri including parents, except Henry's father born in Kentucky his mother in Tennessee. Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. Henry is a farmer.]

1880-1900 Family Move

From Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States

1900 Federal Census age 26

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 6a, 7 June 1900, house 84,

BLANTON, Edward boarder w m born April 1872 age 23

[Born in Missouri as was his parents. Edward is single.]

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1900 Marriage of Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton and Rebecca Ann "Becky" (EDWARDS)

[1] Dent County, Missouri Marriage Record Book page
Charles E. Blanton of Sligo and Rebecca A. Edwards of Sligo were married 8 June 1900.

1904 Childbirth of daughter; Dema G. (BLANTON)

Dema G. (BLANTON) was born in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1904.

1906 Childbirth of daughter; Eva Pauline (BLANTON)

Eva Pauline (BLANTON) was born in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 15 January 1906.

1908 Death of father; Henry Hubert Blanton

Henry Hubert Blanton died in Steelville City, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 21 January 1908.

1908 Childbirth of daughter; Della Mae (BLANTON)

Della Mae (BLANTON) was born in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 36

Shortbend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 216a, 27 April 1910, line 11, house 191, family 191

BLANTON, Edward C. head w m 36; Rebecca A. wife w f 36; Dema G. dau w f 6; Eva P. dau w f 4; Della M. dau w f 2; Matilda J. mother w f 69

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Rebecca's father born in Illinois and her mother in Kentucky, Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years and Rebecca says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Matilda is a widow and says she has had 9 children born and 6 are living. Edward is a moulder of iron and they are renting.]

1910 Death of mother; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton died in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 20 September 1910.

1910-1918 Family Move

From Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States to Midco, Pike Twp, Carter, Missouri, United States

Midco

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Additional help, Mrs. Eunice Pennington

1918 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Charles Edward Blanton City: Midco County: Carter State: Missouri Birth Date: 3 Apr 1874 Race: White Roll: 1683157 9 Sep 1918

1920 Federal Census age 46

Pike Twp, Carter, Missouri, United States, page 263a, 3 January 1920, line 35, house 68, family 71

BLANTON, Edward head w m 45; Rebeca wife w f 44; Dema dau w f 15; Pauline dau w f 13; Della dau w f 11

[Edward and Rebecca were born in Missouri their parents born in the US, the children born in Missouri as were their parents. They are renting. Edward is a laborer unloading iron.]

1920-1930 Family Move

From Pike Twp, Carter, Missouri, United States to 4560 Swan Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1930 Federal Census age 56

4560 Swan Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 102a, 8 April 1930, line 20, house 4560, dwelling 55, family 68

BLANTON, Edward head w m 56; Rebecca wife w f 54; Pauline dau w f 24; Della dau w f 21

[All born in Missouri as were their parents. Edward was first married at age 26, Rebecca at age 24. Edward is a ? tender at a iron foundry. They are renting.]

1935 Residency at 4344 Swan Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 66

4344 Swan Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 3858a, 10 April 1940, line 27, house 238

BLANTON, Ed head w m 66; Rebecca wife w f 64; Pauline dau w f 34

[All born in Missouri. Ed is a laborer for the iron works. They are renting.] _

1963 Death of Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton

Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton died in ?? on 2 October 1963.

1963 Burial of Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton

Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States

Social Security Death Index

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Name: Charles Blanton SSN: 488-03-9831 Last Residence: Missouri Born: 3 Apr 1874 Died: Oct 1963

FAG# 92551230

Charles Edward Blanton Birth: Apr. 3, 1874 Death: Oct. 2, 1963 Note: Employee Sligo Furnace, Midco & Banner Iron Works, St. Louis, MO Burial: Sligo Cemetery Sligo Dent County Missouri, USA Created by: Diana Berkel Record added: Jun 25, 2012

Charles married **Rebecca Ann "Becky" Edwards**, daughter of **David Henry Edwards** and **Mary Ellen Hammonds**, on 8 June 1900 in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States. Rebecca was born on 18 February 1874 in Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 13 October 1963 at age 89, and was buried in October 1963 in Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Rebecca Ann "Becky" (EDWARDS) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1874 Birthblock of Rebecca Ann "Becky" (EDWARDS) daughter of David Henry and Mary Ellen (HAMMONDS) Edwards

Rebecca Ann "Becky" (EDWARDS) was born in Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 18 February 1874. _

Date from the 1880 census states she was born 1874 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born February 1874 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1874 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1876 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1876 in Missouri.

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Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born Feb. 18, 1876

Date from the SSDI states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1876 Childbirth of sister: Lucy E. (EDWARDS)

Lucy E. (EDWARDS) was born in Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1876.

1878 Childbirth of sister: Athenia J. (EDWARDS)

Athenia J. (EDWARDS) was born in Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 1878.

1880 Federal Census age 6

Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page

EDWARDS, David head w m 30; E. Mary wife w f 25; A. Rebeca dau w f 6; E. Leucy dau w f 4; J. Athenia dau w f 2

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[All born in Missouri except E. Mary born in Kentucky. David's parents born in Illinois, Mary's father born in Kentucky her mother born in Illinois, the children's father born in Missouri their mother born in Kentucky. David is a farmer.]

1883 Childbirth of sister; Margaret C. (EDWARDS)

Margaret C. (EDWARDS) was born in Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on June 1883.

1886 Childbirth of brother; John H. Edwards

John H. Edwards was born in Union Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on February 1886.

1896 Death of mother; Mary Ellen (HAMMONDS) Edwards

Mary Ellen (HAMMONDS) Edwards died at 3840 Page Avenueue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 6 February 1896.

1896 Father's marriage David Henry Edwards and Sarah C. (WALLEN) Ashlock

Widower David Henry Edwards and widow Sarah C. (WALLEN) Ashlock were married circa 1896.

1900 Federal Census age 26

Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 61b, 7 June 1900, house 86, :
EDWARDS, David head w m born June 1851 age 48; Sarah wife w f born February 1859 age 41; Rebecca A. dau w f born February 1874 age 26; Margaret C. dau w f born June 1883 age 16; John H. son w m born February 1886 age 14; **ASLOCK**, Jesse C. step-son w m born May 1886 age 14; **HAMMONDS**, Charles nephew w m born June 1876 age 23; Thomas H. nephew w m born January 1881 age 19

[David was born in Illinois as were his parents, Sartah was born in Missouri her parents in Kentucky, Rebecca, Margaret and John were born in Missouri their father in Illinois their mother in Kentucky, Jesse was born in Missouri as were his parents, Charles was born in Kentucky as were his parents and Thomas was born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky. David is a butcher, Jesse is a teamster. They have been married for 4 years.]

Research Note

It appears that David's house was full of visitors probably in anticipation of Rebecca's marriage the next day.

1900 Marriage of Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton and Rebecca Ann "Becky" (EDWARDS)

[1] Dent County, Missouri Marriage Record Book page
Charles E. Blanton of Sligo and Rebecca A. Edwards of Sligo were married 8 June 1900.

1904 Childbirth of daughter; Dema G. (BLANTON)

Dema G. (BLANTON) was born in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 27 March 1904.

1906 Childbirth of daughter; Eva Pauline (BLANTON)

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1910 Death of mother-in-law; Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton died in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 20 September 1910.

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1918 Spouse's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Charles Edward Blanton City:Midco County:Carter State:Missouri Birth Date:3 Apr 1874 Race:White Roll:1683157 9 Sep 1918

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1920 Federal Census age 46

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1920-1930 Family Move

From Pike Twp, Carter, Missouri, United States to 4560 Swan Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1930 Federal Census age 56

4560 Swan Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 102a, 8 April 1930, line 20, house 4560, dwelling 55, family 68

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1930 Death of step-mother; Sarah C. (WALLEN) Ashlock Edwards

Sarah C. (WALLEN) Ashlock Edwards died in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 1 July 1930.

1933 Death of father; David Henry Edwards

David Henry Edwards died in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 29 January 1933.

1935 Residency at 4344 Swan Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 66

4344 Swan Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 3858a, 10 April 1940, line 27, house 238

BLANTON, Ed head w m 66; Rebecca wife w f 64; Pauline dau w f 34

[All born in Missouri. Ed is a laborer for the iron works. They are renting.] _

1963 Death of spouse; Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton

Charles Edward "Eddy" Blanton died in ?? on 2 October 1963.

1963 Death of Rebecca Ann "Becky" (EDWARDS) Blanton

Rebecca Ann (EDWARDS) Blanton died in ?? on 13 October 1963.

1963 Burial of Rebecca Ann "Becky" (EDWARDS) Blanton

Sligo Cemetery, Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States

FAG# 92551231

Rebecca Ann Blanton Birth: Feb. 18, 1876 Death: Oct. 13, 1963 Burial: Sligo Cemetery Sligo Dent County Missouri, USA Created by: Diana Berkel Record added: Jun 25, 2012

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 214 F i. **Dema G. Blanton** was born on 27 March 1904 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States and died on 24 October 2004 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 100.
Dema married **John "Jack" Williams** (d. 25 August 1979).
- + 215 F ii. **Eva Pauline Blanton** was born on 15 January 1906 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States and died in May 1991 at age 85.
- + 216 F iii. **Della Mae Blanton** was born in 1908 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, died in 1999 at age 91, and was buried in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.
Della married someone **Edmond F. Boyér** (d. 1981) on 8 June 1935 in Hillsboro, Central Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

62. William Blanton (*Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 28 April 1876 in Hamilton Hollow, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 19 July 1944 in Max C. Starkloff Memorial Hospital, 2220 Lemp Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 68, and was buried on 22 July 1944 in Concordia Luthern Cemetery, 4209 Bates Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

1876 Birthblock for William Blanton son of Henry Hubert and Matilda Jane "Janie" (PRATT) Blanton

William Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on
28 April 1876.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1876 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born

Date from the 1910 census states he was born

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born

Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from the 1940 census states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born 28 April 1871 in Crawford County, Missouri.

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the SSDI states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1880 Federal Census age 4

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 7 June 1880, line 17, house 3, family 3

BLANTON, H.[Henry] H.[Hubert] head w m 43; M.[Matilda] J.[Jane] wife w f 40; James son w m 19; Valentine son w m 17; Jesse son w m 11; Wiley son w m 9; Edda son w m 7; William son w m 4

[All born in Missouri including parents, except Henry's father born in Kentucky his mother in Tennessee. Matilda's parents born in Tennessee. Henry is a farmer.]

1900 Federal Census age 24

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1910 Federal Census age 34

1920 Federal Census age 44

?? Marriage of William Blanton and Anna ()

?? Death of spouse; Anna () Blanton

1930 Federal Census age 54

1935 Residency in Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States

?? 1940 Federal Census age 64

418 Saint George Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

Name:William Blanton Age:68 Estimated Birth Year:abt 1872 Gender:Male Race:White

Birthplace:Missouri Marital Status:Widowed Relation to Head of House:Lodger Home in

1940:St Louis, Street:St George House Number:418 Inferred Residence in 1935:Rural, St

Francis, Missouri Residence in 1935:Rural, St Francis, Missouri Resident on farm in 1935:No

Sheet Number:4B Occupation:Switchman Industry:Car Building Attended School or

College:No Highest Grade Completed:Elementary school, 1st grade Duration of

Unemployment:12 Class of Worker:Wage or salary worker in private work Weeks Worked in

1939:8 Income:212 Income Other Sources:No

Freda T Schuler 46; Merrill E Fitzwater 32; Thomas Wagner 47; William A Bruegemann 43;

John H Wothughter 60; Hal H Glass 46; Fred Kortman 63; Levi Johnson 36; Frank Orman 56;

Jesse Cooksey 47; Burton W Fultr 57; John Bernett 62; **BLANTON**, William w m 68; John G

Hildebrand 53

1944 Death of William Blanton

William Blanton died at Max C. Starkloff Memorial Hospital, 2220 Lemp Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 19 July 1944.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #22839

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: William Blanton July __, 1944 St. Louis City St. Louis City 22839

[<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>](http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search)

1944 Burial of William Blanton

Concordia Luthern Cemetery, 4209 Bates Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

William married **Anna**.

63. Charles W. "Charley" Blanton (*William Wesley*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1868 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died in 1881 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 13.

1868 Birthblock of Charles W. "Charley" Blanton son of William Wesley and Mary Ann (BLANTON) Blanton

Charles W. "Charley" Blanton was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1868.

1870 Federal Census age 2

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Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 99a, 17 August 1870, line 5, house 114, family 114

BLANTON, William w m 30; Mary A.. w f 24; Charles W. w m 2

[All born in Missouri. William is a day lanborer. Living next door to father and brothers.]

1872 Childbirth of sister; Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

Sarah Ann (**BLANTON**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 27 November 1872.

1873 Childbirth of sister; Bethany (BLANTON)

Bethany (**BLANTON**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1873.

1873-1876 Family Move

From near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1876 Childbirth of sister; Katherine Jane "Jennie" (BLANTON)

Katherine Jane "Jennie" (**BLANTON**) was born Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States in 5 April 1876.

1879 Childbirth of brother; Luther "Joker" Blanton

Luther "Joker" Blanton was born near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 21 November 1879.

1880 Federal Census age 12

Village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 454a, 1 June 1880, line 47, house 7, family 8

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m 47; Maryan wife w f 34; Charles son w m 12; Sarah A.. dau w f 10; Bethinia dau w f 7; Jennie dau w f 5; Luther son w m 7months

[All born in Missouri as was thier parents except Mary Ann's parents born in Kentucky. William is a laborer.]

1881 Death of Charles W. "Charley" Blanton

Charles W. "Charley" Blanton died near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or in Boone Terre in 1881.

64. Sarah Ann Blanton (*William Wesley², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 27 November 1872 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 25 December 1953 in 518 North Pine, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried on 27 December 1953 in Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

1872 Birthblock of Sarah Ann (BLANTON) daughter of William Wesley and Mary Ann (BLANTON) Blanton

Sarah Ann (**BLANTON**) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 27 November 1872.

1873 Childbirth of sister; Bethany (BLANTON)

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1879 Childbirth of brother; Luther "Joker" Blanton

Luther "Joker" Blanton was born near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 21 November 1879.

1880 Federal Census age 8

Village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 454a, 1 June 1880, line 47, house 7, family 8

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m 47; Maryan wife w f 34; Charles son w m 12; Sarah A. dau w f 10; Bethinia dau w f 7; Jennie dau w f 5; Luther son w m 7months

[All born in Missouri as was thier parents except Mary Ann's parents born in Kentucky. William is a laborer.]

1881 Death of brother; Charles W. "Charley" Blanton

Charles W. "Charley" Blanton died near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or in Boone Terre in 1881.

1883 Death of sister; Bethany (BLANTON)

Bethany (**BLANTON**) died near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or in Boone Terre in 1883.

1884 Childbirth of brother; William Robert General Lee Blanton

William Robert General Lee Blanton was born near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 30 April 1884.

1884-1900 Family Move

From near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census age 28

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9a, 6 June 1900, line 73, house 160, family 165

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m born March 1834 age 66; Mary A.. wife w f born February 1847 age 53; Sarah A. dau w f born November 1872 age 27; Jennie dau w f born April 1878 age 22; Luthor son w m born September 1881age18; Robert J. son w m born April 1884 age16

[All born in Missouri as was thier parents except William's parents born in Tennessee. they have been married for 30 years. Mary Ann says she had six children born 4 are living. William is a farmer and they are renting.]

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1902 Death of father; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 August 1902.

1900-1907 Family Move

From Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Short Street, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1907 Marriage of Edward "Eddie" Pullen and Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

[1] Saint Francois County, Missouri Marriage Record Book " ", page 169

Eddie Pullen of Bonne Terre, St. Francois Co., Mo. over 21; Sarah Blanton of Farmington, St. Francois Co., Mo. over 18; 16 February 1907 license; married on 18 February 1907 by Rev. J. C. Jones at Bonne Terre, St. Francois Co., Mo.

1910 Federal Census age 38

Short Street, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 82b, 22 April 1910, line 75, house 219, family 226

BLANTON, Merry A. head w f 59; Jennie K. dau w f 28; Luther son w m 27; Lee G. son w m 23; **PULLEN**, Edward son-n-law w m 27; Sarah A. dau w f 28; Bessie M. granddau w f 3; Monta grandson w m 2months

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's father was born in Kentucky, her mother born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and says she has had 6 children born and 4 are living. This is Sarah and Edward's first marriage and they have been married for 3 years Sarah says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Edward works in the lead mines. They are renting.]

1910-1917 Divorce or Separation of Edward "Eddie" Pullen and Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Pullen

1920 Federal Census age 48

Summitt Street, Bonne Terre City, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, pages 42a & b, 26 January 1920, line 45, house 635, family 648

BLANTON, Mary A. head w f 78; Luther son w m 45; William L. son w m 38; Catherine J. dau w f 40; **PULLEN**, Sarah A. dau w f 49; Bessie M. gdau w f 12; [page 42b] Martin gson w m 9

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's father was born in Kentucky, her mother born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and renting. Luther works in the lead mine. Catherine and Sarah are washerwomen.]

1930 Federal Census age 58

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, pages 110b, 16 April 1930, line 51; house 28, family 28

BLANTON, Luther head w m 57; Mary Ann mother w f 113; **PULLEN**, Sarah sister w f 70; **BLANTON**, Robert brother w m 50; **PULLEN**, Monte nephew w m 19; **MAGEE**, Golda adopted daug w f 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's parents were born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and renting. Sarah is a widow. Luther works in the lead mine. Robert works for the railroad. Monte works in asyrup factory.]

1940 Federal Census age 68

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1953 Death of ex-spouse; Edward "Eddie" Pullen

Edward "Eddie" Pullen died at City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 16 November 1953.

1953 Death of Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Pullen

Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Pullen died at 518 North Pine, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 25 December 1953.

1953 Burial of Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Pullen

Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

Find A Grave Memorial# 79103672

Sarah A Blanton Pullen Birth: Nov. 27, 1856 Missouri, USA Death: Dec. 25, 1953 Bonne Terre St. Francois County Missouri, USA Family links: Parents: Mary Ann Blanton (1816 - 1940) FAG# 79099430 Burial: Adams Cemetery Frankclay St. Francois County Missouri, USA Created by: Eula-Maye Willey Record added: Oct 22, 2011

Sarah married **Edward "Eddie" Pullen**, son of **William Pullen** and **Celina "Lena" Cragette**, on 18 February 1907 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. Edward was born on 11 October 1882 in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 16 November 1953 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried on 20 November 1953 in Memorial Park Cemetery, 5200 Lucas & Hunt Road, Jennings, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

1883 Birthblock of Edward "Eddie" Pullen son of William and Celina "Lena" (CREGETTE) Pullen

Edward "Eddie" Pullen was born in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 11 October 1882. _

1900 Federal Census age 17

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

PULLAN, William head w m 53; Seefina wife w f 43; Edward son w m 17; Ellis son w m 15; Mgaline dau w f 13; Fred son w m 11; John son w m 6

1907 Marriage of Edward "Eddie" Pullen and Sarah Ann (BLANTON)

[1] Saint Francois County, Missouri Marriage Record Book " ", page 169

Eddie Pullen of Bonne Terre, St. Francois Co., Mo. over 21; Sarah Blanton of Farmington, St. Francois Co., Mo. over 18; 16 February 1907 license; married on 18 February 1907 by Rev. J. C. Jones at Bonne Terre, St. Francois Co., Mo.

1910 Federal Census age 27

Short Street, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 82b, 22 April 1910, line 75, house 219, family 226

BLANTON, Merry A. head w f 59; Jennie K. dau w f 28; Luther son w m 27; Lee G. son w m 23;

PULLEN, Edward son-n-law w m 27; Sarah A. dau w f 28; Bessie M. granddau w f 3; Monta grandson w m 2months

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's father was born in Kentucky, her mother born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and says she has had 6 children born and 4 are living. This is Sarah and Edward's first marriage and they have been married for 3 years Sarah says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Edward works in the lead mines. They are

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renting.]

1910-1917 Divorce or Seperation of Edward "Eddie" Pullen and Sarah Ann (BLANTON) Pullen

1917 U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Edward Pullen, 1810 Olive Street, St. Louis, Missouri Birth Date: 11 Oct 1882 Race: White
Draft Board: 5 Nearest Relative: Lena Pullen, Bonne Terre, Missouri Date 12 September 1917

1918 Marriage of Edward "Eddie" Pullen and Minnie () Lincoln

1920 Federal Census age 37

1930 Federal Census age 47

St Louis, St Louis (Independent City), Missouri

PULLEN, Edward head w m 48; Minnie wife w f 47; Virnie P. 5; **LINCOLN**, Lance L. g son w m 18; Lavada dau w f 5

1940 Federal Census age 57

1953 Death of Edward "Eddie" Pullen

Edward "Eddie" Pullen died at City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 16 November 1953.

1953 Burial of Edward "Eddie" Pullen

Memorial Park Cemetery, 5200 Lucas & Hunt Road, Jennings, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

Find A Grave Memorial# 96446062

Edward Pullen Birth: Nov. 10, 1880 Death: Nov. 16, 1953 Burial: Memorial Park Cemetery
Jennings St. Louis County Missouri, USA Created by: Bev Mundy Record added: Sep 03, 2012

Children from this marriage were:

+ 217 F i. **Bessie Mae Pullen** was born on 23 March 1907 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died on 10 May 1972 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 65.

Bessie married **Edgar Amiel Strahl** (d. 7 June 1941) on 7 June 1940 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

+ 218 M ii. **William Monte Pullen** was born on 15 February 1910 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 2 May 1955 in Bonne Terre Hospital, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 45, and was buried on 4 May 1955 in Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

65. Bethany Blanton (*William Wesley*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1873 near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died in 1883 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 10.

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1873 Birthblock of Bethany (BLANTON) daughter of William Wesley and Mary Ann (BLANTON) Blanton

Bethany (BLANTON) was born near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States in 1873.

1873-1876 Family Move

From near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1876 Childbirth of sister; Katherine Jane "Jennie" (BLANTON)

Katherine Jane "Jennie" (BLANTON) was born Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States in 5 April 1876.

1879 Childbirth of brother; Luther "Joker" Blanton

Luther "Joker" Blanton was born near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 21 November 1879.

1880 Federal Census age 7

Village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 454a, 1 June 1880, line 47, house 7, family 8

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m 47; Maryan wife w f 34; Charles son w m 12; Sarah A.. dau w f 10; Bethinia dau w f 7; Jennie dau w f 5; Luther son w m 7months

[All born in Missouri as was thier parents except Mary Ann's parents born in Kentucky. William is a laborer.]

1881 Death of brother; Charles W. "Charley" Blanton

Charles W. "Charley" Blanton died near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or in Boone Terre in 1881.

1883 Death of Bethany (BLANTON)

Bethany (BLANTON) died near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or in Boone Terre in 1883.

66. Catherine Jane "Jennie" Blanton (*William Wesley², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 5 April 1876 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 5 October 1941 in Missouri State Hospital #4, near Farmington, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 65, and was buried on 7 October 1941 in Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

1876 Birthblock of Catherine Jane "Jennie" (BLANTON) daughter of William Wesley and Mary Ann (BLANTON) Blanton

Katherine Jane "Jennie" (BLANTON) was born Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States in 5 April 1876.

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1880 Federal Census age 4

Village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 454a, 1 June 1880, line 47, house 7, family 8

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m 47; Maryan wife w f 34; Charles son w m 12; Sarah A.. dau w f 10; Bethinia dau w f 7; Jennie dau w f 5; Luther son w m 7months

[All born in Missouri as was thier parents except Mary Ann's parents born in Kentucky. William is a laborer.]

1881 Death of brother; Charles W. "Charley" Blanton

Charles W. "Charley" Blanton died near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or in Boone Terre in 1881.

1883 Death of sister; Bethany (BLANTON)

Bethany (**BLANTON**) died near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States or in Boone Terre in 1883.

1884 Childbirth of brother; William Robert General Lee Blanton

William Robert General Lee Blanton was born near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 30 April 1884.

1884-1900 Family Move

From near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census age 24

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9a, 6 June 1900, line 73, house 160, family 165

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m born March 1834 age 66; Mary A.. wife w f born February 1847 age 53; Sarah A. dau w f born November 1872 age 27; Jennie dau w f born April 1878 age 22; Luthor son w m born September 1881age18; Robert J. son w m born April 1884 age16

[All born in Missouri as was thier parents except William's parents born in Tennessee. they have been married for 30 years. Mary Ann says she had six children born 4 are living. William is a farmer and they are renting.]

1902 Death of father; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 August 1902.

1900-1907 Family Move

From Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Short Street, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1910 Federal Census age 34

Short Street, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 82b, 22 April 1910, line 75, house 219, family 226

BLANTON, Merry A. head w f 59; Jennie K. dau w f 28; Luther son w m 27; Lee G. son w m 23; **PULLEN**, Edward son-n-law w m 27; Sarah A. dau w f 28; Bessie M. granddau w f 3; Monta grandson w m 2months

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1920 Federal Census age 44

Summitt Street, Bonne Terre City, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, pages 42a & b, 26 January 1920, line 45, house 635, family 648

BLANTON, Mary A. head w f 78; Luther son w m 45; William L. son w m 38; Catherine J. dau w f 40; **PULLEN**, Sarah A. dau w f 49; Bessie M. gdau w f 12; [page 42b] Martin gson w m 9 [All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's father was born in Kentucky, her mother born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and renting. Luther works in the lead mine. Catherine and Sarah are washerwomen.]

1930 Federal Census age 54

1940 Federal Census age 64

1941 Death of Catherine Jane "Jennie" (BLANTON)

Catherine Jane "Jennie" (**BLANTON**) died in the Missouri State Hospital #4, near Farmington, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 5 October 1941.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #35973

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Katherine J. Blanton October __, 1941 St. Francois 35973
<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1941 Burial of Catherine Jane "Jennie" (BLANTON)

Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

Find A Grave Memorial# 81268570

Katherine Jane Blanton Birth: Apr. 5, 1876 Death: Oct. 5, 1941 Farmington St. Francois County Missouri, USA Family links: Parents: Mary Ann Blanton (1816 - 1940) FAG#79099430 Burial: Adams Cemetery Frankclay St. Francois County Missouri, USA Created by: Eula-Maye Willey Record added: Nov 30, 2011

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Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for William Luther "Joker" Blanton by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1879 Birthblock of William Luther "Joker" Blanton son of William Wesley and Mary Ann

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(BLANTON) Blanton

William Luther "Joker" Blanton was born near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 21 November 1879.

Date from the 1880 census states he was born November 1879 in Missouri. [calculated]

Date from the 1900 census states he was born September 1881 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1883 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 21 September 1879.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1875 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1873 in Missouri.

Date from the 1940 census states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the SSDI states he was born 21 September 1869

Date from the obituary states he was born September 21, 1869 near Sullivan, Missouri.

Irene Murdick says he was born on 21 September 1879

Newspaper article states he was born September 21, 1869 near Sullivan, Missouri.

Research Note

Since Luther's birth date and place has stirred such controversy, by building a Birthblock on him validates his data and confirms the importance of the birthblock.

We are told by our parents when and where we were born and unless we confirm this through family bibles or legal documents we are at the mercy of our parent's memories. In this case, Luther thought all through his life he was born on the 21 of September 1869 on a farm near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri.

However, the first location he shows up as a child is in the 1880 census whereas his parents state he is 7 months old as of the census date of 1 June 1880. Also, they are living in the small village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois County, Missouri.

In the 1870 census his parents are living near Osage Post Office, Johnson Twp, Washington County, Missouri and moved to Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States between 1873-1876 since Luther's older sister Catherine Jane "Jennie" was born in Bonne Terre in 1876.

If we take 7 months from the June 1st 1880 census date we get November 1879 as his birth month and year. Maybe he was born in September but it was not 1869 but 1879. Even on his WWI draft registration he put down the right year of 1879 but on all the other records he kept stating he was born on a wide range of dates.

Therefore, without seeing that family bible, I would believe he was born 21 November 1879 and at the small village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois County, Missouri, United States. FTP

1880 Federal Census age 7 months

Village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 454a, 1 June 1880, line 47, house 7, family 8

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1900 Federal Census age 20

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9a, 6 June 1900, line 73, house 160, family 165

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m born March 1834 age 66; Mary A.. wife w f born February 1847 age 53; Sarah A. dau w f born November 1872 age 27; Jennie dau w f born April 1878 age 22; Luthor son w m born September 1881 age18; Robert J. son w m born April 1884 age16

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1900-1907 Family Move

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1910 Federal Census age 30

Short Street, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 82b, 22 April 1910, line 75, house 219, family 226

BLANTON, Merry A. head w f 59; Jennie K. dau w f 28; Luther son w m 27; Lee G. son w m 23; **PULLEN**, Edward son-n-law w m 27; Sarah A. dau w f 28; Bessie M. granddau w f 3; Monta grandson w m 2months

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renting.]

U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Luther Blanton of Bonne Terre, St Francois, Missouri Birth Date:21 Sep 1879
Race:White Nearest Relative: Mary Ann Blanton, Bonne Terre, Missouri. No date

1920 Federal Census age 40

Summitt Street, Bonne Terre City, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, pages 42a & b, 26 January 1920, line 45, house 635, family 648

BLANTON, Mary A. head w f 78; Luther son w m 45; William L.son w m 38; Catherine J. dau w f 40; **PULLEN**, Sarah A. dau w f 49; Bessie M. gdau w f 12; [page 42b] Martin gson w m 9

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1930 Federal Census age 50

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, pages 110b, 16 April 1930, line 51; house 28, family 28

BLANTON, Luther head w m 57; Mary Ann mother w f 113; **PULLEN**, Sarah sister w f 70; **BLANTON**, Robert brother w m 50; **PULLEN**, Monte nephew w m 19; **MAGEE**, Golda adopted daug w f 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's parents were born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and renting. Sarah is a widow. Luther works in the lead mine. Robert works for the railroad. Monte works in a syrup factory.]

1940 Federal Census age 60

1970 Newspaper Article

St. Joe's Oldest Pensioner

Thirty-three years ago, June 1, 1937, Mr. Luther Blanton, 518 North Pine in Bonne Terre, Missouri, started his long life of leisure as a St. Joe pensioner. A visit to Mr. Blanton's home this past month for an interview found him on his way to his garden spot with a small box of tomato plants. He stated that he still does some gardening at his advanced age but he is limited by poor vision.

Mr. Blanton told us that he was born on a farm near Sullivan, Missouri, September 21, 1869, the son of William Wesley and Mary Ann Blanton. St. Joe records give Mr. Blanton's birthdate as September 21, 1871, which Mr. Blanton says is in error by two years. (Give or take a year or so, there isn't anyone around to dispute his 1869 birthdate.) He is the youngest of six children; two brothers, Charley and William Lee; three sisters, Sarah, Nancy and Jenny, all of whom died many years ago. His father was of French and Indian origin and his mother of Indian origin. He recalled working on the family farm and in the timber before coming to Bonne Terre in 1901. Mr. Blanton's name first appeared on St. Joe payrolls in November 1906 when he began work in the Bonne Terre Yard department. His jobs were those of caring for the stock on the company farm, section hand for the M.R. & B.T. Railway (a subsidiary of St. Joe at that time), crusherman, chat drag man, table man and laborer in the Bonne Terre mill. His last job prior to retirement in 1937 was that of watchman at the Bonne Terre yard. He mentioned the names of Hobbs, Kuchlin, McFarland, Donnegan, Delno and Aubuchon as some of his St. Joe foremen. When asked to what he attributed his longevity, he said, "Indians live to be old and my mom was

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of the Cherokee Indian origin and lived to be over 100 years of age and I guess I take after her. I worked hard all during my life and I've never been married." (Author unknown newspaper unknown)

Research Note

Since William Luther "Joker" Blanton died on 18 October 1970 and this article starts out stating that 33 years ago on 1 June 1937, which, when you add 33 years to 1937 you get 1970, then this article was written in 1970 and before he died on the 18th of October 1970 at age 90.

This article is another example of a Cherokee heritage mentioned on both sides of Luther's parentage. This means the Pratts, Blantons and Harmons had Cherokee ancestry since Abraham Absalom and Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton were the ancestors of Luther's father; William Wesley Blanton and Joshua and Bethanie "Nancy" (**HARMON**) Blanton were the ancestors of Luther's mother; Mary Ann (**BLANTON**).

Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton and sister to Henry Pratt was always known by her descendants as a Cherokee princess. Thus the Cherokee connection through the Pratts. Bethanie's mother; Sarah (**LUSTER**) as the story goes was full blooded Cherokee. Stephen Nicholas "Nick" Harmon decided to look for his lost brother who was lost somewhere in the hills of Tennessee. Along his journey, Stephen Harmon met and became enchanted with this Cherokee beauty, named Sarah (**LUSTER**) and decided to marry her. So, in 1799 he married her in Greene County, Tennessee. Therefore, since Stephen Nicholas "Nick" and Sarah (**LUSTER**) Harmon are the parents of Bethanie "Nancy" (**HARMON**) Blanton, then this would make her ½ Cherokee, and Joshua and Bethanie's daughter; Mary Ann (**BLANTON**), Luther's mother, would have been ¼ Cherokee.

1970 Death of William Luther "Joker" Blanton

William Luther "Joker" Blanton died in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 10 October 1970.

U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-Current

Name:William Blanton SSN:487-50-1037 Last Residence:63628 Bonne Terre, Saint Francois, Missouri, USA Born:21 Sep 1869 Died:Oct 1970 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (1962)

Research Note

Some maybe confused by the name on his Social Security death index. Apparently William was Luther's first given name and we have never run across its use in his records. The reason I believe it is him is because he used the birthdate of 21 September 1869 on his social security card and that was the date he used in the newspaper article mentioned above even though the birth date was incorrect. FTP

1970 Burial of William Luther "Joker" Blanton

Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States _

1970 Obituary of William Lutheer "Joker" Blanton

Luther Blanton Dies at age 101

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, October 21, 1970 at Boyer Funeral Home, Bonne Terre, with the Rev. Ed Braswell officiating. Burial was in Adams Cemetery under the

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direction of C.Z. Boyer & Son of Bonne Terre. Luther Blanton was born September 21, 1886, in Sullivan, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Blanton. He died October 18, 1970 at the age of 101. He is survived by one niece, six great nieces and one great nephew. Although Mr. Blanton never married he reared three generations of children and lived with a nephew he had raised.

Research Note

Again you can see the incorrect birthdate and birth location in his obituary because parents were not diligent in recording and keeping accurate records. Newspaper unknown.

Research Note

The following are examples of one of the reasons I have severed my ties with www.findagrave.com. Due to FAG's poor business practices as outlined in my report..." **Why I can no longer support www.findagrave.com**". The following are two postings on Find a Grave, same person, and same cemetery.

The first was posted on 20 October 2006, the second on 30 November 2011. Why the need for two entries can be explained in FAG's failure to recognize additional contributions by other contributors. Not only are these entries on the same person but at the same cemetery. However, to keep FAG from deleting the additional duplicate entry, someone created a complete and new cemetery allowing them to add duplicate entries, which is illegal according to FAG guidelines, without catching the attention of FAG.

Since FAG "assigns" the gravesite to the individual who first enters the gravesite information and excludes all others from posting additional; information to the website, then anyone with additional information must ask the "original" contributor to [1] transfer that gravesite to them [2] or ask them to post that information for them. If the "original" contributor is unwilling, unavailable or indifferent to their request then nothing gets done.

The frustrated individual that wants to add additional information about that gravesite individual must either create a duplicate, ask FAG to transfer that gravesite to them, or forget about it. In the example below they decided to post a duplicate gravesite entry with a new cemetery name.

And to add insult to injury both of these entries contain incorrect data because anyone can add information to FAG and you have amateurs posting data without doing their homework.

If they had researched William Luther "Joker" Blanton they would have discovered that the 1869 birth year was 10 years older than when he was actually born and he was not born in Sullivan as the 1880 census proves.

Instead these contributors to FAG post information they found and assume is correct without verification and perpetuate false and incorrect data thereby throwing the "true believer" researcher off the track and in the process, posting useless and unreliable information thereby, wasting everyone's research time. FTP _

Gravesite entry #1

Find A Grave Memorial# 16262114

Luther Blanton Birth: 1869 Death: 1970 "Uncle" Information found at: <http://www.rootsweb.com/~mostfran/cemeteries.htm> Burial: Adams-Hillcrest Cemetery Bonne Terre St. Francois County Missouri, USA Created by: TLH Record added: Oct 20, 2006

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Gravesite entry #2

Find A Grave Memorial# 81271444

Luther Blanton Birth: Sep. 21, 1869 Sullivan Franklin County Missouri, USA Death: Oct. 18, 1970 Bonne Terre St. Francois County Missouri, USA Luther Blanton Dies at age 101 Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, October 21, 1970 at Boyer Funeral Home, Bonne Terre, with the Rev. Ed Braswell officiating. Burial was in Adams Cemetery under the direction of C.Z. Boyer & Son of Bonne Terre. Luther Blanton was born September 21, 1866, in Sullivan, a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Blanton. He died October 18, 1970 at the age of 101. He is survived by one niece, six great nieces and one great nephew. Although Mr. Blanton never married he reared three generations of children and lived with a nephew he had raised. Family links: Parents: Mary Ann Blanton (1816 - 1940) FAG#79099430 Burial: Adams Cemetery Frankclay St. Francois County Missouri, USA Created by: Eula-Maye Willey Record added: Nov 30, 2011

68. William Robert General Lee Blanton (*William Wesley², Abraham Absalom¹*)

was born on 30 April 1884 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 24 May 1936 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 52, and was buried on 26 May 1936 in Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for William Robert General Lee Blanton by Floyd Thomas

Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1884 Birthblock of William Robert General Lee Blanton son of William Wesley and Mary Ann (BLANTON) Blanton

William Robert General Lee Blanton was born near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 30 April 1884.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born April 1884 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1887 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 3 April 1883

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1882 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1880 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 30 April 1874 in Bonne Terre, Missouri

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born 3 April 1874 in Bonne Terre, Missouri.

1884-1900 Family Move

From near the village of Hill Town, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States to Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1900 Federal Census age 16

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9a, 6 June 1900, line 73, house 160, family 165

BLANTON, Wm. W. head w m born March 1834 age 66; Mary A.. wife w f born February 1847 age 53; Sarah A. dau w f born November 1872 age 27; Jennie dau w f born April 1878 age 22; Luthor son w m born September 1881 age 18; Robert J. son w m born April 1884 age 16

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except William's parents born in Tennessee. they have been married for 30 years. Mary Ann says she had six children born 4 are living. William is a farmer and they are renting.]

1902 Death of father; William Wesley Blanton

William Wesley Blanton died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 August 1902.

1900-1907 Family Move

From Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Short Street, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1910 Federal Census age 26

Short Street, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 82b, 22 April 1910, line 75, house 219, family 226

BLANTON, Merry A. head w f 59; Jennie K. dau w f 28; Luther son w m 27; Lee G. son w m 23; **PULLEN**, Edward son-in-law w m 27; Sarah A. dau w f 28; Bessie M. granddau w f 3; Monta grandson w m 2 months

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's father was born in Kentucky, her mother born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and says she has had 6 children born and 4 are living. This is Sarah and Edward's first marriage and they have been married for 3 years Sarah says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Edward works in the lead mines. They are renting.]

1918 U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Lee Blanton, Bonne Terre, St Francois, Missouri Birth Date: 30 Apr 1883 Race: White
Nearest Relative: Mary A. Blanton (mother), Bonne Terre, St Francois, Missouri Date: 17 September 1918

1920 Federal Census age 36

Summitt Street, Bonne Terre City, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, pages 42a & b, 26 January 1920, line 45, house 635, family 648

BLANTON, Mary A. head w f 78; Luther son w m 45; William L. son w m 38; Catherine J. dau w f 40; **PULLEN**, Sarah A. dau w f 49; Bessie M. gdau w f 12; [page 42b] Martin gson w m 9

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's father was born in Kentucky, her mother born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and renting. Luther works in the lead mine. Catherine and Sarah are washerwomen.]

1930 Federal Census age 46

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, pages 110b, 16 April 1930, line 51; house 28, family 28

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BLANTON, Luther head w m 57; Mary Ann mother w f 113; **PULLEN**, Sarah sister w f 70;

BLANTON, Robert brother w m 50; **PULLEN**, Monte nephew w m 19; **MAGEE**,

Golda adopted daug w f 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary Ann's parents were born in Tennessee. Mary Ann is a widow and renting. Sarah is a widow. Luther works in the lead mine. Robert works for the railroad. Monte works in asyrup factory.]

1936 Death of William Robert General Lee Blanton

William Robert General Lee Blanton died in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 24 May 1936.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #20520

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: William R. Blanton May 24, 1936 St. Francois 20520

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1936 Burial of William Robert General Lee Blanton

Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1936 Obituary of William Robert General Lee Blanton

http://mackleygenealogy.com/~mackley/Obit_Display.php?pid=BL_000211.jpg

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

Fourth Generation (Great-Grandchildren)

69. Richard Norton Allen (*John D. Allen Jr.*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 September 1892 in Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 5 January 1963 at age 70.

Richard married **Madge Martin Whiteside**, daughter of **James David Whitesides** and **Nancy Sybil Martin**,. Madge was born on 26 July 1896 in Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 15 August 1972 at age 76.

Whiteside

Magie M.

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Franklin County

Richard N. Allen of Washington Co., Mo. over 21; Magie M. Whiteside Washington Co., Mo. over 18; 15 September 1914 license; married on 19 September 1914 by P. C. Thurmond, JP at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

Richard next married **Madge Martin Whiteside** on 19 September 1914 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Madge was born on 26 July 1896 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 15 August 1972 at age 76.

70. Charles Allen (*John D. Allen Jr.*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in February 1882 in Crawford, Missouri, United States and died in 1928 at age 46.

71. Lawrence Allen (*John D. Allen Jr.*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in October 1893 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

72. Clara Minerva Allen (*John D. Allen Jr.*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 18 May 1890 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 25 December 1971 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Twp, Los Angeles, California, United States at age 81.

Clara married **Chester C Simpson** on 29 September 1907 in Liberty, Stoddard, Missouri, United States. Chester was born on 18 August 1882 in Litaker, Rowan, North Carolina, United States and died on 14 August 1955 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Twp, Los Angeles, California, United States at age 72.

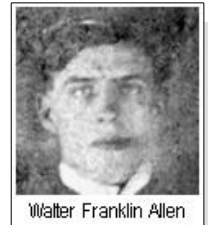
73. Agnes Myrtle Allen (*John D. Allen Jr.*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in February 1888 in Crawford, Missouri, United States and died in November 1969 at age 81.

74. Norton Allen (*John D. Allen Jr.*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in July 1894 in Crawford, Missouri, United States.

75. Roy Alan Jennings (*Mary Jane Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 21 June 1883 in Missouri, United States, died in September 1964 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Twp, Los Angeles, California, United States at age 81, and was buried in September 1964 in Turlock, Stanis, California, USA.

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

76. Walter Franklin Allen (*William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 18 August 1890 near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 23 December 1933 in Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 43, and was buried on 26 December 1933 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.



Walter Franklin Allen

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Walter Franklin Allen by Floyd Thomas

Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1890 Birthblock for Walter Franklin Allen son of William "Will" M. & Pearlina "Pearl" (STUDDARD) Allen

Walter Franklin Allen was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 August 1890.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born August 1890 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1890 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 18 August 1890.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1891 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1892 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 18 August 1890 in Franklin County, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states he was born 1889.

Date from the obituary states he was born

1891 Childbirth of sister; Drusella Lucille "Drusie" (ALLEN)

Drusella Lucille "Drusie" (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 2 July 1891. The 1900 census states she was born July 1892.

1894 Childbirth of brother; Richard Joseph Allen

Richard Joseph Allen was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 4 December 1894.

1896 Childbirth of sister; Ethel Lee (ALLEN)

Ethel Lee (**ALLEN**) was born near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15 December 1896.

1900 Federal Census age 10

Public Road, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 187a, 2 June 1900, line 18, house 50, family 50

ALLEN, William head w m born December 1860 age 39; M.[Maude] A. wife w f born June 1871 age 28; **HIBLER**, Daisy gdau w f born March 1887 age 13; **ALLEN**, Walter son w

m born August 1890 age 9; Druse dau w f born July 1892 age 7; Richard son w m born December 1894 age 5; Ethel dau w f born December 1896 age 3

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 11 years. M.[Maude] A.

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states she has had 5 children born and 5 are living. William is a copper miner. They are renting.]

1908 Marriage of Walter Franklin Allen and Perlina (STUDDARD)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mr. Walter Allen Marriage Date:27 July 1908 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri
Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Miss. Pearl Studdars Mother's name:Mrs. Lilly Allen

Research Note

In order to determine where the children were born, one needs to know where the family was living. Checking the deed records of Franklin County might reveal where they bought land but subsequent census records indicate they always rented. Since they were married in Sullivan City they may have lived there when they began their family. However, the 1910 census states they were living in Central Township in Franklin County, Missouri which is not anywhere near Sullivan. Therefore all children born after 1910 could have been born in Central Twp, Franklin County or in Crawford County where Walter was living on 5 June 1917.

1909 Childbirth of son; Floyd Joseph Allen

Floyd Joseph Allen was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 22 July 1909. Even though his parents says he was six months old in the 1910 census, some reserchers have stated he was born in July 1909. If you believe his parents he was born in September-October 1909.

1910 Federal Census age 20

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 195a, 23 April 1910, line 46, house 69, family 74

ALLEN, Walter head w m 20; Pearl wife w f 17; Floyd son w m 6mos

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 1 year and this is their first marriage. Pearl says she has had 1 child born and 1 is living. Walter does odd jobs and they are renting.]

1913 Childbirth of daughter; Zonagale "Zona" Maxine (ALLEN)

Zonagale "Zona" Maxine (**ALLEN**) was born in either Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, or in Crawford County, Missouri or someplace else on 18 March 1913.

1915 Childbirth of son; Earl Edward Allen

Earl Edward Allen was born in either Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, or in Crawford County, Missouri or someplace else on 9 May 1915.

1917 Childbirth of son; Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen

Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen was born in either Crawford County, Missouri or as other reserachers state in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri on 2 March 1917. However, the evidence states his family moved to Crawford County by the 5th of June 1917.

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Walter Franklin Allen City:Not Stated County:Crawford State:Missouri

Birthplace:Missouri;United States of America Birth Date:18 August 1890 Race:Caucasian (White) Roll:1683163 wife and 4 children Date: 5 June 1917

1918 Childbirth of daughter; Dollie M. (ALLEN)

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Dollie M. (**ALLEN**) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 6 November 1918.

1920 Federal Census 30

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 180a, 13 January 1920, line 4, house 93, family 94

ALLEN, Walter F. head w m 29; Pearl wife w f 26; Floyd J. son w m 10; Zona M. dau w f 8; Earl E. son w m 3.8mos; Freddie C. son w m 2.10mos; Dollie M. dau w f 1.2mos;

STUDDARD, James F. fnlaw w m 61; Mary mnlaw w f 63

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Walter is a laborer at the saw mill. James is a teamster and does tie hauling. They are renting.]

1920-1930 Family Move

From Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

Research Note

Ordering the following children's birth certificate would reveal their birth date and location. Not knowing when Walter and Pearl left Boone Township, Crawford County, Missouri and moved into Saint Louis (City) forces the subsequent children's birth location to be purely speculation.

1921 Childbirth of son; James William "Jiggs" Allen

James William "Jiggs" Allen was born in either Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 8 January 1921. Ordering his birth certificate would be absolute.

1922 Childbirth of son; Paul Allen

Paul Allen was born in either Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 1922.

1925 Childbirth of son; Robert Vernon Allen

Robert Vernon Allen was born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 4 November 1925.

1927 Childbirth of daughter; Pearl (ALLEN**) and son; Murial Eugene Allen (twins)**

Pearl (**ALLEN**) and Murial Eugene Allen (twins) were born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 18 December 1927.

1928 Death of mother-in-law; Mary Ellen (PRATT**) Studdard**

Mary Ellen (**PRATT**) Studdard died in Sullivan, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 12 January 1928.

1929 Childbirth of daughter; Delores Lee (ALLEN**)**

Delores Lee (**ALLEN**) was born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 28 April 1929.

1930 Federal Census age 40

718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 112a, 18 April 1930, line 19, house 718, dwelling 242, family 246

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ALLEN, Walter head w m 38; Pearl wife w f 37; Zona dau w f 18; Earl A. son w m 14; Fred son w m 13; Dolly dau w f 11; James A. son w m 9; Paul son w m 8; Robert son w m 4; Perl (twins) dau w f 2; Merl (twins) son w m 2; Delores dau w f 11mos
[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Walter says his mother was born at sea. Walter was first married at age 17, Pearl at age 15. Walter is a flagman for the railroad. They are renting.]

1932 Childbirth of son; David Gary Allen

David Gary Allen was born in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 13 October 1932 and died on 29 October 1933 in Saint Louis County Hospital, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States.

1933 Death of Walter Franklin Allen

Walter Franklin Allen died at Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 23 December 1933.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #41356
As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Walter Allen December 23, 1933 St. Louis 41356
<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1933 Burial of Walter Franklin Allen

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
Allen, Pearl 1892-1935 wife of Walter F.
Allen Walter F. 1889-1933 husband of Pearl

FAG# 31941171

Walter Franklin Allen {FAG# 31941171} was born 18 August 1890 - near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 23 December 1933 - Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States and was buried 26 December 1933 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: William "Will" Mitchell Allen {FAG# 33679842} (1861-1925) Mother: Lillian Margaret A. "Lillie" (**HANSON**) {FAG# 32002162} (1869-1925). Spouse: Pearlina (**STUDDARD**) {FAG# 31941198} (30 May 1892 - 21 September 1935) Marriage: 27 July 1908 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: 1. Floyd Joseph Allen {FAG# 31941390} (1909-1964) 2. Zonagale Maxine "Zona" (**ALLEN**) (1913-1984) 3. Earl Edward Allen {FAG# 33679486} (1915-1938) 4. Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen {FAG# 25092432} (1917-1992) 5. Dollie Mae (**ALLEN**) (1918-1970) 6. James William "Jiggs" Allen {FAG# 33743036} (1921-2009) 7. Paul Allen (1922-) 8. Robert Vernon Allen {FAG# 53342326} (1925-1977) 9. Pearl (**ALLEN**) (1927-) 10. Murial Eugene Allen {FAG# 18291733} (1927-1942) 11. Delores Lee (**ALLEN**) {FAG# 40863225} (1929-2009) 12. David Gary Allen {FAG# 33679579} (1932-1933)

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

Walter married **Pearlina Studdard**, daughter of **James Franklin Studdard** and **Mary Ellen Pratt**, on 27 July 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Pearlina was born on 30 May 1892 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 21 September 1935 in Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 43, and was buried on 23 September 1935 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.



Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Pearlina "Pearl" (STUDDARD) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2012

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1892 Birthblock of Pearlina "Pearl" (STUDDARD) daughter of James Franklin & Mary Ellen (PRATT) Studdard

Pearlina "Pearl" (**STUDDARD**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 30 May 1892.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born May 1892 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1893 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1894 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1893 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 30 May 1892 in Missouri.

Date from the headstone states she was born 1892.

Date from the obituary states she was born

1900 Federal Census age 8

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 187a, 15 June 1900, line 30, house 127, family 129

SRUDDERS, James F. head w m born January 1854 age 46; Mary wife w f born September 1854 age 46; John son w m born February 1879 age 21; Catherine dau w f born March 1882 age 18; Frank son w m born April 1886 age 14; Newton son w m born December 1888 age 11;

Pearl dau w f born May 1892 age 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 23 years. Mary says she has had 9 children born and 5 are living. James is a farmer and is renting. Living next door to his mother; Susie [70] (**PRUITT**) Studders family.]

1900-1910 Family Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

1908 Marriage of Walter Franklin Allen and Perlina (STUDDARD)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mr. Walter Allen Marriage Date:27 July 1908 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri
Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Miss. Pearl Studdars Mother's name:Mrs. Lilly Allen

1908 Death of grandmother; Betsy "Bacey" Susie Nancy (PRUITT) Studdard

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Betsy "Bacey" Susie Nancy (**PRUITT**) Studdard died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 December 1908.

Research Note

In order to determine where the children were born, one needs to know where the family was living. Checking the deed records of Franklin County might reveal where they bought land but subsequent census records indicate they always rented. Since they were married in Sullivan City they may have lived there when they began their family. However, the 1910 census states they were living in Central Township in Franklin County, Missouri which is not anywhere near Sullivan. Therefore all children born after 1910 could have been born in Central Twp, Franklin County or in Crawford County where Walter was living on 5 June 1917.

1909 Childbirth of son; Floyd Joseph Allen

Floyd Joseph Allen was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 22 July 1909. Even though his parents say he was six months old in the 1910 census, some researchers have stated he was born in July 1909. If you believe his parents he was born in September-October 1909.

1910 Federal Census age 18

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 195a, 23 April 1910, line 46, house 69, family 74

ALLEN, Walter head w m 20; Pearl wife w f 17; Floyd son w m 6mos

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 1 year and this is their first marriage. Pearl says she has had 1 child born and 1 is living. Walter does odd jobs and they are renting.]

1912 Death of grandfather; Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt

Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt died near Cherryville, Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States in 1912.

1913 Childbirth of daughter; Zonagale "Zona" Maxine (ALLEN)

Zonagale "Zona" Maxine (**ALLEN**) was born in either Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, or in Crawford County, Missouri or someplace else on 18 March 1913.

1915 Childbirth of son; Earl Edward Allen

Earl Edward Allen was born in either Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, or in Crawford County, Missouri or someplace else on 9 May 1915.

1917 Childbirth of son; Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen

Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen was born in either Crawford County, Missouri or as other researchers state in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri on 2 March 1917. However, the evidence states his family moved to Crawford County by the 5th of June 1917.

1917 Spouse's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Walter Franklin Allen City:Not Stated County:Crawford State:Missouri
Birthplace:Missouri;United States of America Birth Date:18 August 1890 Race:Caucasian
(White) Roll:1683163 wife and 4 children Date: 5 June 1917

1918 Childbirth of daughter; Dollie M. (ALLEN)

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Dollie M. (**ALLEN**) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 6 November 1918.

1920 Federal Census 28

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 180a, 13 January 1920, line 4, house 93, family 94

ALLEN, Walter F. head w m 29; Pearl wife w f 26; Floyd J. son w m 10; Zona M. dau w f 8; Earl E. son w m 3.8mos; Freddie C. son w m 2.10mos; Dollie M. dau w f 1.2mos;

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1920-1930 Family Move

From Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

Research Note

Odering the following children's birth certificate would reveal their birth date and location. Not knowing when Walter and Pearl left Boone Township, Crawford County, Missouri and moved into Saint Louis (City) forces the subsequent children's birth location to be purely speculation.

1921 Childbirth of son; James William "Jiggs" Allen

James William "Jiggs" Allen was born in either Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 8 January 1921.

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1925 Childbirth of son; Robert Vernon Allen

Robert Vernon Allen was born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 4 November 1925.

1927 Childbirth of daughter; Pearl (ALLEN**) and son; Murial Eugene Allen (twins)**

Pearl (**ALLEN**) and Murial Eugene Allen (twins) were born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 18 December 1927.

1928 Death of mother; Mary Ellen (PRATT**) Studdard**

Mary Ellen (**PRATT**) Studdard died in Sullivan, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 12 January 1928.

1929 Childbirth of daughter; Delores Lee (ALLEN**)**

Delores Lee (**ALLEN**) was born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 28 April 1929.

1930 Federal Census age 38

718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 112a, 18 April 1930, line 19, house 718, dwelling 242, family 246

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

ALLEN, Walter head w m 38; Pearl wife w f 37; Zona dau w f 18; Earl A. son w m 14; Fred son w m 13; Dolly dau w f 11; James A. son w m 9; Paul son w m 8; Robert son w m 4; Perl (twins) dau w f 2; Merl (twins) son w m 2; Delores dau w f 11mos

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Walter says his mother was born at sea. Walter was first married at age 17, Pearl at age 15. Walter is a flagman for the railroad. They are renting.]

1932 Childbirth of son; David Gary Allen

David Gary Allen was born in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 13 October 1932 and died on 29 October 1933 in Saint Louis County Hospital, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States. (death certificate)

1933 Death of spouse; Walter Franklin Allen

Walter Franklin Allen died at Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 23 December 1933.

1935 Death of Pearlina "Pearl" (STUDDARD) Allen

Pearlina "Pearl" (**STUDDARD**) Allen died in Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 21 September 1935.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #31483

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Pearl Allen September 21, 1935 St. Louis 31483

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1935 Burial of Pearlina "Pearl" (STUDDARD) Allen

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Allen, Pearl 1892-1935 wife of Walter F.

Allen Walter F. 1889-1933 husband of Pearl

FAG# 31941198

Pearlina (**STUDDARD**) Allen {FAG# 31941198} was born 30 May 1892 - Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died 21 September 1935 - Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States and was buried 23 September 1935 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: James Franklin Studdard {FAG#77215481} (1856-1939) Mother: Mary Ellen (**PRATT**) {FAG#77215534} (1857-1928). Spouse: Walter Franklin Allen {FAG# 31941171} (18 August 1890 - 23 December 1933). Marriage: 27 July 1908 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: 1. Floyd Joseph Allen {FAG# 31941390} (1909-1964) 2. Zonagale Maxine "Zona" (**ALLEN**) (1913-1984) 3. Earl Edward Allen {FAG# 33679486} (1915-1938) 4. Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen {FAG# 25092432} (1917-1992) 5. Dollie Mae (**ALLEN**) (1918-1970) 6. James William "Jiggs" Allen {FAG# 33743036} (1921-2009) 7. Paul Allen (1922-) 8. Robert Vernon Allen {FAG# 53342326} (1925-1977) 9. Pearl (**ALLEN**) (1927-) 10. Murial Eugene Allen {FAG# 18291733} (1927-1942) 11. Delores Lee (**ALLEN**) {FAG# 40863225} (1929-2009) 12. David Gary Allen {FAG# 33679579} (1932-1933)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 219 M i. **Floyd Joseph Allen** was born on 22 July 1909 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in June 1964 at age 54, and was buried in June 1964 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Floyd married **Bertha Lorene Reed** (d. 26 July 1972).

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- + 220 F ii. **Zonagale Maxine "Zona" Allen** was born on 18 March 1913 in Carterville City, Joplin Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States and died on 29 June 1984 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States at age 71.
- Zonagale married **August Charles Tonn Jr.** (d. 6 August 1994) on 15 July 1935 in Des Peres, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
- + 221 M iii. **Earl Edward Allen** was born on 9 May 1915 in Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 26 October 1938 in Saint Louis County Hospital, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 23, and was buried on 28 October 1938 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 222 M iv. **Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen** was born on 2 March 1917 in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 7 April 1992 in Early, Brown, Texas, United States at age 75, and was buried in April 1992 in Rock Church Cemetery, Blanket, Brown, Texas, United States.
- Fred married **Lurley Frances Whitmire** (d. 31 May 1986) on 17 April 1941 in Cheyenne, Laramie, Wyoming, United States.
- + 223 F v. **Dollie Mae Allen** was born on 6 November 1918 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 13 September 1970 in Fontana, San Bernardino, California at age 51, and was buried on 16 September 1970 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California.
- Dollie married **Brooner** on 9 March 1936 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
- Dollie next married **Robert "Bob" Howard** on 21 May 1941 in Manchester, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
- Dollie next married **Charles Wayman Kerr** (d. 25 May 2007) in 1949 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States.
- + 224 M vi. **James William "Jiggs" Allen** was born on 8 January 1921 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 16 January 2009 at age 88, and was buried in January 2009 in Saint Johns United Church of Christ Cemetery, Manchester, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
- James married **Patricia Burdett**.
- James next married **Dorothy Pauline Anderson** (d. 31 May 1985) on 21 June 1941 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
- + 225 M vii. **Paul Allen** was born in 1922 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 226 M viii. **Robert Vernon Allen** was born on 4 November 1925 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 23 November 1977 in Sterling City, Sterling, Texas, United States at age 52, and was buried in November 1977 in Sterling City Cemetery, Sterling City, Sterling, Texas, United States.
- Robert married **Joe Florence Goodwin** (d. 24 July 2000) on 17 January 1980 in Val Verde, Texas, United States.

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- + 227 F ix. **Pearl Allen** was born on 18 December 1927 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
- + 228 M x. **Murial Eugene Allen** was born on 18 December 1927 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 31 August 1942 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 14, and was buried on 4 September 1942 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 229 F xi. **Delores Lee Allen** was born on 28 April 1929 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 1 June 2009 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 80, and was buried Cremated.
- Delores married **James William Fitzgerald** (d. 23 July 1993) in 1949.
- Delores next married **David E. Thompson** (d. 17 November 1984) in Mexico City, Distrito Federal, Mexico.
- + 230 M xii. **David Gary Allen** was born on 14 October 1932 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 29 October 1933 in Saint Louis County Hospital, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 1, and was buried on 31 October 1933 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

77. Drusilla Lucille "Drusie" Allen (*William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 2 July 1890 near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 December 1989 in Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 99, and was buried in December 1989 in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

Drusilla married **Alexander "Alex" Dyle**, son of **Peter Dyle** and **Nancy Catherine Pratt**, on 12 August 1906 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Alexander was born on 8 October 1882 in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 2 April 1954 in Firmin Desloge Hospital, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried on 5 April 1954 in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

Alexander "Alex" Dyle {FAG# 7994691} was born 8 October 1882 - Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died 2 April 1954 - Firmin Desloge Hospital, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States and was buried 5 April 1954 - Roselawn Cemetery, Crystal City, Jefferson, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Peter Dyle (1828-1880/1900) Mother: Nancy Catherine (PRATT) (1854-1880/1900) Spouse: Drusilla Lucille "Drusie" (ALLEN) {FAG# 7994687} (2 July 1890 - 30 December 1989) Marriage: 12 August 1906 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

78. Richard Joseph Allen (*William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 4 December 1894 near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 26 October 1916 in Carterville, Joplin District, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 21, and was buried on 29 October 1916 in Carterville Cemetery, Carterville, Joplin Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.

Richard married **Eunice Fay Haukins**.

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79. Ethel Lee Allen (*William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born on 15 December 1896 near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 8 October 1928 in Cisne, Bedford Twp, Wayne, Illinois, United States at age 31.

Ethel married **William Edwards Eads**.

Ethel next married **Earl Bly**.

80. Etta Viola Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born on 29 April 1887 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 16 July 1950 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried in July 1950 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

see Sharon Pratt notes for children.

Etta married **Pinkney "Pink" Albert Carter**, son of **Rev. William McKinley Carter** and **Cynthia Ellen Burgess**, on 25 September 1907. Pinkney was born on 12 September 1879 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died in 1962 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 83, and was buried in 1962 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

CENSUS: 1880 Census Place: Boone, Crawford, Missouri

Source: FHL Film 1254683 National Archives Film T9-0683 Page 27B

Relation	Sex	Marr	Race	Age	Birthplace
William CARTER	Self	M	M	W 33	TN
Occ:	Farmer		Fa: TN	Mo: TN	
Cynthia CARTER		Wife	F	M W 30	MO
Occ:	Keeping House		Fa: MO	Mo: MO	
John W. CARTER		Son	M	S W 4	MO
		Fa: TN	Mo: MO		
Pinckney CARTER		Son	M	S W 9M	MO
		Fa: TN	Mo: MO		

CENSUS: 1900

MARRIAGE:

Pinkney A. Carter and Etta Viola (SITES) were married 25 Sep 1907.

1910 Federal Census age

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 31a, 7 & 9 May 1910, line , house 326, family 329

CARTER, Pinkney A. head w m 27; Etta V. wife w f 22; John W. brother w m 33

[Pinkney and John were born in Missouri their father in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri. Etta Viola (**SITES**) Carter was born in Missouri, her father in Virginia, her mother in Missouri. They have been married for 2 years nd this is their first marriage. Etta says she has had 0 children born and 0 are living. Living next door father, William McKInely Carter family.]

CENSUS: 1920 Crawford Co., MO, Boone Township, page 176, house 7/7, taken 2 Jan 1920,

CARTER, Pinkney A.	head w m 40 mar born MO	Fa: TN	Mo: MO
Etta V.	wife w f 32 mar born MO	Fa: VA	Mo: MO
Ruth C.	dau w f 9 sgl born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Russel A.	son w f 6 sgl born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO

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Elsie E. dau w f 4 5/12 sgl born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
James W. son w m 2 4/12 sgl born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Ellen L. dau w f 4/12 sgl born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
William M. father w m 73 mar born: TN Fa: TN Mo: TN

(Next door to Pinkney Carter, Fred C. Carter, Allen Carter)

FAG#* 97851048

Pinkney "Pink" Albert Carter {FAG#* 97851048}

Birth: 12 September 1879 - Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Death: 1962 - Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Burial: 1962 - New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Parents

Father: Rev. William McKinley Carter {FAG#+ 93748140} (1846-1923)

Mother: Cynthia Ellen (BURGESS) {FAG#* 97849281} (1849-1904)

Spouse:

Etta Viola (SITES) {FAG# 72424756} (29 April 1887 - 16 July 1950)

Marriage: 25 September 1907

Children:

Ruth Clara (CARTER) Barnhart [FAG#* 97856036] (1910-1956)

Russell Albert Carter [FAG# 19499260] (1913-1978)

Elise Evelyn (CARTER) Hoerath {FAG# 85609643} (1915-1957)

James Wesley Carter (1917-1944)

Ellen Louise (CARTER) (1920-)

Seymour William Carter {FAG# 77853386} (1921-1977)

Roy Louis Carter {LDS:12600} {FAG# 77903059} (1925-1980)

Children from this marriage were:

+ 231 F i. **Ruth Clara Carter** was born on 9 June 1910 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 27 March 1956 in 20 Blackburn Avenue, Ferguson, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 45, and was buried on 30 March 1956 in Valhalla Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Ruth married **Elwood Adelbert Barnhart** (d. 20 May 1975) on 17 March 1928 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

+ 232 M ii. **Russell Albert Carter** was born on 20 April 1913, died on 27 January 1978 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried in January 1978 in Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Russell married **Juanita Lucille Dobkins** (d. 16 November 2004) on 4 September 1919.

+ 233 F iii. **Elise Evelyn Carter** was born on 30 July 1915 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 17 December 1957 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 42, and was buried on 19 December 1957 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Elise married **Herman F. Hoerath** (d. 12 April 1979).

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- + 234 M iv. **James Wesley Carter** was born on 1 September 1917 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 3 July 1944 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 26, and was buried on 5 July 1944 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 235 F v. **Ellen Louise Carter** was born in 1920 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 236 M vi. **Seymour William Carter** was born on 26 October 1921 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 26 September 1977 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 55, and was buried in September 1977 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- Seymour married **Mary Lorine McCleary** on 5 November 1943.
- + 237 M vii. **Roy Louis Carter** was born on 30 January 1925 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 23 November 1980 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 55, and was buried in November 1980 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- Roy married **Ellen Jean Carroll** (d. 30 November 1999).

81. Minnie Myrtle Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 18 November 1889 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 8 May 1947 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 57.

Minnie married **William John Bohnenkamp**, son of **August Frederick Bohnenkamp** and **Wilhelmina Koch**, on 15 March 1911. William was born on 19 January 1885 and died in 1969 at age 84.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 238 M i. **Benjamin William Bohnenkamp** was born on 5 April 1912.
- Benjamin married **Edith Fern Laurence** on 15 June 1946.
- + 239 F ii. **Vera Clara "Clair" Bohnenkamp** was born on 29 October 1914, died on 7 November 1978 at age 64, and was buried in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- Vera married **David Troutt** on 10 May 1936.
- + 240 M iii. **Wilber Bohnenkamp** was born on 1 December 1916.
- Wilber married **Bockwitz**.
- + 241 M iv. **Donald Lee Bohnenkamp** was born on 13 July 1919.
- Donald married **Mary Jenny**.
- + 242 F v. **Bonnie Oneta Bohnenkamp** was born on 4 June 1925 and died on 22 October 1961 at age 36.
- Bonnie married **William Edward Reiner** on 12 March 1950.

82. Amy Eva Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 14 July 1892 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 5 October 1965 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

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Amy married **Samuel David Bohnenkamp**, son of **August Frederick Bohnenkamp** and **Wilhelmina Koch**, on 6 August 1913 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Samuel was born on 17 February 1889 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 20 February 1983 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 94, and was buried in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 243 F i. **Alice May Bohnenkamp** was born on 8 May 1914 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
Alice married **Harry Summers** on 15 June 1941.
- + 244 F ii. **Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp** was born on 21 February 1916 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 8 February 1989 in Pine Island, Hernando, Florida, United States at age 72, and was buried in Memorial Park, Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau, Missouri, United States.
Mildred married **Coy Truman Statler** (d. 28 January 1978) on 9 October 1935 in Sedgewickville, Bollinger, Missouri, United States.
Mildred next married **Jefferson Grant Sellers** on 19 November 1982.
- + 245 M iii. **Earl Austin Bohnenkamp** was born on 26 September 1917 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 9 May 1969 in Morganfield, Union, Kentucky, United States at age 51.
Earl married **Viola Gertrude Randall** on 28 September 1946.
- + 246 F iv. **Clara Amy Bohnenkamp** was born on 9 October 1919 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
Clara married **Samuel Thomas Raines Jr.** on 26 August 1955.
- + 247 M v. **Henry Edward Bohnenkamp** was born on 26 November 1921 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 6 June 1990 in Desloge Village, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 68.
Henry married **Juanita Bernice Eaton** (d. 5 February 1995) on 24 April 1945 in Missouri, United States.
- + 248 M vi. **Marvin Herman Bohnenkamp** was born on 26 October 1923 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 30 November 1974 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 51.
Marvin married **Davalee Pettus** on 11 June 1944.
- + 249 F vii. **Lucy Thelma Bohnenkamp** was born on 22 October 1926 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
Lucy married **Andrew Jackson Fowler Jr.** on 8 June 1946 in Desloge Village, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

83. Thomas Wesley "Wick" Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 December 1894 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 28 March 1962 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 67, and was buried in March 1962 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri,

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United States.

Inscription: Thomas Wesley Sites December 19, 1894 - March 38, 1962 Missouri Pvt Co A 1st Developement BN World War I

Thomas Wesley "Wick" Sites {FAG# 96416338} was born 19 December 1894 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 28 March 1962 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and was buried March 1962 - New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: William Seymour Sites {FAG# 70193565} (1858-1935) Mother: Clara Emaline (ALLEN) {FAG# 70193592} (1867-1947). Inscription as seen in 1985: Thomas Wesley Sites December 19, 1894 - March 38, 1962 Missouri Pvt Co A 1st Developement BN World War I

84. Walter "Willie" Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born on 28 May 1897 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 27 November 1897 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, and was buried in November 1897 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Walter "Willie" Sites {FAG# 96419909} was born 28 May 1897 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 27 November 1897 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and was buried November 1897 - New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: William Seymour Sites {FAG# 70193565} (1858-1935) Mother: Clara Emaline (ALLEN) {FAG# 70193592} (1867-1947). Buried next to his sister: Della Evelyn (SITES) {FAG#+ 96419977} same stone

85. William Jasen Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born on 10 October 1898 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 27 November 1898 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

86. Mary Elizabeth Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born on 5 April 1900 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 5 April 1939 at age 39.

Mary married **Oscar Schlater** in 1919.

87. Lillian Ethel Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born on 29 January 1903 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 21 August 1991 in Butts, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 88, and was buried in August 1991 in Fairview Cemetery, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

<http://searches.rootsweb.com/usgenweb/archives/mo/crawford/history/towns/butts.txt>

Villages of Crawford County, Missouri - LITTLE SPRINGS--BUTTS

One of the early schools established in Crawford County is known as Little Springs located on the Courtois about twelve miles east of Steelville. The school, the church, store, and postoffice were scattered on the hills and in the valley and never became a clustered village like many others. Until 1878 the Baptist congregation used the school building. The Fairview Baptist used their own building which they had recently completed on October 4, 1878. The Fairview Cemetery a short distance from the church had long before become the burying ground for the people of the region. Down the hill from the church Rowland Bass, senior, built a store and stocked it with a wide variety of staple goods desirable for rural needs. A post office called Butts was established and

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J. H. Sites was appointed the first postmaster. Others were Lytle Moutray and Loyd Gormley. The school called Little Springs now became the Butts School. A prominent teacher, Mr. Butts had arrived as a teacher and because of his influence in the community the name was changed. The old frame school was replaced with a stone one built with Works Progress Administration funds during the early 1930s. The old store was torn down after the post office was discontinued and a rural route established. At the present time Robert Bass is constructing two buildings on the same site - a grocery store and a feed store. Both buildings are fireproof concrete block structures. The school building was purchased by Jesse Osborne, a professor at St. Louis University, who uses it as a summer home. Today the valley is quiet, the only activity is the presence of weekend canoeing business on the Courtois operated by Robert Bass. ----- CRAWFORD COUNTY AND CUBA MISSOURI James Ira Breuer, 1972 p. 84-85

Lillian married **William Frederick Summer** on 14 June 1941.

88. Gladys Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 17 October 1906 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Gladys married **Carl Ross**.

89. Della Evelyn Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 31 March 1908 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 2 July 1913 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 5, and was buried on 3 July 1913 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

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Della Evelyn (SITES) {FAG# 96419977} was born 31 March 1908 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 2 July 1913 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and was buried 3 July 1913 - New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: William Seymour Sites {FAG# 70193565} (1858-1935) Mother: Clara Emaline (ALLEN) {FAG# 70193592} (1867-1947). Buried next to her brother; Walter "Willie" Sites {FAG# 96419909}.

90. Wilbur Elmer Sites (*Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 21 August 1912 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 16 June 1964 at age 51, and was buried in June 1964 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Wilbur married **Lela Ethel Barton**, daughter of **Alfred Webster Barton** and **Mary Eva Gintz**, on 10 February 1934. Lela was born on 21 August 1915 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 19 March 1992 at age 76.

1915 Birthblock of Lela Ethel (BARTON) daughter of Alfred Webster and Mary E.

1920 Federal Census

Walnut Street, Bourbon Village, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 166a, 5 January 1920, line 37, house 62, family 66

BARTON, Alfred W. head w m 52, Mary E. wife w f 35; L. Elizabeth dau w f 17; Clara dau w f 14; Lela E. dau w f 4 4/12

[Alfred was born in North Carolina as was his father and his mother was born in South Carolina,

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Mary was born in Missouri, her father was born in Germany, her mother was born in Ohio, the rest born in Missouri, their father in North Carolina their mother in Missouri. Living next door to Laura M. (MISSEY) Pratt family. Alfred owns his home free of mortgage. They all can read and write. He is a carpenter by trade. And Mary can speak German. Elizabeth is a sales lady in a drugstore.]

1928 Death of Father

Alfred W. Barton September 09, 1928 Crawford 30075

1930 Federal Census

Bourbon, Crawford, Missouri

ntblName:Mary E Barton**ntbl Home in 1930:Age:**42**ntbl Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1888

ntbl Birthplace:Missouri **ntbl Relation to Head of House:**Head **ntbl Race:**White**ntbl**

Occupation: **Education:** **Military service:** **Rent/home value:** **Age at first marriage:**

BARTON, Mary E 42 **ntblGIBSON, Robert B** 34 **ntblElizabeth L** 27

ntblBARTON, Lela E 14

1935 Death of Mother

Mary E. Barton February 01, 1935 Crawford 4812

Social Security Death Index

ntblName:Lela E. Sites**ntbl SSN:**498-40-7673 **ntbl Born:**21 Aug 1915**ntbl Died:**19

Mar 1992**ntbl State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (1955)

91. Frances "Fannie" B. Boles (*Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in March 1879 in Washington, Missouri, United States and died from 1900 to 1905 in Little River, Arkansas, United States at age 21.

1879 Birth

Date from the 1880 census states she was born

Date from the 1900 census states she was born March 1879 in Missouri.

CENSUS: 1880??

1893 Marriage

Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Record Book " " page 310

Wm. J. Otto of St. Clair, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Fannie B. Boles of Central Twp., Franklin Co., Mo. under 18; The Father, C. W. Boles of the said Fannie B. Boles has given his assent to her said marriage; 24 February 1893 license; married on 24 February 1893 W. H. Blalock, MG at St. Clair, Franklin Co., Mo.

1900 Federal Census

Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 232b, 23 & 25 June 1900, line 81, house 289, family 290

BOLES, Charles W. head w m born January 1832 age 58; Catherine wife w f born July 1851 age 48; Nannie dau w f born October 1881 age 18; Jesse L. dau w f born November 1884 age 15; **OTTO**, Fannie dau w f born March 1879 age 21; Winnie gdau w f born March 1895 age 5

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[Charles born in Illinois, his parents in Ireland. Catherine born in Missouri as was her parents and the children were born in Missouri except Winnie born in Arkansas. They have been married for 20 years. Catherine says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Fannie says she is married and has been married for 7 years and has had 4 children born and 1 is living. Charles is a farmer and is renting his farm.]

1900 Federal Census

*Little River, Little River, Arkansas [Little River]
OTTO, Jeff 40ntblFannie 22ntblWinnie 5*

CENSUS: 1910

CENSUS: 1920

CENSUS: 1930

DEATH:

Frances married **William Jefferson "Jeff" Otto** on 24 February 1893 in Franklin, Missouri, United States. William was born on 27 December 1861 near Ringers Point Post Office, Liberty Twp, Adair, Missouri, United States and died from 1920 to 1925 in Little River, Arkansas, United States at age 59.

1900 Federal Census

*Little River, Little River, Arkansas [Little River]
OTTO, Jeff 40ntblFannie 22ntblWinnie 5*

Arkansas, County Marriages Index, 1837-1957

ntblName:Jeff Ottontbl **Gender:**Maletbl **Age:**39tbl **Birth Year:**abt 1866tbl
Residence:Arkinda, Little River, Arkansasntbl **Spouse's Name:**Carrie E Cridelltbl **Spouse's Gender:**Femalentbl **Spouse's Age:**21tbl **Spouse's Residence:**Arkinda, Little River, Arkansasntbl **Marriage Date:**26 Apr 1905tbl **Marriage License Date:**26 Apr 1905tbl
Marriage county:Little Riverntbl **Event Type:**Marriage **ntbl FHL Film Number:** 1007915

The child from this marriage was:

+ 250 F i. **Winnie W. Otto** was born on 29 March 1894 in Little River, Arkansas, United States and died on 14 April 1965 at age 71.

92. Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles (Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹) was born on 3 October 1880 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 27 October 1951 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried on 30 October 1951 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1881 Birth

Date from the 1900 census states she was born October 1881 in Missouri.

Date from headstone states she was born 1879.

Date from death certificate states she was born 3 October 1879.

1900 Federal Census

Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 232b, 23 & 25 June 1900, line 81, house

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BOLES, Charles W. head w m born January 1832 age 58; Catherine wife w f born July 1851 age 48; Nannie dau w f born October 1881 age 18; Jesse L. dau w f born November 1884 age 15; **OTTO**, Fannie dau w f born March 1879 age 21; Winnie gdau w f born March 1895 age 5 [Charles born in Illinois, his parents in Ireland. Catherine born in Missouri as was her parents and the children were born in Missouri except Winnie born in Arkansas. They have been married for 20 years. Catherine says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Fannie says she is married and has been married for 7 years and has had 4 children born and 1 is living. Charles is a farmer and is renting his farm.]

1901 Marriage

Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 412

John Cartwright of Leubbering, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Nannie Bowles of Huff, Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 18 February 1901 license; married on 20 February 1901 by Eld. Wm. Hinson at C. Boles (sic) Residence, Franklin Co., Mo.

1910 Federal Census

Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 6b, 26 & 27 April 1910, line house 78, :

CARTWRIGHT, John I. head w m 38; Nannie M. wife w f 29; Emet son w m 7; Jim L. son w m 6; Louise E. dau w f 4; Charley son w m 3; Nellie M. dau w f 2; Samuel father w m 69

[John was born in Missouri his father in New York his mother in Missouri. Nannie was born in Missouri her father in Ireland her mother in Missouri the rest born in Missouri except Samuel born in New York his father in New York and his mother in Germany. Samuel is a widower. John & Nannie have been married for 9 years and Nannie say she had had 5 children born 5 are living.

CENSUS: 1920

CENSUS: 1930

1951 Death

Missouri Department of Health Death Certificate #36892

Nan M. Cartwright died October __, 1951 in county Franklin death certificate #36892

Date from headstone of 1951.

1951 Burial

Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Cartwright, Nan nee Bowles 1879-1951

Cartwright, John 1872-1931

Nancy married **John J. Cartwright**, son of **Samuel "Sam" Cartwright** and **Angeline M.**

Henson, on 20 February 1901 in Huff, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. John was born on 12 December 1872 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 January 1931 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 58, and was buried on 4 January 1931 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1872 Birth

Date from the 1880 census states he was born

Date from the 1900 census states he was born December 1872 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1872 in Missouri.

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Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from headstone states he was born 1872.

CENSUS: 1880

1900 Federal Census

Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 231a, 21 & 22 June 1900, line house 265, family

CARTWRIGHT, Samuel head w m born October 1840 age 59; Angeline wife w f born ---- 1851 age 49; John J. son w m born December 1872 age 27

[Samuel says he was born in New York as was his father his mother born in Germany. Angeline was born in Missouri her parents in Kentucky, John born in Missouri. They have been married for 32 years and Angeline says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living.]

1901 Marriage

Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 412

John Cartwright of Leubbering, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Nannie Bowles of Huff, Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 18 February 1901 license; married on 20 February 1901 by Eld. Wm. Hinson at C. Boles (sic) Residence, Franklin Co., Mo.

1910 Federal Census

Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 6b, 26 & 27 April 1910, line house 78,

CARTWRIGHT, John I. head w m 38; Nannie M. wife w f 29; Emet son w m 7; Jim L. son w m 6; Louise E. dau w f 4; Charley son w m 3; Nellie M. dau w f 2; Samuel father w m 69

[John was born in Missouri his father in New York his mother in Missouri. Nannie was born in Missouri her father in Ireland her mother in Missouri the rest born in Missouri except Samuel born in New York his father in New York and his mother in Germany. Samuel is a widower. John & Nannie have been married for 9 years and Nannie say she had had 5 children born 5 are living.

CENSUS: 1920

CENSUS: 1930

1931 Death

Missouri Department of Health Death Certificate #833

John Cartwright died January 02, 1931 in Franklin County #833

Date from headstone of 1931.

1931 Burial

Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Cartwright, Nan nee Bowles 1879-1951

Cartwright, John 1872-1931

Children from this marriage were:

- + 251 M i. **Emmett Cartwright** was born on 19 August 1902 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 28 April 1984 in Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in April 1984 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri,

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United States.

Emmett married **Mahala Phillips** (d. 11 January 1928) in September 1921 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Emmett next married **Mabel Huff**.

+ 252 M ii. **James L. "Jim" Cartwright** was born in 1904 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in 1979 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried in Midlawn Memorial Gardens, Union, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 253 F iii. **Louise E. Cartwright** was born on 24 December 1905 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 June 1986 at age 80, and was buried in June 1986 in United Methodist Church of Saint Clair Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Louise married **Harold R. Crow** (d. 13 February 1964).

+ 254 M iv. **Charles "Charley" Cartwright** was born on 4 May 1907 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 10 October 1985 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 78, and was buried in October 1985 in Midlawn Memorial Gardens, Union, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 255 F v. **Nellie M. Cartwright** was born on 16 June 1907 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 8 October 1987 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 80, and was buried in October 1987 in Elmwood Church Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Nellie married **Patrick Phillips** (d. 27 October 1981).

+ 256 M vi. **Sidney E. Cartwright** was born on 4 February 1911, died on 17 February 1986 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried in February 1986 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 257 F vii. **Hallie C. Cartwright** was born in 1914, died in 1983 at age 69, and was buried in Midlawn Memorial Gardens, Union, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Hallie married **Jerry Brown**.

+ 258 M viii. **Harry F. Cartwright** was born in 1916, died in 1940 at age 24, and was buried in Virginia Mines Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

93. Jessie L. Boles (*Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 November 1884 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 14 November 1905 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 21, and was buried in November 1905 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1885 Birth

Date from the 1900 census states she was born November 1884 in Missouri.

Date from headstone states she was born 13 November 1885.

1900 Federal Census

Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 232b, 23 & 25 June 1900, line 81, house 289, family 290

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BOLES, Charles W. head w m born January 1832 age 58; Catherine wife w f born July 1851 age 48; Nannie dau w f born October 1881 age 18; Jesse L. dau w f born November 1884 age 15; **OTTO**, Fannie dau w f born March 1879 age 21; Winnie gdau w f born March 1895 age 5 [Charles born in Illinois, his parents in Ireland. Catherine born in Missouri as was her parents and the children were born in Missouri except Winnie born in Arkansas. They have been married for 20 years. Catherine says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Fannie says she is married and has been married for 7 years and has had 4 children born and 1 is living. Charles is a farmer and is renting his farm.]

1905 Death

Date from headstone 14 November 1905.

1905 Burial

Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 2
Boles, Jessie L. 13 November 1885-14 November 1905 son of C.W. & C.J. Boles
[Even though this states "son of" I think the compiler of the record off the cemetery was wrong and the parents in the 1900 census is correct. Parents are buried next to her, no stones.]

94. Rilla Ethel Blanton (*Alexander A. Jr.*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹)
was born on 28 July 1894 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 17 February 1963 at age 68, and was buried in February 1963 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1894 Birth

Date from the 1900 census states she was born July 1894 in Missouri.
Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1895 in Missouri.
Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1895 in Missouri.
Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1895 in Missouri.
Date from her headstone states she was born 1894.

1900 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 27b, 19 & 20 June 1900, line 90, house 218, family 221

BLANTON, Alex head w m born May 1854 age 46; Liza J. wife w f born June 1871 age 29; Rilla E. dau w f born July 1894 age 15; Ralph son w m born July 1898 age 1
[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Alex & Liza have been married for 10 years and Liza says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Alex is a farmer and is renting his farm.]

1910 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 28b, 3 & 4 May 1910, line 92, house 268, family 271

BLANTON, Alexander A. head w m 54; Eliza J. wife w f 38; Rilla E. dau w f 15; Ralph M. son w m 11
[All born in Missouri including parents except Alex's parents born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years. Eliza says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Alex is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1917-1918 Marriage

Harry Herman Graham and Rilla Ethel Blanton were married about 1917-1918 probably at her parents residence at Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

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1920 Federal Census

Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 176a, 5 January 1920, line 46, house 47, family 62

GRAHAM, Harry H. head w m 45; Rilla E. wife w f 25; Lucile dau w f 2/12

[Harry was born in Pennsylvania as was his parents. Rilla was born in Missouri as was her parents and Lucille born in Missouri. Harry is a tie maker for the railroad. Living next door to Arthur H. & Lizzie A. (**WARRING**) Blanton a distant couzin.]

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 272a, 12 April 1930, line 1, house 211, family 222_

GRAHAM, Harry H. head w f 56; Rilla E. wife w f 35; Lucille dau w f 10; John A. son w m 9

[Harry was born in Pennsylvania as was his parents. Rilla was born in Missouri as was her parents and the rest born in Missouri. Harry was 45 year old on his first marriage, Rilla was 23 years old on her first marriage. Harry is a contractor doing street construction.]

1935 Residency on Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 69

Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 230b, 23 April 1940, line 61, house 239 _

GRAHAM. Harry head w m 66; Rilla wife w f 45; Lucille dau w f 20; **BLANTON**, Jennie mother-in-law w f 68

[Harry was born in Pennsylvania, the rest in Missouri. Jennie is a widow. Harry is in store construction. Lucille works in a shoe factory.]

1963 Death

1963 Burial

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, (Odd Fellows) Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Graham, Harry H. Sr. 1874-1952

Graham, Rilla E. 1894-1963

Graham, Harry H. Jr. 9 Sep 1925-20 Sep 1925 son of Harry H. & Rilla E.

Graham, Jessie L. 12 Apr 1922-[no date] s/s Thetis D.

Graham, John A. 16 January 1921-23 Nov 1941 (sic) MO Pvt 1 CT 2520 AAF Base Unit

Graham, Thetis O. 10 Dec 1927-10 Jan 1987

Rilla married **Harry Herman Graham Sr.**, son of **John Laugherty Graham** and **Maria Lucinda Ogden**, from 1917 to 1918. Harry was born on 21 March 1874 in New Florence Post Office, Fairfield Twp, Westmoreland, Pennsylvania, United States, died on 12 January 1952 in North Side Hospital, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried on 14 January 1952 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1874 Birth

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Date from the 1880 census states he was born in 1874 in Pennsylvania.
Date from the 1900 census states he was born in
Date from the 1910 census states he was born in 1874 in Pennsylvania.
Date from the 1920 census states he was born in 1875 in Pennsylvania.
Date from the 1930 census states he was born in 1874 in Pennsylvania.
Date from the headstone states he was born 1874.
Date from death certificate states he was born 21 March 1871 in Pennsylvania.

1880 Federal Census

Center Twp, Mitchell, Kansas, United States, page 151a, 16 & 17 June 1880, line 35, house 173, family 173

GRAHAM, John L. head w m 40; Maria L. wife w f 38; Joseph W. son w m 17; Margaret A. dau w f 12; Ella A. dau w f 10; John C. son w m 8; Harry W. son w m 6; Sarah E. dau w f 3; Cate S. dau w f 2 mos March

[All born in Pennsylvania as was their parents except Cate was born in Kansas. John is a farmer.]

1910 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 29a, 4 May 1910, line 3, house 270, family 273

GRAHAM, Joseph W. head w m 48; Estella wife w f 35; Dorothy dau w f 6; Harry H. brother w m 36

[Joseph & Harry born in Pennsylvania as was their parents. Estella born in Missouri, her father in Indiana and her mother in Kentucky, Dorothy born in Missouri. Joseph has been married twice, Estella once and they have been married for 10 years. Harry is single. Estella says she has had 1 child born and 1 is living. Harry is a manager of a copper mine. Living next door to Dace, Blanton families.]

1920 Federal Census

Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 176a, 5 January 1920, line 46, house 47, family 62

GRAHAM, Harry H. head w m 45; Rilla E. wife w f 25; Lucile dau w f 2/12

[Harry was born in Pennsylvania as was his parents. Rilla was born in Missouri as was her parents and Lucille born in Missouri. Harry is a tie maker for the railroad. Living next door to Arthur H. & Lizzie A. (**WARRING**) Blanton a distant cousin.]

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 272a, 12 April 1930, line 1, house 211, family 222_

GRAHAM, Harry H. head w f 56; Rilla E. wife w f 35; Lucille dau w f 10; John A. son w m 9

[Harry was born in Pennsylvania as was his parents. Rilla was born in Missouri as was her parents and the rest born in Missouri. Harry was 45 year old on his first marriage, Rilla was 23 years old on her first marriage. Harry is a contractor doing street construction.]

1935 Residency on Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 69

Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 230b, 23 April 1940, line 61, house 239 _

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GRAHAM. Harry head w m 66; Rilla wife w f 45; Lucille dau w f 20; **BLANTON**, Jennie mother-in-law w f 68

[Harry was born in Pennsylvania, the rest in Missouri. Jennie is a widow. Harry is in store construction. Lucille works in a shoe factory.]

1952 Death

Missouri State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, State File #803

Harry Herman Graham white married male born 21 March 1871 in Pennsylvania to John L. Graham and Maria Ogden. He was a lumber dealer and married to Mrs. Rilla Graham. His usual residence was 216 North Church Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. He died on 12 January 1952 at North Side Hospital, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. He was buried on 14 January 1952 at I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. The informant was Mrs. Rilla Graham of Sullivan, Missouri.

Harry H. Graham died January __, 1952 in Franklin County, Missouri #803

1952 Burial

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, (Odd Fellows) Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Graham, Harry H. Sr. 1874-1952

Graham, Rilla E. 1894-1963

Graham, Harry H. Jr. 9 Sep 1925-20 Sep 1925 son of Harry H. & Rilla E.

Graham, Jessie L. 12 Apr 1922-[no date] s/s Thetis D.

Graham, John A. 16 January 1921-23 Nov 1941 MO Pvt 1 CT 2520 AAF Base Unit

Graham, Thetis O. 10 Dec 1927-10 Jan 1987

Children from this marriage were:

- + 259 F i. **Lucille Graham** was born in November 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
Lucille married **Reed**.
- + 260 M ii. **John "Johnny" Alexander Graham** was born on 16 January 1921 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 23 November 1945 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 24, and was buried on 25 November 1945 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 261 M iii. **Harry Herman Graham Jr.** was born on 9 September 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 20 September 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried in September 1925 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

95. Ralph McDonald Blanton Sr. (*Alexander A. Jr.*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born on 11 July 1898 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 10 October 1967 in Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 69, and was buried in October 1967 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1898 Birth

Date from the 1900 census states he was born in July 1898 in Missouri,

Date from the 1910 census states he was born in 1899 in Missouri.

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Date from the 1920 census states he was born in 1899 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born in 1899 in Missouri.

Social Security death index states he was born 11 July 1898.

1900 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 27b, 19 & 20 June 1900, line 90, house 218, family 221

BLANTON, Alex head w m born May 1854 age 46; Liza J. wife w f born June 1871 age 29;

Rilla E. dau w f born July 1894 age 15; Ralph son w m born July 1898 age 1

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Alex & Liza have been married for 10 years and Liza says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Alex is a farmer and is renting his farm.]

1910 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 28b, 3 & 4 May 1910, line 92, house 268, family 271

BLANTON, Alexander A. head w m 54; Eliza J. wife w f 38; Rilla E. dau w f 15; Ralph M. son w m 11

[All born in Missouri including parents except Alex's parents born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage abd they have been married for 19 years. Eliza says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. Alex is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1920 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 177a, 3 January 1920, line 2, farm 21, family 21

BLANTON, Alexander A. head w m 65; Eliza J. wife w f 48; Ralph M. son w m 21

[All born in Missouri including parents except Alex's parents born in Tennessee. Alex is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1826-1827 Marriage

Ralph M. Blanton and Annabelle A. Bates were married 1926/1927.

1930 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 185, 29 April 1930, house 227,

BLANTON, Ralph M. head w m 31; Annabelle wife w f 23; Ralph Jr. son w m 1 ?/12; Alcy Jane dau w f 2; Guss uncle w m 78 widowed

[All born in Missouri including parents except Gus' father born in Kentucky. Ralph was first married at age 29, Annabelle at age 21.]

1967 Death

1967 Burial

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, (Odd Fellows) Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Blanton, Ralph M. Sr. 11 July 1898-10 October 1967 husband of Annabell A.

Blanton, Annabell A. 8 June 1907-21 October 1992

Blanton, Alcy Jane 1930-1930

1967 Social Security Death Index

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Name:Ralph Blanton **SSN:**497-03-5315 **Last Residence:**63116 Saint Louis, Saint Louis City, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**11 Jul 1898 **Died:**Oct 1967 **State (Year)**
SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Ralph married **Annabell Alcey Bates**, daughter of **William Franklin Bates** and **Lydia Magdelain Koester**, in 1927 in Edwardsville, Edwardsville Twp, Madison, Illinois, United States. Annabell was born on 8 June 1907 in Spring Bluff, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 21 October 1992 in Florissant, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 85, and was buried in October 1992 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1907 Birth

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1908 in Missouri.
Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1908 in Missouri.
Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1907 in Missouri.
Date from headstone states she was born 8 June 1907.
Date from SSDI states she was born 8 June 1907.

1910 Federal Census

Boone, Franklin, Missouri, United States,

Name:William F Bates [Willian F Bates] **Age in 1910:**33 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1877

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Father's Birth Place:**Missouri

Mother's Birth Place:Missouri **Spouse's Name:**Liddie **Home in 1910:**Marital

Status:Married **Race:**White **Gender:**Male

BATES, William F 33 Liddie 30 Annie B 2 Martle e 9/12

1920 Federal Census

Boone, Franklin, Missouri, United States,

Name:William F Bates **Home in 1920:****Age:**43 years **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1877

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's Name:**Lydia M **Father's**

Birth Place:Missouri **Mother's Birth Place:**Tennessee **Marital Status:**Married

Race:White **Sex:**Male **Home owned:**Own **Able to read:**Yes **Able to Write:**Yes

Image:189

BATES, William F 43 Lydia M 39 Annie B 12 Myrtle E 10 Della S 8 Henry

W 6 Florence L 3 11/12 George K 1 3/12

1927 Marriage

Ralph M. Blanton and Annabelle A. Bates were married 1927 in Edwardsville, Madison, Illinois, United States. (needs to be verified)

1930 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 185, 29 April 1930, house 227,

BLANTON, Ralph M. head w m 31; Annabelle wife w f 23; Ralph Jr. son w m 1 ?/12; Alcy Jane dau w f 2; Guss uncle w m 78 widowed

[All born in Missouri including parents except Gus' father born in Kentucky. Ralph was first married at age 29, Annabelle at age 21.]

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1992 Death

1992 Burial

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, (Odd Fellows) Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Blanton, Ralph M. Sr. 11 July 1898-10 October 1967 husband of Annabell A.

Blanton, Annabell A. 8 June 1907-21 October 1992

Blanton, Alcy Jane 1930-1930

Social Security Death Index

<<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

Name:Annabell A. Blanton SSN:500-32-3800 Last Residence:63031 Florissant, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States of America Born:8 Jun 1907 Died:21 Oct 1992 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 262 M i. **Ralph McDonald Blanton Jr.** was born on 4 July 1928 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 6 September 1989 at age 61, and was buried on 11 September 1989 in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States.
- + 263 F ii. **Alcie Jane Blanton** was born on 28 January 1930 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 21 April 1930 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried on 21 April 1930 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

96. Jim Dulio "Duel" Dulie Blanton (*Absalom B.*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 6 June 1886 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died in 1917 in Germany at age 31.

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Dulio Blanton **Marriage Date:**Aug 1914 **Marriage Location:**Franklin, Missouri

Marriage County:Franklin **Spouse Name:**Elizza Stater

1914 Marriage

Franklin County Missouri marriage Record Book "", page 33

Dulio Blanton of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Elizza Stater of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

over 18; 28 August 1914 license; married on (no day entered) August 1914 by P. C. Thurmond, JP at Frank Stater's, Franklin Co., Mo.; filed 1 September 1914

Jim married **Elizabeth "Eliza" "Lizzie" F. Stater**, daughter of **Francis "Frank" Stater** and **Fannie Neff**, on 28 August 1914 in Franklin, Missouri, United States. Elizabeth was born in 1894.

1910 United States Federal Census

Name:Frank Stater [Frank States] **Age in 1910:**52 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1858

Birthplace:Wisconsin [Illinois] **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Father's Birth Place:**Germany

Mother's Birth Place:Germany **Spouse's Name:**Fannie **Home in 1910:**Boone, Crawford, Missouri

Marital Status:Married **Race:**White **Gender:**Male

STATER, Frank 52 **Fannie** 45 **Lizzie F** 16 **Bertha Ann** 10

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97. Arthur "Joker" Blanton (*Absalom B.* ³, *Alexander A. Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹)

was born on 14 July 1887 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 2 November 1947 in O'Reilly Veteran's Administration Hospital, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried on 3 November 1947 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census

Desloge, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 152b, 5 June 1900, line 70, house 129, family 136

BLANTON, Ab B. head w m born May 1855 age 45; Ellen wife w f born December 1847 age 52; Arthur son w m born July 1887 age 12; Lottie dau w f born July 1889 age 10

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Absalom and Ellen have been married for 18 years and Ellen says she has had 7 children born and 3 are living. Absalom is a miner and they are renting their home.]

1910 Federal Census

Railroad Avenue, Bourbon Village, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 17a, 16 April 1910, house 33, family 33

BLANTON, A.S. head w m 54; Martha E. wife w f 53; Arthur son w m 21

[Absalom born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky, Martha and Luther born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 27 years and this is Absalom and Martha's second marriage. Martha says she has had 7 children born and 3 are living.]

1910-1917 Marriage

1930 Federal Census

Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 171b, 3 April 1930, house 56, family 57;

BLANTON, Arthur head w m 43; Mary E. wife w f 23; Arthur J. son w m 4 3/12; Walter L. son w m 3 2/12; Nadine dau w f 1 11/12; Magdalene dau w f 11/12

[All born in Missouri including parents except Mary's mother was born in Oklahoma. Arthur and Mary are married and Arthur's first marriage was at the age of 37, Mary's at the age of 17. Arthur owns his home and he is a carpenter. They are living next door to his parents; Albert B. & Ellen (**JACKSON**) Blanton.]

1947 Death

Missouri State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, State File #37688

Arthur Blanton white married male was born 14 July 1888 in Bourbon, Missouri to Absalom Blanton born in Sullivan, Missouri and Ellen Jackson born in Sullivan, Missouri. Arthur was a WW1 veteran and married to Mrs. Mary Blanton. He died on 2 November 1947 at O'Reilly Veteran's Administration Hospital, Springfield, Green, Missouri. He was removed to Cuba, Missouri for burial on 3 November 1947. The informant was the clinical records of the hospital.

1947 BURIAL:

"Cemeteries of Crawford County Missouri" by Helen (**GRADDY**) Wright © 1993, page 66

Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Blanton, Arthur July 17, 1888-Nov 2, 1947 Mo. Pvt. Air Service WW1

Blanton, Alta Delores, 30-Jul-1923, 19-Sep-1978,,

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Blanton, James W., 22-Aug-1949-2-Dec-1965,,
Blanton, Lottie B., 1940-2004,, Britton Funeral Home marker

FAG# 23085548

Arthur "Joker" Blanton {FAG# 23085548} was born 14 July 1887 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 2 November 1947 - O'Reilly Veteran's Administration Hospital, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States and was buried 3 November 1947 - Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Absalom B. Blanton {FAG# 102040325} (1856-1933) Mother: Martha Ellen (**JACKSON**) {FAG# 102040569} (1857-1933). Spouse: Mary Elizabeth (**FENTON**) {FAG#* 102041614} (30 September 1908 - 18 January 1975) Marriage: 23 February 1925 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Children: Arthur B. Blanton (1925-) James Lee Blanton {FAG# 72500822} (1927-2001) Nadine Emily (**BLANTON**) Walters (1928-) Magdeline "Tootsie" (**BLANTON**) Crider {FAG# 70125934} (1929-1990) Stella Mae "Polly" (**BLANTON**) Coffman (1930-) Myrtle Ellen (**BLANTON**) Overbey (1932-1998) Audrain Absalom Blanton (1933-) Robert "Bob" Donald Blanton (1934-) Shirley Jean (**BLANTON**) Melton (1935-) Edna Jane "Inkie" (**BLANTON**) Beck (1937-) Lottie Belle (**BLANTON**) Jacobsen {FAG# 77850610} (1940-2004) Carol Yvonne (**BLANTON**) Brewer (1941-) Ruth Elaine (**BLANTON**) Poertner (1945-)

Arthur married **Mary Elizabeth Fenton**, daughter of **Arthur Lee Fenton** and **Myrtle Lee Ridgeway**, on 23 February 1925 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Mary was born on 30 September 1908 in House Creek Twp, Pawnee, Oklahoma, United States, died on 18 January 1975 in Stauton Twp, Macoupin, Illinois, United States at age 66, and was buried on 21 January 1975 in Memorial Park Cemetery, Stauton Twp, Macoupin, Illinois, United States.

1908 BIRTH:

Date from the 1910 census states he was born in 1908 in Missouri.
Date from the 1920 census states he was born in 1908 in Missouri.
Date from the 1930 census states he was born in 1907 in Missouri.

1910 FEDERAL CENSUS:

, House Creek Township, Pawnee, Oklahoma, United States, page 110a, 19 & 20 April 1910, house 31, family 31

FENTON, Arthur L. head w m 38; Myrtle wife w f 31; Leslie son w m 9; Rosa dau w f 5; Mary dau w f 2; John son w m 5/12

[All born in Missouri including parents except Rosa & John born in Oklahoma. This is Arthur and Myrtle's first marriage and they have been married for 11 years. Myrtle says she has had 6 children born and 4 are living. Arthur is a plasterer and mason.]

1920 FEDERAL CENSUS:

Chouteau Avenue, District 125, Saint Louis Ward 7, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 225b, 3 January 1920, house 1306, dwelling 9, family 29

FENTON, Arthur head w m 47; Myrtle wife w f 42; Mary dau w f 12; John son w m 10; Peter son w m 8; Lily dau w f 5; Arthur Jr. son w m 3

[All born in Missouri as are their parents except John, Peter and Arthur Jr born in Oklahoma. Arthur & Myrtle are married. Arthur is a laborer at a hardware company.]

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1930 FEDERAL CENSUS:

Bourbon, Boone Township, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 171b, 3 April 1930, house 56, family 57;

BLANTON, Arthur head w m 43; Mary E. wife w f 23; Arthur J. son w m 4 3/12; Walter L. son w m 3 2/12; Nadine dau w f 1 11/12; Magdalene dau w f 11/12

[All born in Missouri including parents except Mary's mother was born in Oklahoma. Arthur and Mary are married and Arthur's first marriage was at the age of 37, Mary's at the age of 17. Arthur owns his home and he is a carpenter. They are living next door to his parents; Albert B. & Ellen (**JACKSON**) Blanton.]

1975 DEATH:

The birth and death date were obtained from a researcherr in the NFS program and can not be verified at this time unless we order the death certificate from Illinois.

Mary Elizabeth (FENTON) Blanton Henesly {FAG#* 102041614}

Birth: 30 September 1908 - House Creek Twp, Pawnee, Oklahoma, United States

Death: 18 January 1975 - Stauton Twp, Macoupin, Illinois, United States

Burial: 21 January 1975 - Memorial Park Cemetery, Stauton Twp, Macoupin, Illinois, United States

Parents

Father: Arthur Lee Fenton {FAG#+ 85820890} (1872-1925)

Mother: Myrtle Lee (RIDGEWAY){FAG#* 92566777} (1878-1924)

Spouses

1st spouse Arthur "Joker" Blanton {FAG# 23085548} (14 July 1887 - 2 November 1947)

Marriage: 23 February 1925 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Children:

1. Arthur B. Blanton (1925-)
2. James Lee Blanton {FAG# 72500822} (1927-2001)
3. Nadine Emily (BLANTON) Walters (1928-)
4. Magdeline "Tootsie" (BLANTON) Crider {FAG# 70125934} (1929-1990)
5. Stella Mae "Polly" (BLANTON) Coffman (1930-)
6. Myrtle Ellen (BLANTON) Overbey (1932-1998)
7. Audrain Absalom Blanton (1933-)
8. Robert "Bob" Donald Blanton (1934-)
9. Shirley Jean (BLANTON) Melton (1935-)
10. Edna Jane "Inkie" (BLANTON) Beck (1937-)
11. Lottie Belle (BLANTON) Jacobsen {FAG# 77850610} (1940-2004)
12. Carol Yvonne (BLANTON) Brewer (1941-)
13. Ruth Elaine (BLANTON) Poertner (1945-)

2nd spouse Arlie Hensley (-)

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 264 M i. **Arthur B. Blanton** was born on 25 December 1925 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
Arthur married **Vicky**.
- + 265 M ii. **James Lee Blanton** was born on 28 February 1927 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 9 August 2001 in Lookout, Pike, Kentucky, United States at age 74, and was buried in August 2001 in Camp Nelson National Cemetery, Nicholasville, Jessamine, Kentucky, United States.
- + 266 F iii. **Nadine Emily Blanton** was born on 22 May 1928 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
Nadine married **Custer R. Walters** (d. 6 February 2001).
- + 267 F iv. **Magdeline "Tootsie" Blanton** was born on 17 May 1929 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 5 February 1990 in New Hartford, Pike, Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried in February 1990 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
Magdeline married **Charles Edwin Crider** (d. 24 December 1980).
- + 268 F v. **Stella Mae "Polly" Blanton** was born on 11 August 1930 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
Stella married **Woodrow Coffman**.
- + 269 F vi. **Myrtle Ellen Blanton** was born on 3 March 1932 and died on 22 March 1998 at age 66.
Myrtle married **William Overley** (d. 26 March 1998).
- + 270 M vii. **Audrain Absalom Blanton** was born on 10 September 1933.
Audrain married **Reva Jane Bova** (d. 1964).
- + 271 M viii. **Robert "Bob" Donald Blanton** was born on 23 May 1934.
- + 272 F ix. **Shirley Jean Blanton** was born on 4 May 1935.
Shirley married **Melton**.
- + 273 F x. **Edna Jane "Inkie" Blanton** was born on 30 June 1937.
Edna married **Lee Beck**.
- + 274 F xi. **Lottie Belle Blanton** was born on 22 January 1940 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 17 October 2004 in Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried on 22 October 2004 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
Lottie married **Rudyard Lugburg Jacobsen**.
- + 275 F xii. **Carol Yvonne Blanton** was born on 2 October 1941.
Carol married **George Brewer**.
- + 276 F xiii. **Ruth Elaine Blanton** was born on 10 August 1945.
Ruth married **William "Bill" Dale Poertner**.

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Ruth next married **Harold Dean Langford** on 6 November 1993.

98. Lottie Blanton (*Absalom B.*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 16 July 1891 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died on 13 January 1963 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried in January 1963 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1889 Birthblock for Lottie (BLANTON)

Date from the 1900 census states she was born July 1889 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1889 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1892 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

1900 Federal Census

Desloge, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 152b, 5 June 1900, line 70, house 129, family 136

BLANTON, Ab B. head w m born May 1855 age 45; Ellen wife w f born December 1847 age 52; Arthur son w m born July 1887 age 12; Lottie dau w f born July 1889 age 10

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Absalom and Ellen have been married for 18 years and Ellen says she has had 7 children born and 3 are living. Absalom is a miner and they are renting their home.]

1905 Marriage

Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Book "G", Page 142

Mahlon E. Keyes and Lottie Blanton were married on 23 July 1905.

1910 Federal Census

3811 Kossuth Avenue, Saint Louis Ward 21, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 92b, 15 April 1910, line 55, house 3811, dwelling 24, family 31

KEYES, Malilon E. head w m 31; Lattie B. wife w f 21; Mildred dau w f 3

[Mahlon born in Missouri, his father in Michigan his mother in Tennessee, all the rest born in Missouri as was their parents. Mahlon and Lottie have been married once for 5 years and Lottie says she has had 1 child born and 1 child is living. They are renting and Mahlon is a carpenter.]

1930 Federal Census

St Louis, St Louis (Independent City), Missouri

Name:Lottie Keyes **Home in 1930: Age:**38 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1892

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Race:**White **Occupation:**

Education: **Military service:** **Rent/home value:** **Age at first marriage:**

KEYES, Lottie 38 Goldie Davis <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=21991254>> 45 Ether Paul <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=21991199>> 45 William McCarry <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=21991247>> 40 Ames L Sheppard <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=21991271>> 46 Neva Sheppard <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=21991245>> 43 Russell Sheppard <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=21991262>> 18 Lucille Sheppard <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=21991195>> 16 Betty Sheppard <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=21991202>> 10 James Riley <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=>

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FAG# 49840770

Lottie (BLANTON) Keyes {FAG# 49840770} was born 16 July 1891 - Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States and died 13 January 1963 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and was buried January 1963 - Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Absalom B. Blanton {FAG# 102040325} (1856-1933) Mother: Martha Ellen (JACKSON) {FAG# 102040569} (1857-1933) Spouse: Mahlon Edgar Keyes {FAG# 872911} (2 December 1877 - 3 April 1944) Marriage: 23 July 1905 - Crawford, Missouri, United States. Children: Mildred (KEYES) Bell {FAG# 54483253} (1907-1996) Vernon E. Keyes (1916-)

Lottie married **Mahlon Edgar Keyes**, son of **James Gillispie Keyes** and **Nancy Elnora McCashin**, on 23 July 1905 in Crawford, Missouri, United States. Mahlon was born on 2 December 1877 in Oak Hill Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 3 April 1944 in Legion, Kerrville, Kerr, Texas, United States at age 66, and was buried in April 1944 in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, 1520 Harry Wurzbach Road, San Antonio, Bexar, Texas, United States.

1877 Birthblock

Date from the 1880 census states he was born 1879 in Missouri.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born December 1877 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1879 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

1880 Federal Census

Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 12a, 17 June 1880, line 11, house 96, family 101

KEYES, James G. head w m 35; Nancy E. wife w f 39; Alvin F. son w m 8; Mahlon E. son w m 1

[James born in Michigan, father born in Maine, mother born in New York, Nancy born in Tennessee as was her parents, Alvin born in Illinois, Mahlon born in Missouri. James is a laborer.]

1899 U.S. Army, Register of Enlistments, 1798-1914

Registrar of Enlistments, page 345, line 851,

Name: Mahlon E Keyes Birthyear: abt 1877 Birthplace: Missouri, United States Enlistment Date: 7 April 1899 Enlistment Age: 21 4/12 Enlisted at Joplin, Missouri by Lieut. Dean, for a period of 3 years. Born Sarburg?, Missouri. Occ: Miner Eyes Blue, hair Dark, complexion white fair, height 5'9", enlistment infantry company H discharged April 6, 1902 at Madison Barracks, New York,

1900 Federal Census

Jolo, Philippine Islands, Military and Naval Forces, page 35b, July & August 1900, line 75,

KEYES, Mahlon E. w m born December 1877 age 22

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[Born in Missouri, father born in Michigan, mother born in Tennessee. Mahlon is a private, from Oak Hill, Missouri, single.]

1905 Marriage

Crawford County, Missouri Marriage Book "G", Page 142

Mahlon E. Keyes and Lottie Blanton were married on 23 July 1905.

1910 Federal Census

3811 Kossuth Avenue, Saint Louis Ward 21, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 92b, 15 April 1910, line 55, house 3811, dwelling 24, family 31

KEYES, Malilon E. head w m 31; Lattie B. wife w f 21; Mildred dau w f 3

[Mahlon born in Missouri, his father in Michigan his mother in Tennessee, all the rest born in Missouri as was their parents. Mahlon and Lottie have been married once for 5 years and Lottie says she has had 1 child born and 1 child is living. They are renting and Mahlon is a carpenter.]

Mahlon Edgar Keyes {FAG# 872911} was born 2 December 1877 - Oak Hill Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 3 April 1944 - Legion, Kerrville, Kerr, Texas, United States and was buried April 1944 - Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, 1520 Harry Wurzbach Road, San Antonio, Bexar, Texas, United States. Parents: Father: James Gillispie Keyes {FAG# 49840732} (1845-1920) Mother: Nancy Elnora (MCCASHIN) {FAG# 49840804} (1841-1917) Spouse: Lottie (BLANTON) {FAG# 49840770} (16 July 1891 - 13 January 1963) Marriage: 23 July 1905 - Crawford, Missouri, United States. Children: Mildred (KEYES) Bell {FAG# 54483253} (1907-1996) Vernon E. Keyes (1916-)

Children from this marriage were:

+ 277 F i. **Mildred Keyes** was born on 8 January 1907 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died 12 Dec 1996 in Arlington, Tarrant, Texas, United States at age 89, and was buried in December 1996 in Parkdale Cemetery, Arlington, Tarrant, Texas, United States.

Mildred married **Asher Richardson Bell Sr.** (d. 10 October 1984).

+ 278 M ii. **Vernon E. Keyes** was born on 8 December 1916 in Springfield, Capital Twp, Sangamon, Illinois, United States.

99. Rosie May Keys (*Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 January 1887 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 26 August 1985 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 98.

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John H. Reed of St. Clair, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Rosie M. Keys of St. Clair, Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 24 August 1905 license; married on 24 August 1905 by R. E. Atkinson, MG at St. Clair, Franklin Co., Mo.

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Rosie married **John Harvey Reed**, son of **Enos Reed** and **Lydia Hoff**, on 24 August 1905 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. John was born on 7 October 1883 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 15 October 1966 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 83, and was buried in October 1966 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 279 M i. **Jewell Reed** was born on 10 June 1906 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 8 May 1907 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried in May 1907 in Green Mound Cemetery, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 280 M ii. **William Enos Reed** was born on 2 April 1908 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 25 November 1986 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 78.
- + 281 M iii. **Marshall Reed** was born on 5 July 1910 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 July 1996 in House Springs, High Ridge Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 86, and was buried on 9 July 1996 in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States.
- + 282 M iv. **Mathew Reed** was born on 5 July 1910 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 February 1995 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 84, and was buried in February 1995 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 283 M v. **Douglas Reed** was born on 18 January 1912 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 March 1994 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 82, and was buried in March 1994 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 284 F vi. **Wilda E. Reed** was born on 12 March 1914 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 February 2008 at age 93, and was buried in February 2008 in Park Lawn Cemetery, Lemay, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
Wilda married **Wilbert Howard Barks** (d. 24 July 1998).
- + 285 M vii. **Sherwood Reed** was born on 26 June 1916 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 13 June 2005 in Long Beach, Harrison, Mississippi, United States at age 88, and was buried in June 2005 in Biloxi National Cemetery, P.O. Box 4968 Pass Road Biloxi, Mississippi, United States.
- + 286 F viii. **Helen L. Reed** was born on 21 March 1918 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 14 July 2002 in Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 84, and was buried in July 2002 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
- + 287 M ix. **Harvey John Reed** was born on 26 August 1919 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 3 July 1991 in Desloge Village, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried in July 1991 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

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Harvey married **Geraldine Mabel Miller** (d. 25 August 2010) on 13 May 1942 in Irondale, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

- + 288 M x. **Waldo "Toe" B. Reed** was born on 23 July 1922 in Leadwood, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 21 October 2003 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in October 2003 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

100. Birdie Keys (*Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton* ³, *Alexander A. Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 12 May 1891 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 12 January 1979 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 87, and was buried in January 1979 in Marvin Chapel Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Hedgemon Asbridge **Age:**26 **Birth Date:**abt 1883 **Marriage Date:**24 Feb 1909
Marriage Location:St Francois, Missouri **Marriage County:**St Francois **Spouse**
Name:Birdie Keys **Spouse Age:**19 **Spouse Birth Date:**abt 1890

CENSUS: 1920 Second StreetEast Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twsp., St. Francois Co., MO.,5
Feb 1920, page 54B, house
882, :

ASBRIDGE, Hedgeman E. head w m age: 35 mar born: MO Fa: KY Mo: KY
Birdie wife w f age: 28 mar born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Orin S. son w m age: 8 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
James S. son w m age: 5 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Iona C. dau w f age: 3 7/12 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

(nexzt door to Henry C. Blanton and family.)

Birdie married **Hedgeman "Red" Asbridge** on 24 February 1909 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. Hedgeman was born on 10 June 1883 in Sainte Genevieve, Missouri, United States, died on 17 August 1967 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 84, and was buried in August 1967 in Marvin Chapel Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Son of Silas Martin & Ellen Eurie (Roberts) Asbridge, husband of Birdie Keys.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 289 M i. **Orin S. Asbridge** was born in 1912 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.
+ 290 M ii. **James Stanley Asbridge** was born on 23 March 1914 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died on 6 April 1970 at age 56.
+ 291 F iii. **Iona C. Asbridge** was born in 1917 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

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101. Thomas "Tom" Keys (*Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton* ³, *Alexander A. Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 1 January 1892 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 12 March 1986 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 94, and was buried in March 1986 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

CENSUS: 1920 St. Francois Co., MO., Perry Twsp., East Bonne Terre Village, Adams Street, house 861, Page 40B, 3 Feb 1920:

KEYS, William head w m 61 mar born: AR Fa: US Mo: US

Queenie wife w f 61 mar born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN

Thomas son w m 27 sng born: MO Fa: AR Mo: MO

Theresa dau w f 24 sng born: MO Fa: AR Mo: MO

Thomas married **Malissa Pearl Neff**, daughter of **Charles "Charley" Neff** and **Elizabeth "Betty" M. Garrett**, from 1920 to 1922. Malissa was born on 5 October 1903 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 10 January 1938 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 34, and was buried on 12 January 1938 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census

Meramec Ward 2, Franklin, Missouri

Name:Melisa Neff **Age in 1910:**6 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1904 **Birthplace:**Missouri

Relation to Head of House:Niece **Father's Birth Place:**Ohio **Mother's Birth Place:**Missouri

Home in 1910:Marital Status:Single **Race:**White **Gender:**Female

BENSON, Albert 47 Emma 37 **NEFF**, Melisa 6

Melissa P. Keys January __, 1938 Franklin 2672

FAG#* 102068139

Malissa Pearl (**NEFF**) Keys {FAG#* 102068139}

Birth: 5 October 1903 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Death: 10 January 1938 - Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Burial: 12 January 1938 - Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Parents

Father: Charles "Charley" Neff {FAG# 5268273} (1858-1933)

Mother: Elizabeth "Betty" M. (**GARRETT**) (1867-1903/1910)

Spouse:

Thomas "Tom" Keys {FAG# 27739256} (1 January 1892 - 12 March 1986)

Marriage: 1920-1922

Children:

1. Monroe Keys {FAG# 27696829} (1923-1975)

2. Hilda Marie (**KEYS**) Hudson {FAG# 27739278} (1925-1992)

3. Katherine Leona "Kitty" (**KEYS**) Newby {FAG# 27696820} (1927-2002)

4. Wilma Faye "Wink" (**KEYS**) Weirich Schoenfeld {FAG# 54124116} (1930-After 1982)

5. Betty Jean (**KEYS**) Deaton {FAG# 83920773} (1932-2009)

6. Nellie Fern (**KEYS**) Suiter (1936-)

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 292 M i. **Monroe Keys** was born on 28 January 1923 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 14 November 1975 in Washington, Ohio, United States at age 52, and was buried in November 1975 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- Monroe married **Joan Edwards**.
- + 293 F ii. **Hilda Marie Keys** was born on 21 January 1925 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 11 January 1992 in Washington, Ohio, United States at age 66, and was buried in January 1992 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- Hilda married **Leonard Hudson** (d. 4 April 2008) from 1944 to 1946.
- + 294 F iii. **Katherine Leona "Kitty" Keys** was born on 17 February 1927 in Kirkwood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 12 October 2002 in Arco, Butte, Idaho, United States at age 75, and was buried in October 2002 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- Katherine married **Willis Ranson Newby** (d. 6 March 1967) in April 1964 in Idaho, United States.
- + 295 F iv. **Wilma Faye "Wink" Keys** was born on 3 October 1930 in Morris Mills, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died after 1982, and was buried in Crestview Memorial Park, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- Wilma married **Andrew Frederick Weirich** (d. 30 July 1961) on 5 November 1948 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- Wilma next married **Edwin Joseph Schoenfeld** (d. November 1982).
- + 296 F v. **Betty Jean Keys** was born on 19 May 1932 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 23 October 2009 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried on 27 October 2009 in United Methodist Church of Saint Clair Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- Betty married **Reuban Jordan Deaton** on 24 June 1955.
- + 297 F vi. **Nellie Fern Keys** was born on 13 March 1936 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- Nellie married **Ray Suiter** (d. 1980-1990).

Thomas next married **Betty Hilliard**, daughter of **Hilliard** and **Loucinda Stephens**. Betty was buried in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. They had no children.

102. Theresa "Tressie" Keys (*Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 16 September 1895 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 14 July 1946 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 50, and was buried on 16 July 1946 in Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

CENSUS: 1920 St. Francois Co., MO., Perry Twsp., East Bonne Terre Village, Adams Street, house 861, Page 40B, 3 Feb 1920:

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KEYS, William head w m 61 mar born: AR Fa: US Mo: US
Queenie wife w f 61 mar born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN
Thomas son w m 27 sng born: MO Fa: AR Mo: MO
Theresa dau w f 24 sng born: MO Fa: AR Mo: MO

Name:Alexander Bailey **Marriage Date:**18 Dec 1920 **Marriage Location:**St Clair,
Franklin, Missouri **Marriage County:**Franklin **Spouse Name:**Tressie Keys

Tressie Bailey July __, 1946 Franklin 23223

Theresa married **Alexander Bailey**, son of **Albert Almorine Bailey** and **Martha Jane Muse**, on 18 December 1920 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Alexander was born on 7 January 1895 in Jefferson, Missouri, United States, died on 15 November 1957 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 62, and was buried on 17 November 1957 in Mount Zion Baptist Church Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Alexander Bailey November 15, 1957 Franklin 39858

103. Eva Maxine Keys (*Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton* ³, *Alexander A. Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 7 July 1897 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 18 February 1963 at age 65, and was buried in February 1963 in Sunset Cemetery, Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 195a, 23 April 1910, line house 67, family

KEYS, William head w m age: 54 mar2 25yrs born: AR Fa: TN Mo: TN
Nannie wife w f age: 49 mar1 25yrs born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN
Tommie son w m age: 18 sng born: MO Fa: AR Mo: TN
Tressie dau w f age: 15 sng born: MO Fa: AR Mo: TN
Eva dau w f age: 13 sng born: MO Fa: AR Mo: TN

(Nannie says she has had 6 children born 5 are living. They have been married 25yrs.)

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Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Otis Miller **Marriage Date:**14 Oct 1918 **Marriage Location:**Union, Franklin, MO **Marriage County:**Franklin **Spouse Name:**Eba Keys

1920 Federal Census

Perry, St Francois, Missouri

Name:Oris A Miller [Otis A Miller] **Home in 1920:**Age:23 years **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1897
Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's Name:**Eva **Father's Birth Place:**United States of America **Mother's Birth Place:**United States of America **Marital Status:**Married **Race:**White **Sex:**Male **Home owned:**Rent **Able to read:**Yes **Able to Write:**Yes **Image:**107

MILLER, Oris A 23 Eva 23 Delma M 3/12

1930 Federal Census

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Pacific, Franklin, Missouri

Name:Otis Miller **Home in 1930:** **Age:**33 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1897 **Birthplace:**Missouri
Relation to Head of House:Head **Spouse's Name:**Eva **Race:**White **Occupation:** **Education:**
Military service: **Rent/home value:** **Age at first marriage:**
MILLER, Otis 33 Eva 33 Delma 10 Ralph 9 Mary 7 Bulah 5 Goldie 3 Tressie 3/12

Find A Grave Memorial# 42541021

Find A Grave Memorial# 33556748

Eva married **Otis "Odie" Chester Miller**, son of **John A. Miller** and **Mary J. Brim**, on 14 October 1918 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Otis was born on 15 August 1896 in Linn, Crawford Twp, Osage, Missouri, United States, died on 26 July 1930 in Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 33, and was buried on 28 July 1930 in Pacific City Cemetery, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census

Crawford, Osage, Missouri

MILLER, John A Gracie F 8 Ernest F 6 Erett 4 Odie 3 **BRIM,** Nancy F 56 David F 25 Ira C 17 Bertha M 14 Cornelius 12

1910 Federal Census

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mr Otis Chester Miller **Marriage Date:**3 Jun 1915 **Marriage Location:**Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri **Marriage County:**Crawford **Spouse Name:**Miss Nellie Elizabeth Tourville

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1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Otis Chester Miller **City:**Not Stated **County:**Franklin **State:**Missouri

Birthplace:Missouri;United States of America **Birth Date:**15 Aug 1896 **Race:**Caucasian (White)

Roll:1683213 **Date:** 5 June 1917

says he was married_

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Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Otis Miller **Marriage Date:**14 Oct 1918 **Marriage Location:**Union, Franklin, MO

Marriage County:Franklin **Spouse Name:**Eba Keys

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1920 Federal Census

Perry, St Francois, Missouri

Name:Oris A Miller [Otis A Miller] **Home in 1920:****Age:**23 years **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1897

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's Name:**Eva **Father's Birth**

Place:United States of America **Mother's Birth Place:**United States of America **Marital**

Status:Married **Race:**White **Sex:**Male **Home owned:**Rent **Able to read:**Yes **Able to**

Write:Yes **Image:**107

MILLER, Oris A 23 Eva 23 Delma M 3/12

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1930 Federal Census

Pacific, Franklin, Missouri

Name:Otis Miller **Home in 1930:** **Age:**33 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1897 **Birthplace:**Missouri
Relation to Head of House:Head **Spouse's Name:**Eva **Race:**White **Occupation:** **Education:**
Military service: **Rent/home value:** **Age at first marriage:**
MILLER, Otis 33 Eva 33 Delma 10 Ralph 9 Mary 7 Bulah 5 Goldie 3 Tressie 3/12

Otis Miller July 26, 1930 Franklin 22469

Eva next married **John Wesley Hogan**, son of **James Cullen Hogan** and **Catherine Elizabeth Muir**,. John was born on 11 October 1898 in Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 23 August 1972 at age 73, and was buried in August 1972 in Sunset Cemetery, Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Find A Grave Memorial# 42541001

Find A Grave Memorial# 33556738

The child from this marriage was:

- + 298 F i. **LuLa Bell Hogan** was born on 9 April 1932, died on 7 July 2003 at age 71, and was buried on 9 July 2003 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

104. Maudie Ann Eads (*Isabelle "Belle" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 1 February 1891 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 17 October 1924 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 33, and was buried on 18 October 1924 in Cedar Falls Cemetery, Desloge, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

1891 Birthblock of Maudie Ann (EADS) daughter of James H. and Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON)

Maudie Ann (**EADS**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 1 February 1891.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born

Date from the 1910 census states she was born

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the 1940 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1900 Federal Census age 9

1901 Death of mother; Isabelle "Belle" (BLANTON) Eads

Isabelle "Belle" (**BLANTON**) Eads died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on April 1901.

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1905 Marriage of James William Cain and Maudie Ann (EADS)

James William Cain and Maudie Ann (**EADS**) were married in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 November 1905.

1908 Childbirth of son; James Alvin Cain

James Alvin Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 3 September 1908.

1910 Childbirth of son; Leslie Wesley Andrew Cain

Leslie Wesley Andrew Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1910.

1910 Federal Census age 19

1912 Childbirth of daughter; Alice Cain

Alice Cain was born in Potosi Town, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

1920 Federal Census age 29

1924 Death of Maudie Ann (EADS) Cain

Maudie Ann (**EADS**) Cain died in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 17 October 1924.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #29771
As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Mrs. Maud Cain October 17, 1924 St. Francois 29771
<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1924 Burial of Maudie Ann (EADS) Cain

Cedar Falls Cemetery, Desloge, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

FAG#34749887

Maudie Ann (**EADS**) Cain {FAG#34749887} was born 1 February 1891 - Washington, Missouri, United States and died 17 October 1924 - Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and was buried 18 October 1924 - Cedar Falls Cemetery, Desloge, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: James H. Eads {FAG# 97538849} (1863-1932) Mother: Isabelle "Belle" (**BLANTON**) (1862-1901). Spouse: James William Cain {FAG# 5275953} (15 June 1881 - 15 February 1945) Marriage: 27 November 1905 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: (not inclusive) James Alvin or Cain Caine (1908-1983) Leslie Wesley Andrew or Cain (1910-1979) Alice (**CAIN**) (1912-1960)

Maudie married **James William Cain**, son of **John Marion Cain** and **Sarah Elizabeth Studdard**, on 27 November 1905 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. James was born on 15 June 1881 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 15 February 1945 in Bonne Terre Hospital, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 17 February 1945 in Pond Creek Cemetery, Mineral Point, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1881 Birthblock of James William Cain son of John Marion and Sarah Elizabeth (STUDDARD) Cain

James William Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15

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June 1881.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born June 1881 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born

Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from the 1940 census states he was born

Date from the WWII military involvement states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the SSDI states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1883 Childbirth of brother; John Alvin Cain

John Alvin Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 11 May 1883.

1888 Childbirth of brother; Virgil Elmer Cain

Virgil Elmer Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 29 May 1888.

1890 Grandmother's Veteran Schedules Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 3, S.D. 3, E.D. 95, line 28, house 208, family 209

STUDDARD, Nancy widow of James W. Studdard Rank-Private; Company-E; Regiment 31st Missouri Volunteers; Date of Enlistment-4 November 1863; Date of discharge-Died in Service

1890 Childbirth of sister; Hattie E. (CAIN)

Hattie E. (**CAIN**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on February 1890.

1892 Childbirth of sister; Mary Lizette (CAIN)

Mary Lizette (**CAIN**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 6 April 1892.

1892-1893 Death of father; John Marion Cain

John Marion Cain died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States after the birth of his daughter; Mary and before his widow's marriage.

1892-1900 Family Move

From Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

1893 Mother's Marriage of Thomas Cain and widow; Sarah Elizabeth (STUDDARD) Cain

Thomas Cain and widow; Sarah Elizabeth (**STUDDARD**) Cain were married on 23 April 1893.

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1894 Childbirth of step-brother; Thomas R. Cain

Thomas R. Cain was born near Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 18 July 1894.

1900 Federal Census age 19

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 186a, 14 June 1900, line 2, house 104, family 106

CAIN, Thomas head w m born June 1864 age 35; Sarah E. wife w f born October 1856 age 44; James W. son w m born June 1881 age 18; John A. son w m born May 1883 age 17; Virgale E. son w m born May 1888 age 12; Hattie E. dau w f born February 1890 age 10; Lizettie dau w f born April 1892 age 8; Thomas R. son w m born December 1894 age 5

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 7 years and Sarah says she has had 8 children born and 9 are living. Thomas is a farm laborer and they are renting.]

1900-1910 Death of step-father; Thomas Cain

Thomas Cain died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States after the 1900 census and before his widow's marriage in 1910.

1905 Marriage of James William Cain and Maudie Ann (EADS)

James William Cain and Maudie Ann (**EADS**) were married in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 November 1905.

1908 Childbirth of son; James Alvin Cain

James Alvin Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 3 September 1908.

1910 Childbirth of son; Leslie Wesley Andrew Cain

Leslie Wesley Andrew Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1910.

1910 Federal Census age 29

1912 Childbirth of daughter; Alice Cain

Alice Cain was born in Potosi Town, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States

1920 Federal Census age 39

1924 Death of spouse; Maudie Ann (EADS) Cain

Maudie Ann (**EADS**) Cain died in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 17 October 1924.

1930 Federal Census

1934 Marriage of James William Cain and Ava Marie (PRUITT)

James William Cain and Ava Marie (**PRUITT**) were married in Edwardsville, Edwardsville Twp, Madison, Illinois, United States on 4 August 1934. [needs verification]

1940 Federal Census

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1945 Death of James William Cain

James William Cain died in Bonne Terre Hospital, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 15 February 1945.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #7005

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: James Cain February __, 1945 St. Francois 7005

[<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>](http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search)

1945 Burial of James William Cain

Pond Creek Cemetery, Mineral Point, Washington, Missouri, United States

From www.rootsweb.com

ID: I7137 Name: James William CAIN Surname: Cain Given Name: James William Sex: M Birth: 15 Jun 1881/1884 in Sullivan, Franklin, MO Death: 15 Feb 1945 in Bonne Terre, St Francois, MO Burial: Feb 1945 Pond Ck Cem, Mineral Pt, Washington, MO _UID: 209B37F030A2D6119D6400036D1C03E10C14 Change Date: 8 Apr 2000 at 01:00:00

Father: John Marion CAIN b: BEF 1860

Mother: Sarah Elizabeth STUDDARD b: 3 Oct 1861 in Crawford Co?, MO

Marriage 1 Maude EADS b: Oct 1888 in MO

Married: 27 Nov 1905 in Sullivan, Franklin, MO

Marriage 2 Ava Marie PRUITT b: 21 Oct 1899 in Kingston T, Washington, MO

Married: 4 Aug 1934 in Edwardsville, Madison, Illinois, United States

Children from this marriage were:

- + 299 M i. **James Alvin Cain Caine** was born on 3 September 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 22 February 1983 in Sparta, Sparta Precinct, Randolph, Illinois, United States at age 74, and was buried on 26 February 1983 in Caladonia Cemetery Sparta, Randolph, Illinois, USA.
- + 300 M ii. **Leslie Wesley Andrew Cain** was born in 1910 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 29 July 1979 in Collinsville, St Clair, Illinois, United States at age 69.
- + 301 F iii. **Alice Cain** was born in 1912 in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died in 1960 in Sacramento, Sacramento, California, United States at age 48.

105. Elsie Clark (*Louisa Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 2 August 1890 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 1 January 1954 in Saint Joseph Hospital, Boonville, Boonville Twp, Cooper, Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 4 January 1954 in Walnut Grove Cemetery, Boonville, Boonville Twp, Cooper, Missouri, United States.

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002 [<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=1171&enc=1>](http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=1171&enc=1)

about Elsie Clark

ntblName:Elsie Clarkntbl Age:23ntbl Birth Date:abt 1890ntbl Marriage Date:5

Sep 1913ntbl Marriage Location: Phelps, Missourintbl Marriage County: Phelpsntbl

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Spouse Name:Mr. H C Rommelman**ntbl Spouse Age:**31**ntbl Spouse Birth Date:**abt 1882

1930 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6224&enc=1>>

about Elsie L Rommelman

ntblName: Elsie L Rommelman_ViewOriginalRecord <http://search.ancestry.com/iexec?htx=View&r=an&dbid=6224&iid=4660335_00765

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<http://search.ancestry.com/iexec?&fn=Elsie+L&ln=Rommelman&st=r&ssrc=&pid=6243909>

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[&fn=Elsie+L&ln=Rommelman&st=r&ssrc=&pid=6243909>](#)

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(<http://c.mfcreative.com/pdf/trees/charts/1930.pdf>)> **ntbl Gender: Female****ntbl Birth**

Year:abt 1890**ntbl Birthplace:**Missouri**ntbl Race:**White**ntbl Home in**

1930:Boonville, Cooper, Missouri View Map [<javascript:showMap\('Boonville, Cooper,](#)

Missouri)>ntbl **Marital Status:** Marriedntbl **Relation to Head of House:** Wifentbl

Spouse's Name: Henry Rommelmantbl **Father's Birthplace:** Missouri**ntbl Mother's**

Birthplace:Missouri**ntbl Occupation:** **Education:** **Military service:** **Rent/home value:** **Age at**

first marriage: Parents' birthplace: [View image <http://search.ancestry.com/iexec?](http://search.ancestry.com/iexec?)

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[&fn=Elsie+L&ln=Rommelman&st=r&ssrc=&pid=6243909>](#) **ntbl Neighbors:** View others

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ntblHousehold Members: Name Age ntblHenry Rommelman

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Elsie married **Henry C. Rommelman**, son of **Heinrick Christian "Chris" Rommelman Jr.** and **Nancy Woodcock**, on 5 September 1913 in Phelps, Missouri, United States. Henry was born on 30 August 1882 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 September 1955 in Saint Joseph Hospital, Boonville, Boonville Twp, Cooper, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried on 3 October 1955 in Walnut Grove Cemetery, Boonville, Boonville Twp, Cooper, Missouri, United States.

106. Charles "Charlie" Clark (*Louisa Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in July 1891 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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107. Carac Martin Clark (*Louisa Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 11 March 1893 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

ntblName:Carac Martin Clark**ntbl County:**Franklin**ntbl State:**Missouri**ntbl**

Birthplace:Missouri, United States of America**ntbl Birth Date:** 11 Mar 1893**ntbl**

Race:Caucasian (White)

Carac M Clark *Birth: unknownntbl Death: Aug. 10, 1937ntbl Name: Carac Clark Home State: Wyoming Service Info.: PFC, 525th Inf, 82 Div. Death Date: 10 Aug 1937 Cemetery: Hot Springs National Cemetery Cemetery Address: VA Medical Center Hot Springs, SD 57747 Buried At: Section 10 Row 4 Site 2 ntblntbl Burial: [Hot Springs National Cemetery](http://HotSpringsNationalCemetery.com/cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=cr&GSln=Clark&GSfn=Carac&GSbyrel=all&GSdyrel=all&GSob=n&GRid=3319949&CRid=109414&df=all&) </cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=cr&GSln=Clark&GSfn=Carac&GSbyrel=all&GSdyrel=all&GSob=n&GRid=3319949&CRid=109414&df=all&> Hot Springs Fall River County South Dakota, USA Plot: 10, 2 R4 Maintained by: [Brad Jones](http://BradJones.com/fg.cgi?page=mr&MRid=47250188) <fg.cgi?page=mr&MRid=47250188> Originally Created by: [US Veterans Affairs Offi...](http://USVeteransAffairsOffi.com/fg.cgi?page=mr&MRid=5) <fg.cgi?page=mr&MRid=5> Record added: Mar 04, 2000 Find A Grave Memorial# 3319949*

108. Albert Clark (*Louisa Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in April 1896 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

109. Alice Clark (*Louisa Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1896 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

110. Minnie Clark (*Louisa Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

111. Carl William Bigley (*Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 18 January 1886 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 10 April 1967 in Picher, Ottawa, Oklahoma, United States at age 81, and was buried in April 1967 in Carterville Cemetery, Carterville, Joplin Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.

CENSUS: 1900 Franklin Co., MO., Central Twsp., page 122A, house 8, 2 Jun 1900:

BIGLEY, Andrew J.	head w m	born: 1864	age: 36	mar 15yrs	born: OH	Fa: VA	Mo: OH
Susan	wife w f	born: Nov 1865	age: 35	mar 15yrs	born: MO	Fa: TN	Mo: TN
Carl W.	son w m	born: Jan 1886	age: 14		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Doudi J.	dau w f	born: Nov 1887	age: 12		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Andrew L.	son w f	born: Sep 1890	age: 10		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Harry	son w m	born: Jul 1892	age: 8		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Leona	dau w f	born: May 1895	age: 5		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Roy John	son w m	born: Mar 1898	age: 2		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO

(Susan says she has had 7 children born 6 are living.)

CENSUS: 1910 age 44 maybe Ottawa Co., OK

CENSUS: 1920 age 54

CENSUS: 1930 Franklin Co., MO, Central Twsp., District 17, house 153, page 6B, 22/23 Apr 1930:

BIGLEY, Andrew head w m age: 40 mar at age 18 born: MO Fa: OH Mo: MO Engineer

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Annie wife w f age: 38 mar at age 16 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Jesse R. son w m age: 11 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Andrew L. son w m age: 8 born: OK Fa: MO Mo: MO
Susie mother w f age: 64 widowed born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Name: Carl Bigley **SSN:** 445-01-9744 **Last Residence:** 74360 Picher, Ottawa,
Oklahoma, United States of America **Born:** 18 Jan 1886 **Died:** Apr 1967 **State (Year)**
SSN issued: Oklahoma (Before 1951)

Carl married **Theodora "Dora" Marie Charboneau**, daughter of **Charles Leon Charboneau** and **Sarah J. Jackson**,. Theodora was born on 1 October 1888 in Richwoods, Richwoods Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 1 March 1916 in 205 North Jefferson, Webb City, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 27, and was buried on 3 March 1916 in Webb City Cemetery, Webb City, Jasper, Missouri, United States.

Dora Bigley March 01, 1916 Jasper 10767

112. Drucilla J. Bigley (*Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 11 November 1887 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 21 January 1969 at age 81, and was buried on 25 January 1969.

CENSUS: 1900 Franklin Co., MO., Central Twsp., page 122A, house 8, 2 Jun 1900:

BIGLEY, Andrew J.	head w m	born: 1864	age: 36	mar 15yrs	born: OH	Fa: VA	Mo: OH
Susan	wife w f	born: Nov 1865	age: 35	mar 15yrs	born: MO	Fa: TN	Mo: TN
Carl W.	son w m	born: Jan 1886	age: 14		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Doudi J.	dau w f	born: Nov 1887	age: 12		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Andrew L.	son w f	born: Sep 1890	age: 10		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Harry	son w m	born: Jul 1892	age: 8		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Leona	dau w f	born: May 1895	age: 5		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Roy John	son w m	born: Mar 1898	age: 2		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO

(Susan says she has had 7 children born 6 are living.)

CENSUS: 1910 age 44 maybe Ottawa Co., OK

CENSUS: 1920 age 54

CENSUS: 1930 Franklin Co., MO, Central Twsp., District 17, house 153, page 6B, 22/23 Apr 1930:

BIGLEY, Andrew	head w m	age: 40	mar at age 18	born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO	Engineer
Annie	wife w f	age: 38	mar at age 16	born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO	
Jesse R.	son w m	age: 11		born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO	
Andrew L.	son w m	age: 8		born: OK	Fa: MO	Mo: MO	
Susie	mother w f	age: 64	widowed	born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO	

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Drucilla married **William Kennedy**, son of **William Kennedy** and **Miodesi Labeau**,. William was born on 9 September 1884 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 28 May 1918 in 2321 Annabaxter, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 33, and was buried on 31 May 1918 in Fairview Cemetery, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.

Zilliam Kennedy May 28, 1918 Jasper Joplin 17371

113. Andrew Lauren Bigley (*Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 October 1889 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 26 July 1950 in Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried on 28 July 1950 in United Methodist Church of Saint Clair Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

CENSUS: 1900 Franklin Co., MO., Central Twsp., page 122A, house 8, 2 Jun 1900:

BIGLEY, Andrew J.	head w m	born: 1864	age: 36	mar 15yrs	born: OH	Fa: VA	Mo: OH
Susan	wife w f	born: Nov 1865	age: 35	mar 15yrs	born: MO	Fa: TN	Mo: TN
Carl W.	son w m	born: Jan 1886	age: 14		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Doudi J.	dau w f	born: Nov 1887	age: 12		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Andrew L.	son w f	born: Sep 1890	age: 10		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Harry	son w m	born: Jul 1892	age: 8		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Leona	dau w f	born: May 1895	age: 5		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO
Roy John	son w m	born: Mar 1898	age: 2		born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO

(Susan says she has had 7 children born 6 are living.)

CENSUS: 1910 age Ottawa Co., OK

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Andrew L Bigley **Age:**19 **Birth Date:**abt 1889 **Marriage Date:**25 Apr 1908
Marriage Location:St Francois, Missouri **Marriage County:**St Francois **Spouse Name:**Annie B Byington **Spouse Age:**16 **Spouse Birth Date:**abt 1892

CENSUS: 1920 age

CENSUS: 1930 Franklin Co., MO, Central Twsp., District 17, house 153, page 6B, 22/23 Apr 1930:

BIGLEY, Andrew	head w m	age: 40	mar at age 18	born: MO	Fa: OH	Mo: MO	Engineer
Annie	wife w f	age: 38	mar at age 16	born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO	
Jesse R.	son w m	age: 11		born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO	
Andrew L.	son w m	age: 8		born: OK	Fa: MO	Mo: MO	
Susie	mother w f	age: 64	widowed	born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO	

Andrew L. Bigley July __, 1950 Franklin 23196

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Andrew married **Anna Belle Byington**, daughter of **Samuel Richter Byington** and **Minnie Caroline Asbridge**, on 25 April 1908 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. Anna was born on 13 July 1891 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 4 September 1961 in Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 70, and was buried on 7 September 1961 in United Methodist Church of Saint Clair Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Anna Belle Bigley September 04, 1961 FRANKLIN 28824

Children from this marriage were:

- + 302 M i. **Jesse Ray Bigley** was born in 1919 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 303 M ii. **Andrew L. Bigley** was born in 1922 in Oklahoma, United States.
- + 304 M iii. **Melvin Lawn Bigley** was born on 27 June 1922, died on 4 November 1990 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 68, and was buried in Crestview Cemetery, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 305 F iv. **Ethel Ellen Bigley** was born on 11 April 1909 in Leadwood, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 4 November 1927 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 18, and was buried on 6 November 1927 in United Methodist Church of Saint Clair Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

114. Harry Matice Bigley (*Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 1 July 1892 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in 1971 at age 79, and was buried in 1971 in Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Hot Springs, Hot Springs Twp, Garland, Arkansas, United States.

115. Leona Bell Bigley (*Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 24 May 1895 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 28 March 1982 at age 86, and was buried in March 1982 in Fairview Cemetery, 12th & Maiden Lane, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.

Leona married **Frank Peter Wilson**, son of **Isaac Wilson** and **Russia Shoemaker**,. Frank was born on 7 February 1885 in Jasper, Missouri, United States, died on 16 January 1960 in 2402 Maiden Lane, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 74, and was buried on 19 January 1960 in Fairview Cemetery, 12th & Maiden Lane, Joplin, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States.

FRANK PETER WILSON January 16, 1960 Jasper 2151

116. Roy John Bigley (*Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 March 1898 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 8 August 1962 at age 64.

Social Security Death Index

Name: Roy Bigley SSN: 444-09-9622 Born: 13 Mar 1898 Died: Aug 1962 State (Year) SSN issued: Oklahoma (Before 1951)

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117. Sarah "Sadie" Marie Bigley (*Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 March 1902 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 September 1971 at age 69, and was buried in September 1971 in Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Hot Springs, Hot Springs Twp, Garland, Arkansas, United States.

Sarah married **Thomas Calvin Geurin**, son of **John Cranklin Wright "Doc" Geurin** and **Luvisa Paralee Bledsoe**, on 24 June 1916 in Joplin City, Galena Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States. Thomas was born on 6 January 1896 in Mountain Valley, Garland, Arkansas, United States, died on 10 May 1946 at age 50, and was buried in May 1946 in Memorial Gardens Cemetery, Hot Springs, Hot Springs Twp, Garland, Arkansas, United States.

118. Gladys Jewell Bigley (*Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 29 April 1906 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 17 January 1980 in Carthage, Marion Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 73.

1930 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6224&enc=1>>

about Harry Linthcum

ntblName: Harry Linthcum [Harry Lantheum] **ntbl Gender:** Male **ntbl Birth Year:** abt 1897 **ntbl Birthplace:** Missouri **ntbl Race:** White **ntbl Home in 1930:** Quapaw, Ottawa, Oklahoma [View Map](#) <[javascript:showMap\('Quapaw, Ottawa, Oklahoma'\)](javascript:showMap('Quapaw, Ottawa, Oklahoma'))> **ntbl Marital Status:** Married **ntbl Relation to Head of House:** Head **ntbl Spouse's Name:** Gladys Linthcum **ntbl Father's Birthplace:** Missouri **ntbl Mother's Birthplace:** Missouri **ntbl Occupation:** **Education:** **Military service:** **Rent/home value:** **Age at first marriage:** **Parents' birthplace:** [View image](#) <http://search.ancestry.com/iexec?htx=View&r=an&dbid=6224&iid=4661240_00115&fn=Harry&ln=Linthcum&st=r&ssrc=&pid=94785036> **ntbl Neighbors:** [View others on page](#) <cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&sin=C0000006&siv=4661240_00115> **ntbl Household Members:** **Name** **Agent** **Harry Linthcum** <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=94785036>> **33ntbl Gladys Linthcum** <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=94785037>> **24ntbl Harry Linthcum** <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=94785044>> **6ntbl Robert Linthcum** <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=94785020>> **5ntbl Maxine Linthcum** <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=94785028>> **3ntbl Betty Jane Linthcum** <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1930usfedcen&indiv=try&h=94785048>> 1 [1 6/12]

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002 <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=1171&enc=1>>

about Gladys J Linthicum

ntblName: Gladys J Linthicum **ntbl Age:** 27 **ntbl Birth Date:** abt 1906 **ntbl Marriage Date:** 19 Aug 1933 **ntbl Marriage Location:** Neosho, Newton, Missouri **ntbl Marriage County:** Newton **ntbl Spouse Name:** Allen Richardson **ntbl Spouse Age:** 43 **ntbl Spouse Birth Date:** abt 1890

1940 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=2442&enc=1>>

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about Allen M Richardson

ntblName:Allen M Richardson**ntbl Age:**53**ntbl Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1887**ntbl Gender:**Male**ntbl Race:**White**ntbl Birthplace:**Missouri**ntbl Marital Status:**Married**ntbl Relation to Head of House:**Head**ntbl Home in 1940:**Carthage, Jasper, Missouri [View Map](#) [<javascript:showMap\('Carthage, Jasper, Missouri'\)>](#) **ntbl Street:**Center Street**ntbl House Number:**601**ntbl Farm:**N**ntbl Inferred Residence in 1935:**Carthage, Jasper, Missouri**ntbl Residence in 1935:**Same Place**ntbl Sheet Number:**10**ntbl Number of Household in Order of Visitation:**23**ntbl Occupation:**Shovel Opr**ntbl House Owned or Rented:**Owned**ntbl Value of Home or Monthly Rental if Rented:**500**ntbl Attended School or College:**N**ntbl Highest Grade Completed:**Elementary school, 6th grade**ntbl Hours Worked Week Prior to Census:**40**ntbl Class of Worker:**Wage or salary worker in private work**ntbl Weeks Worked in 1939:**52**ntbl Income:**900**ntbl Income Other Sources:**N**ntbl Neighbors:**[View others on page](#) [</cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1940usfedcen&sin=C0000006&siv=m-t0627-02118-00620>](#) **ntblHousehold Members:** **Name Agent****ntbl Allen M Richardson** <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1940usfedcen&indiv=try&h=90509549> 53**ntbl Gladys J Richardson** <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1940usfedcen&indiv=try&h=90509551> 34**ntbl Peggy M Richardson** <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1940usfedcen&indiv=try&h=90509554> 16**ntbl Mary A Richardson** <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1940usfedcen&indiv=try&h=90509556> 13**ntbl Harry L Linthicum** <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1940usfedcen&indiv=try&h=90509557> 16**ntbl Robert P Linthicum** <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1940usfedcen&indiv=try&h=90509561> 14**ntbl Deloris M Linthicum** <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1940usfedcen&indiv=try&h=90509563> 13**ntbl Billy G Linthicum** <http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1940usfedcen&indiv=try&h=90509564> 11

U.S. City Directories, 1821-1989 (Beta) <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=2469&enc=1>>

about Gladys J Richardson

ntblName: Gladys J Richardson **ntbl Gender:** F (Female) **ntbl Residence Year:** 1941 **ntbl Street Address:** 601 Center **ntbl Residence Place:** Carthage, Missouri **ntbl Spouse:** Allen Richardson [/cgi-bin/sse.dll?viewrecord=1&ti=0&r=an&db=USDirectories&indiv=try&h=541239166](http://cgi-bin/sse.dll?viewrecord=1&ti=0&r=an&db=USDirectories&indiv=try&h=541239166) **ntbl Publication Title:** Carthage, Missouri, City Directory, 1941

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about Gladys Richardson

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Gladys married **Harry Linthicum**, son of **Unknown** and **Unknown**, from 1922 to 1923. Harry was born in 1897 in Missouri, United States and died from 1930 to 1933 at age 33.

1910 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=7884&enc=1>>

about Harry Linthicum

ntblName:Harry Linthicum**ntbl Age in 1910:** 12**ntbl Birth Year:** 1898**ntbl**

Birthplace:*Kansasntbl Home in 1910:* Galena Ward 2, Cherokee, Kansas *ntbl*

Race:Whitenbtl Gender:Malentbtl Relation to Head of House: Sonntbtl Marital

Status: Single **tbl Father's Name:** John Linthicum **tbl Father's**

Birthplace: Illinois **ntbl Mother's Name:** Belle M Linthicum **ntbl Mother's**

Birthplace: Illinois **Neighbors:** [View others on page](#) [</cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=](#)

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1920 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6061&enc=1>>

about Harry Linthicum

ntblName:Harry Linthicun [Harry Lintricum] **ntbl Age:**23**ntbl Birth Year:**abt 1897**ntbl**

Birthplace: Kansas **ntbl Home in 1920:** Quapaw, Ottawa, Oklahoma **ntbl Race:** White **ntbl**

Gender: Male **Relation to Head of House: Son** **Marital Status: Single**

Father's Name:John Linthicun**ntbl Father's Birthplace:** Illinois**ntbl Mother's Name:**Bell

Linthicunntbl Mother's Birthplace: Illinoisntbl Able to read: Yesntbl Able to

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9/12] ntbl

Gladys next married **Allen Richardson** on 19 August 1933 in Neosho, Neosho Twp, Newton, Missouri, United States. Allen was born on 16 February 1887 in West Plains, Howell Twp, Howell, Missouri, United States and died in November 1967 in Carthage, Marion Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States at age 80.

Missouri Birth Records, 1851-1910 <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=1170&enc=1>>

about Allen Richardson

ntblName:Allen Richardson**ntbl Birth Date:**16 Feb 1887**ntbl Birth**

County: Howell**ntbl Birth Location:** West Plains, MO**ntbl Race/Ethnicity:** White**ntbl**

Gender:M (Male)**ntbl** **Mother's Name:**Mary Ann Richardson**ntbl** **Mother's Age:**22**ntbl**

Father's Name: Columban L Richardson **ntbl** **Father's Age:** 26

U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6482&enc=1>

about Allen Richardson

ntblName:Allen Richardson**ntbl County:**Jasper**ntbl State:**Missouri**ntbl**

Birthplace: Missouri, United States of America**ntbl Birth Date:** 16 Feb 1887**ntbl**

Race: Caucasian (White) **ntbl Draft Board:** 1

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about Allen Richardson

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Missouri, United States of America**ntbl Born:** 16 Feb 1887**ntbl Died:** Nov

1967ntbl State (Year) SSN issued: Missouri (Before 1951)

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119. Frances Dyle (*Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1876 in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

120. Samuel James Tilden Dyle (*Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 5 August 1877 in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 27 March 1949 in 405 Beeman Ave., Sullivan, Meramec Twp.

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Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried on 29 March 1949 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Samuel J. Dyle March __, 1949 Franklin 7960

Samuel married **Johanna Crawford Lahmann**, daughter of **George Lahmann Sr.** and **Rhoda "Roda" Martha**, on 28 November 1901 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Johanna was born on 24 June 1883 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 1 June 1948 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried on 4 June 1948 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Johanna Dyle June __, 1948 Franklin 19093

Johanna Crawford (LAHMANN) Dyle {FAG# 62442593} was born 24 June 1883 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 1 June 1948 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried 4 June 1948 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States Parents: Father: George Lahmann Sr. {FAG# 28952916} (1836-1911) Mother: Rhoda "Roda" Martha (_____) {FAG#51943863} (1857-1930). Spouse: Samuel James Tilden Dyle {FAG# 62442617} (5 August 1875 - 27 March 1949) Marriage: 28 November 1901 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States Children: 1. Gladys Marie (DYLE) (1902-1904) 2. Lizzie Frances (DYLE) (1905-1992) 3. Harry Carter Dyle (1905-1959) 4. Samuel J. Tilden Dyle {FAG# 62442641} (1909-1965) 5. Mary Jane (DYLE) (1911-1918) 6. Sarah Lovina (DYLE) {FAG# 63541711} (1913-1958) 7. Raose Madeline (DYLE) (1918-1987)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 306 F i. **Gladys Marie Dyle** was born on 16 August 1902 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 28 February 1904 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 1, and was buried in February 1904 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 307 F ii. **Lizzie Frances Dyle** was born on 1 April 1905 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 October 1992 in Ellis, Ellis, Kansas, United States at age 87, and was buried in October 1992.
Lizzie married **Charles Leonard Pennock** (d. 9 June 1992) on 17 June 1924.
- + 308 M iii. **Harry Carter Dyle Sr.** was born on 10 May 1907 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 19 January 1959 in Bexar, Texas, United States at age 51, and was buried in January 1959 in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, 1520 Harry Wurzbach Road, San Antonio, Bexar, Texas, United States.
Harry married **Edith Elizabeth Linthicum** (d. 26 May 1962) on 11 December 1935 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 309 M iv. **Samuel "Sam" J. Tilden Dyle** was born on 27 April 1909 in Cuba City, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 18 May 1965 at age 56, and was buried in May 1965 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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Samuel married **Helen L.** (d. 1940-1949) from 1923 to 1930.

Samuel next married **Olive Agnes Seago** (d. 9 February 2000) on 17 August 1949 in Fulton, Arkansas, United States.

+ 310 F v. **Mary Jane Dyle** was born on 21 January 1911 in Cuba City, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 2 December 1918 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 7, and was buried on 2 December 1918 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 311 F vi. **Sarah Lovina Dyle** was born on 13 December 1913 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 3 September 1958 in Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 44, and was buried on 6 September 1958 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Sarah married **Edward Sylvester Palmer Sr.** (d. 28 March 2001) from 1934 to 1935.

+ 312 F vii. **Ella M. Dyle** was born in 1916 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 313 F viii. **Rose Madeline Dyle** was born on 11 September 1918 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 29 December 1987 at age 69.

121. Abraham Dyle (*Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1879 in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

122. Alexander "Alex" Dyle (*Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 8 October 1882 in Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 2 April 1954 in Firmin Desloge Hospital, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried on 5 April 1954 in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

Alexander "Alex" Dyle {FAG# 7994691} was born 8 October 1882 - Belgrade Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died 2 April 1954 - Firmin Desloge Hospital, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States and was buried 5 April 1954 - Roselawn Cemetery, Crystal City, Jefferson, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Peter Dyle (1828-1880/1900) Mother: Nancy Catherine (PRATT) (1854-1880/1900) Spouse: Drusilla Lucille "Drusie" (ALLEN) {FAG# 7994687} (2 July 1890 - 30 December 1989) Marriage: 12 August 1906 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Alexander married **Drusilla Lucille "Drusie" Allen**, daughter of **William "Will" Mitchell Allen** and **Lillian Margaret A. "Lillie" Hanson**, on 12 August 1906 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Drusilla was born on 2 July 1890 near Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 December 1989 in Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 99, and was buried in December 1989 in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

(Duplicate Line. See Person 77)

123. Nancy J. Campbell (*Malinda Jane Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in February 1882 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census

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Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9b, 8 June 1900, line 100, house 181, family 187

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m born April 1838 age 62; [page 10a] Malinda wife w f born March 1855 age 45; Nancy J. dau w f born March 1882 age 18; David G. son w m born May 1883 age 17; Jackson son w m born June 1885 age 14; John E. son w m born December 1888 age 11; James S. son w m born June 1891 age 8; Laura Jane ddau w f born February 1897 age 3 [Isaac born in Tennessee, shis father in Scotland, his mother in Tennessee, Malinda born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. The children all born in Missouri as was their mother and their father born in Tennessee. Malinda says she had 10 children 8 are living and they have been married 25 years.]

124. David Garfield Campbell (*Malinda Jane Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 6 May 1883 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 May 1963 at age 80, and was buried in May 1963 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1882 Birthblock

Date from the 1900 census states he was born May 1883 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1883 in Missouri.

Date from the World War I draft registration states he was born 6 May 1882 in Sullivan, Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1888 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1883 in Missouri.

Date from the headstone states he was born May 6, 1883.

1900 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9b, 8 June 1900, line 100, house 181, family 187

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m born April 1838 age 62; [page 10a] Malinda wife w f born March 1855 age 45; Nancy J. dau w f born March 1882 age 18; David G. son w m born May 1883 age 17; Jackson son w m born June 1885 age 14; John E. son w m born December 1888 age 11; James S. son w m born June 1891 age 8; Laura Jane ddau w f born February 1897 age 3 [Isaac born in Tennessee, shis father in Scotland, his mother in Tennessee, Malinda born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. The children all born in Missouri as was their mother and their father born in Tennessee. Malinda says she had 10 children 8 are living and they have been married 25 years.]

1910 Federal Census

Meramec, Franklin, Missouri

Name:David Campbell **Age in 1910:**27 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1883

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Servant **Father's Birth Place:**Tennessee

Mother's Birth Place:Missouri **Home in 1910:**Marital **Status:**Single **Race:**White

Gender:Male

McINTOSH, Albert 28 Ninette 34 Margerette 5 Elizabeth 4 Marie 1 8/12 **CAMPBELL**, David 27 John 22

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

about David Garfield Campbell

Name:David Garfield Campbell **City:**Sullivan **County:**Franklin **State:**Missouri **Birth**

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Date:6 May 1882 **Race:**White **Roll:**1683213 12 Sep 1918 taking care of Mrs. Isaac Campbell

1918 Marriage

Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 376

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Orpha Baker Marriage Date:31 Dec 1918 Marriage Location:Union, Franklin, MO

Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:D G Campbell

1920 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 189a, 30 January 1920, house 340, family 363

CAMPBELL, David G. head w m 32; Orpha M. wife w f 32; Alice M. dau 4.12

[All born in Missouri.

1930 Federal Census

Meramec, Franklin, Missouri

Name:David G Campbell **Home in 1930:** **Age:**48 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1882

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's Name:**Orpha M

Race:White **Occupation:** **Education:** **Military service:** **Rent/home value:** **Age at first marriage:**

CAMPBELL, David G 48 Orpha M 47

1963 Death

Date of 30 May 1963 from headstone.

1963 Death

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Campbell, David G. May 6, 1883-May 30, 1963

Campbell, Orpha M. born November 11, 1884- died July 22, 1964

Campbell, dau Alice May born October 16, 1919- died December 29, 1921

[All on same stone]

David Garfield Campbell {FAG# 62626325} was born 6 May 1883 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 30 May 1963 and was buried May 1963 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Isaac Campbell {FAG# 62624894} (1840-1931) Mother: Malinda Jane (PRATT) {FAG# 62624243} (1855-1931). Spouse: Orpha M. (CAIN) Baker {FAG#+ 62623622} (11 November 1884 - 22 July 1964) Marriage: 31 December 1918 - Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: Alice May (CAMPBELL) {FAG# 51943790} (1919-1921)

David married **Orpha M. Cain**, daughter of **Abraham Absalom B. Cain** and **Martha Jane Reed**, on 31 December 1918 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Orpha was born on 11 November 1884 in Dardenne Twp, Saint Charles, Missouri, United States, died on 22 July 1964 at age 79, and was buried in July 1964 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=>

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about Orpha Cain

ntblName: Orpha Cain**ntbl Age:** 16**ntbl Birth Date:** Nov 1883**ntbl**

Birthplace:Missouri**ntbl Home in 1900:**Central, Franklin, Missouri [Franklin] **ntbl**

Race:Whiten**tl Gender:**Femalen**tl Relation to Head of House:**Sister-in-law**ntbl**

Marital Status: *Singl*entbl **Father's Birthplace:** *lowan*tbl **Mother's**

Birthplace: Missouri **Occupation:** [View on Image <http://search.ancestry.com/iexec?htx=View&r=an&dbid=7602&iid=004118776_00489](http://search.ancestry.com/iexec?htx=View&r=an&dbid=7602&iid=004118776_00489)

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1900usfedcen&indiv=try&h=76186739> 18ntbl Leo Mc Callister

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5ntblOrpha Cain <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1900usfedcen&indiv=try&h=>

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1918 Marriage

Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 376

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Orpha Baker Marriage Date:31 Dec 1918 Marriage Location:Union, Franklin, MO

Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:D G Campbell

1920 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 189a, 30 January 1920, house 340, family 363

CAMPBELL, David G. head w m 32; Orpha M. wife w f 32; Alice M. dau 4.12

[All born in Missouri.]

1930 Federal Census

Meramec, Franklin, Missouri

Name:David G Campbell **Home in 1930:** **Age:**48 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1882

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's Name:**Orpha M

Race:White **Occupation:** **Education:** **Military service:** **Rent/home value:** **Age at first marriage:**

CAMPBELL, David G 48 **Orpha M** 47

1963 Death

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Campbell, David G. May 6, 1883-May 30, 1963

Campbell, Orpha M. born November 11, 1884- died July 22, 1964

Campbell, dau Alice May born October 16, 1919- died December 29, 1921

[All on same stone]

Orpha M. (CAIN) Baker Campbell {FAG# 62623622} was born 11 November 1884 -

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Dardenne Twp, Saint Charles, Missouri, United States and died 22 July 1964 and was buried July 1964 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Abraham Absalom B. Cain {FAG# 73189076} (1843-1910) Mother: Martha Jane (REED) (1853-1884/1900). Spouses: 1st spouse _____ Baker Marriage: 1900-1918 2nd spouse David Garfield Campbell {FAG# 62626325} (6 May 1883 - 30 May 1963) Marriage: 31 December 1918 - Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: Alice May (CAMPBELL) {FAG# 51943790} (1919-1921)

The child from this marriage was:

- + 314 F i. **Alice May Campbell** was born on 16 October 1919 in Morrellton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 29 December 1921 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 2, and was buried in December 1921 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

125. Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell (*Malinda Jane Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 14 July 1885 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 28 November 1931 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 46, and was buried on 30 November 1931 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1885 Birthblock for Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell

1900 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9b, 8 June 1900, line 100, house 181, family 187

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m born April 1838 age 62; [page 10a] Malinda wife w f born March 1855 age 45; Nancy J. dau w f born March 1882 age 18; David G. son w m born May 1883 age 17; Jackson son w m born June 1885 age 14; John E. son w m born December 1888 age 11; James S. son w m born June 1891 age 8; Laura Jane ddau w f born February 1897 age 3 [Isaac born in Tennessee, shis father in Scotland, his mother in Tennessee, Malinda born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. The children all born in Missouri as was their mother and their father born in Tennessee. Malinda says she had 10 children 8 are living and they have been married 25 years.]

1910 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 30a, 5 May 1910, line 16, house 297, family 300

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m 69; Malinda J. wife w f 59; Andrew J. son w m 25; Virginia E. dau w f 17; Laura E. dau w f 12

[Isaac was born in Tennessee, his father in Scottish England his mother in Tennessee, the rest were born in Missouri their father in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri. Malinda says she has been married once for 33 years and she has had 12 children born and 8 are living. Isaac has been married twice. Isaac is a farmer.]

1911 Marriage of Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell and Helena (HELM)

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Jack Campbell of Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States Marriage Date: 26 Jan 1911 Marriage Location: Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Helena Helm of Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Andrew Jackson Campbell **City:**Sullivan **County:**Franklin **State:**Missouri
Birth Date:14 July 1885 **Race:**White **Roll:**1683213 taken 12 September 1918

1920 Federal Census

Meramec, Franklin, Missouri

ntblName:Jack Campbell [Jack Campppell] **ntbl Home in 1920:**ntbl **Age:**34 years **ntbl Estimated birth year:**abt 1886**ntbl Birthplace:**Missourintbl **Relation to Head of House:**Head**ntbl Spouse's name:**Helen**ntbl Father's Birth Place:**Tennesseentbl **Mother's Birth Place:**Missourintbl **Marital Status:**Married**ntbl Race:**Whitentbl **Sex:**Malentbl **Home owned:**Rent**ntbl Able to read:**Yes**ntbl Able to Write:**Yes**ntbl Image:**392
CAMPBELL, Jack head w m 34; Helen wife w f 24; Andrew son w m 8; James C. brother w m 29

1927-1930 Marriage of Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell and Rachel M. (STROUP)

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 276A, 17 April 1930, line 22, house 322, family 332

CAMPBELL, Jack A. head w m 45; Rachel M. wife w f 21; Charles F. son wm 2 7/12; Leo M. son w m 1 5/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Rachel was first married at age 21. Jack is a woodcutter for ties.]

1931 Death of Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell

Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 28 November 1931._

Andrew Jackson Campbell November 28, 1931 Franklin 37342

Andrew married **Helena Helm** on 26 January 1911 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Helena was born in 1896 in Missouri, United States.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 315 M i. **Andrew Campbell** was born in 1912 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Andrew next married **Rachel M. Stroup**, daughter of **William "Will" Alfred Stroup** and **Bertha Ann Whiteside**, in 1927-1930. Rachel was born on 16 May 1908 in Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died in October 1982 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 74, and was buried in October 1982 in Hill Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1908 Childbirth of daughter; Rachel M. (STROUP)

1910 Federal Census

Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 58b, 13 April 1910, line 53, house 13, family 13

STROUP, Will M. head w m 50; Bertha R. wife w f 26; Charlie son w m 9; Ruth E. dau w f 6; Will E. son w m 4; Rachel M. dau w f 2; Albert U. son w m 16

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[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Will has been married twice this is Bertha's first marriage. They have been married 8 years. Bertha says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. Will is a farmer and is renting. They are living next door to Columbus & Mary Lavina (CAUFIELD) Missey family.]

1911 Childbirth of sister; Madge F. (STROUP)

1913 Childbirth of brother; Howard T. Stroup

1914 Childbirth of brother; Ernest Green Stroup

1917 Death of father; William "Will" Alfred Stroup

William Alfred Stroup died in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 4 January 1917.

1917 Childbirth of brother; Clifford Stewart Stroup

1920 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 43b, 13 January 1920, line 83, farm 89, family 90

STROUP, Bertha head w f 35; Albert sson w m 27; William son w m 14; Rachel M. dau w f 11; Madge F. dau w f 8; Howard T. son w m 6; Ernest G. son w m 5; Clifford J. son w m 2 yrs 2/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Bertha is a widow. Bertha is a janitress for the high school. Albert is a laborer for the railroad. They are renting.]

1927-1930 Marriage of Jack A. Campbell and Rachel M. (STROUP)

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 276A, 17 April 1930, line 22, house 322, family 332

CAMPBELL, Jack A. head w m 45; Rachel M. wife w f 21; Charles F. son w m 2 7/12; Leo M. son w m 1 5/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Rachel was first married at age 21. Jack is a woodcutter for ties.]

1931 Death of Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell

Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 28 November 1931._

1932 Marriage of Charles Ellis "Charley" Thatcher and Rachel M. (STROUP) Campbell

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Charley Thatcher of Sullivan, Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Date:26 Dec 1932
Marriage Location:Vienna, MO Marriage County:Maries Spouse Name:Rachel Campbell of Sullivan, Franklin County, Missouri

Social Security Death Index

Name:Rachel Thatcher SSN:490-30-1336 Last Residence:63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America Born:16 May 1908 Died:Oct 1982 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri

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(Before 1951)

FAG# 74013792

Rachel M. (**STROUP**) Campbell Thatcher {FAG# 74013792} was born 16 May 1908 - Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died October 1982 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried October 1982 - Hill Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: William "Will" Alfred Stroup {FAG#* 101162305} (1864-1917) Mother: Bertha Ann (**WHITESIDE**) Key {FAG# 53651977} (1885-1956). Spouses: 1st spouse Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell (14 July 1885 - 28 November 1931) Marriage: 1927-1930 2nd spouse Charles Ellis "Charley" Thatcher {FAG#+ 74013848} (28 July 1898 - February 1968) Marriage: 26 December 1932 - Vienna, Jackson Twp, Maries, Missouri, United States

126. John E. Campbell (*Malinda Jane Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in December 1888 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9b, 8 June 1900, line 100, house 181, family 187

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m born April 1838 age 62; [page 10a] Malinda wife w f born March 1855 age 45; Nancy J. dau w f born March 1882 age 18; David G. son w m born May 1883 age 17; Jackson son w m born June 1885 age 14; John E. son w m born December 1888 age 11; James S. son w m born June 1891 age 8; Laura Jane ddau w f born February 1897 age 3 [Isaac born in Tennessee, shis father in Scotland, his mother in Tennessee, Malinda born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. The children all born in Missouri as was their mother and their father born in Tennessee. Malinda says she had 10 children 8 are living and they have been married 25 years.]

1910 Federal Census

Meramec, Franklin, Missouri

Name:David Campbell **Age in 1910:**27 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1883

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Servant **Father's Birth Place:**Tennessee

Mother's Birth Place:Missouri **Home in 1910:**Marital Status:Single **Race:**White

Gender:Male

McINTOSH, Albert 28 Ninette 34 Margerette 5 Elizabeth 4 Marie 1 8/12

CAMPBELL, David 27 John 22

127. James Samuel "Sam" Campbell (*Malinda Jane Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 23 June 1890 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 31 July 1922 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 32, and was buried on 1 August 1922 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9b, 8 June 1900, line 100, house 181, family 187

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m born April 1838 age 62; [page 10a] Malinda wife w f born March 1855 age 45; Nancy J. dau w f born March 1882 age 18; David G. son w m born May 1883 age

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17; Jackson son w m born June 1885 age 14; John E. son w m born December 1888 age 11; James S. son w m born June 1891 age 8; Laura Jane ddau w f born February 1897 age 3 [Isaac born in Tennessee, shis father in Scotland, his mother in Tennessee, Malinda born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. The children all born in Missouri as was their mother and their father born in Tennessee. Malinda says she had 10 children 8 are living and they have been married 25 years.]

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:James Samuel Campbell City:Sullivan County:Franklin State:Missouri
Birthplace:Sullivan, Missouri Birth Date:23 June 1890 Race:Caucasian (White) Roll:1683213 5
June 1917 Single taking care of parents.

1920 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 180b, 9 January 1920, line 91, house 155, family 169

CAMPBELL, Isac head w m 78; Malind J. wife w f 62; James L. son w m 28; **WEST**, Arthur A. gson w m 6; James D. gson w m 4; Mary A. gdau w f 2

[Isaac was born in Tennessee, his father in Scotland his mother in Pennsylvania, Malinda was born in Missouri her parent's in Tennessee, James was born in Missouri, his father in Tennessee, his mother in Missouri, the West children born in Missouri as was their parents. Isaac is a farmer and rents his home.]

1922 Death

James Samuel Campbell July 31, 1922 Franklin 20824

James married **Lucy Emaline**. Lucy died after 1922.

128. Virginia E. Campbell (*Malinda Jane Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1893 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

129. Laura Jane Campbell (*Malinda Jane Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 3 January 1897 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 5 May 1963 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 66.

1900 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9b, 8 June 1900, line 100, house 181, family 187

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m born April 1838 age 62; [page 10a] Malinda wife w f born March 1855 age 45; Nancy J. dau w f born March 1882 age 18; David G. son w m born May 1883 age 17; Jackson son w m born June 1885 age 14; John E. son w m born December 1888 age 11; James S. son w m born June 1891 age 8; Laura Jane dau w f born February 1897 age 3 [Isaac born in Tennessee, shis father in Scotland, his mother in Tennessee, Malinda born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. The children all born in Missouri as was their mother and their father born in Tennessee. Malinda says she had 10 children 8 are living and they have been married 25 years.]

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1910 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 30a, 5 May 1910, line 16, house 297, family 300

CAMPBELL, Isaac head w m 69; Malinda J. wife w f 59; Andrew J. son w m 25; Virginia E. dau w f 17; Laura E. dau w f 12

[Isaac was born in Tennessee, his father in Scottish England his mother in Tennessee, the rest were born in Missouri their father in Tennessee, their mother in Missouri. Malinda says she has been married once for 33 years and she has had 12 children born and 8 are living. Isaac has been married twice. Isaac is a farmer.]

1912 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Laura Campbell Marriage Date:6 Oct 1912 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, MO

Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Austin West -James West father of Austin gives consent.

Laura married **Arthur Austin West**, son of **James Isaac West** and **Amanda "Manda" Bell Garrett**, on 6 October 1912 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Arthur was born on 8 May 1896 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 27 November 1981 in Independence, Blue Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States at age 85, and was buried on 1 December 1981 in Hickory, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census

Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri

Name:Austin West Home in 1900: Age:4 Estimated Birth Year:abt 1896 Birthplace:Missouri Relationship to head-of-house:Son Father's Name:James Mother's Name:Manda Race:White WEST, James 27 Manda 21 Austin 4 Cora V 3 Raymon 1

1910 Federal Census

Meramec, Franklin, Missouri

Name:Austin West Age in 1910:14 Estimated Birth Year:abt 1896 Birthplace:Missouri Relation to Head of House:Son Father's Name:James Father's Birth Place:Missouri Mother's Name:Barbara Mother's Birth Place:Missouri Home in 1910:Marital Status:Single Race:White Gender:Male WEST, James head w m 38; Barbara wife w f 19; Austin 14 Cora 13 Raymond 11 Earl 7 Doratha 1

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Austin West Marriage Date:6 Oct 1912 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, MO Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Laura Campbell Father's Name:James West

Children from this marriage were:

- + 316 F i. **Hazel Loretta West** was born on 22 June 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in July 1995 in Louisiana, United States at age 76, and was buried in Louisiana, United States.
- + 317 M ii. **Arthur A. West** was born in 1914 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 318 M iii. **James D. West** was born in 1916 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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+ 319 F iv. **Mary A. West** was born in 1918 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

130. Mary Caroline Pratt (*Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 27 September 1885 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 29 July 1962 in Nevada City, Nevada, California, United States at age 76.

1885 Birthblock for Mary Caroline (PRATT) daughter of Henry Absalom and Cynthia Anna (MISSÉ) Pratt

Mary Caroline (**PRATT**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 27 September 1885.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born September 1885 in Missouri.

Date from the marriage license states she was born after 1884.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1886 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1886 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born ??

1887 Childbirth of brother ; John Absalom Pratt

John Absalom Pratt Jr. was born Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 July 1887._

1890 Childbirth of brother; Alexander Pratt

Alexander Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1890.

1890 Death of grandfather; John Absalom Pratt Sr.

John Absalom Pratt Sr. died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 27 June 1890.

1892 Childbirth of brother; James Wesley Pratt

James Wesley Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 20 July 1892.

1894 Childbirth of brother; Francis Columbus Pratt

Francis Columbus Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 16 June 1894.

1898 Childbirth of sister; Minnie Ann (PRATT)

Minnie Ann (**PRATT**) was born in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 August 1898 and died on 4 August 1910.

1900 Federal Census age 15

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 152a, 26 June 1900, line 16, house 286, family 292

PRATT, Henry A. head w m born August 1856 age 43; Cynthia A. wife w f born December 1861 age 38; Mary C. dau w f born September 1885 age 14; John A. son w m born July 1887 age 12; Alexander son w m born February 1890 age 10; James W. son w m born July 1892 age 7; Francis C. son w m born June 1894 age 5; Minnie A. dau w f born August 1898 age 1

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Tennessee, Cynthia's parents born in France. Cynthia says she had 6 children and 6 children are living, they have been

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married for 18 years. Henry is a farmer and is renting.]

1902 Marriage of William H. Welch and Mary Caroline (PRATT)

[1] Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "J", page 47

William H. Welsch of Morrellton, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Mary C. Pratt of Morrellton, Franklin Co., Mo. under 18; The Father H. A. Pratt of the said Mary C. Pratt has given his assent to said marriage; 13 March 1902 license; married on 13 March 1902 by T. J. Forbes, MG at Morrellton, Franklin Co., Mo.

1908-1910 Move

From Franklin, Missouri, United States to Denning Town, Hogan Twp, Franklin, Arkansas, United States

1910 Federal Census age 25

Denning Town, Hogan Twp, Franklin, Arkansas, United States, page 85a, 16 April 1910, line 16, house 43, family 43,

WILCH, W.[William] H. head w m 29; Mary wife w f 24; Eliza dau w f 6; Charlie son w m 5; Otis son w m 2

[William was born in Illinois, his parents in Indiana. Mary was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children were born in Missouri as was their mother and their father was born in Illinois. This is their first marriage they have been married for 8 years and Mary says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. William is a coal miner and is renting.]

1912-1915 Move

From Denning Town, Hogan Twp, Franklin, Arkansas, United States to Oklahoma.

1915-1920 Move

From Oklahoma to 1201 Calhoun, Springfield City, North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

1920 Federal Census age 35

1201 Calhoun, Springfield City, North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 167b, 12 January 1920, line 83, house 1201, dwelling 219, family 229

WELCH, William H. head w m 38; Mary C. wife w f 34; Charles H. son w m 14; Wallis O. [Otis] son w m 11; George W. son w m 8 11/12; Mary L. dau w f 4 7/12

[William born in Illinois as was his father, his mother in Indiana. All the rest born in Missouri as was their parents except George was born in Arkansas and Mary was born in Oklahoma. William is a boiler washer at the Frisco Shop and is renting.]

1922 Death of spouse; William H. Welch

William H. Welch died on 6 August 1922 at North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

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Mary married **William H. Welch**, son of **William H. H. Welch** and **Elizabeth "Eliza" A. Vermillion**, on 13 March 1902 in Morrellton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. William was born on 7 March 1881 in Worthington Town, Greene, Indiana, United States, died on 6 August 1922 in North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 41, and was buried on 9 August 1922 in Eastlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

1881 Birthblock for William H. Welch

Date from the 1900 census states he was born March 1881 in Illinois.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1881 in Illinois.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1882 in Illinois.

Date from death certificate states he was born 7 March 1881 in Illinois.

In the 1880 census his parents list an unnamed male infant who was 2 months old on 15 June 1880 and the census states he was born in April. I believe this could be William. He has always listed his birth as 1881 but he could have been born April 1880 not March 1881. Because the only way to prove this conclusion would be to observe the 1890 census...which has been destroyed. Therefore, I make mention of this without validation for future consideration. If this is true then he was born in Indiana not Illinois.-Floyd Thomas Pratt _

1900 Federal Census

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 124a, 5 June 1900, line 5, house 36, family 36

WELCH, William head w m born June 1847 age 52; Eliza A. wife w f born June 1853 age 47; Frank son w m born January 1878 age 22; William H. son w m born March 1881 age 19; Josos son w m born February 1892 age 8

[William and Eliza born in Indiana, William's father born in Pennsylvania, mother in Ohio, Eliza's father born in Indiana, mother in Maryland, the boys born in Illinois their parents in Indiana.

William and Eliza have been married for 27 years and Eliza has had 11 children born and 5 are living. William is a farmer and is renting. William H. Welch's future spouse is living in the same township.]

1902 Marriage

Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "J", page 47

William H. Welsch of Morrellton, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Mary C. Pratt of Morrellton, Franklin Co., Mo. under 18; The Father H. A. Pratt of the said Mary C. Pratt has given his assent to said marriage; 13 March 1902 license; married on 13 March 1902 by T. J. Forbes, MG at Morrellton, Franklin Co., Mo.

1908-1910 Move

From Franklin, Missouri, United States to Denning Town, Hogan Twp, Franklin, Arkansas, United States

1910 Federal Census

Denning Town, Hogan Twp, Franklin, Arkansas, United States, page 85a, 16 April 1910, line 16, house 43, family 43,

WILCH, W.[William] H. head w m 29; Mary wife w f 24; Eliza dau w f 6; Charlie son w m 5; Otis son w m 2

[William was born in Illinois, his parents in Indiana. Mary was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children were born in Missouri as was their mother and their father was born in Illinois. This is their first marriage they ahve been married for 8 years and Mary says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. William is a coal miner and is renting.]

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1912-1915 Move

From Denning Town, Hogan Twp, Franklin, Arkansas, United States to Oklahoma between 1912-1915.

1916-1920 Move

From Oklahoma to 1201 Calhoun, Springfield City, North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States between 1916-1920.

1920 Federal Census

1201 Calhoun, Springfield City, North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 167b, 12 January 1920, line 83, house 1201, dwelling 219, family 229

WELCH, William H. head w m 38; Mary C. wife w f 34; Charles H. son w m 14; Wallis O.[Otis] son w m 11; George W. son w m 8 11/12; Mary L. dau w f 4 7/12

[William born in Illinois as was his father, his mother in Indiana. All the rest born in Missouri as was their parents except George was born in Arkansas and Mary was born in Oklahoma. William is a boiler washer at the Frisco Shop and is renting.]

1922 Death

Missouri Department of Health death certificate #23488

William H. Welch white married male was born 7 March 1881 in Illinois to William Welch [birthplace unknown] and Eliza A. Vermillion [birthplace unknown]. He is married to Caroline Welch. He was a boiler maker helper for the Frisco Railroad. He died on 6 August 1922 at North Campbell Twp, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States and is buried at East Lawn Cemetery on 9 August 1922. His usual residence was Fay Street, Route 11, Springfield, Missouri. The informant was Anna Sullivan, Springfield, Missouri.
William H. Welch August 06, 1922 Greene Springfield 23488.

1922 Burial

Eastlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States

William H. Welch {FAG#* 99224273}

Birth: 7 March 1881 - Worthington Town, Greene, Indiana, United States

Death: 6 August 1922 - North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

Burial: 9 August 1922 - Eastlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States

Parents

Father: William H. H. Welch (1847-After 1900)

Mother: Elizabeth "Eliza" A. (VERMILLION) (1853-After 1900)

Spouse:

Mary Caroline (PRATT) (27 September 1885 - 29 July 1962)

Marriage: 13 March 1902 - Morrellton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Children:

Eliza (WELCH) (1904-)

Charles H. "Charlie" Welch (1905-)

Willie Otis Welch (1908-)

George W. Welch (1912-)

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Mary L. (WELCH) (1915-1922)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 320 F i. **Eliza Welch** was born in 1904 in Missouri, United States.
- + 321 M ii. **Charles H. "Charlie" Welch** was born in 1905 in Missouri, United States.
- + 322 M iii. **Willie Otis Welch** was born in 1908 in Missouri, United States.
- + 323 M iv. **George W. Welch** was born in 1912 in Arkansas, United States.
- + 324 F v. **Mary L. Welch** was born on 15 April 1915 in Oklahoma, United States, died on 27 September 1922 in North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 7, and was buried on 29 September 1922 in Eastlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

131. John Absalom Pratt (*Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 16 July 1887 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 26 August 1966 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 79, and was buried in August 1966 in Eastlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

1887 Birthblock for John Absalom Pratt

John Absalom Pratt was born Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 16 July 1887._

Date from the 1900 census states he was born July 1887 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1888 in Missouri.

Date from the World War I draft registration states he was born 16 July 1887 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1881 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1889 in Missouri.

Date from the SSDI states he was born 16 July 1887.

1900 Federal Census

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 152a, 26 June 1900, line 16, house 286, family 292

PRATT, Henry A. head w m born August 1856 age 43; Cynthia A. wife w f born December 1861 age 38; Mary C. dau w f born September 1885 age 14; John A. son w m born July 1887 age 12; Alexander son w m born February 1890 age 10; James W. son w m born July 1892 age 7; Francis C. son w m born June 1894 age 5; Minnie A. dau w f born August 1898 age 1

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Tennessee, Cynthia's parents born in France. Cynthia says she had 6 children and 6 children are living, they have been married for 18 years. Henry is a farmer and is renting.]

1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 245b, 2 May 1910, line 84, house 376, family 386

PRATT, Henry A. head w m 57; Scynthia A. wife w f 48; John A. son w m 22; Elexander son w m 20; James W. son w m 17; Francis C. son w m 13; Minnie A. dau w f 11

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Kentucky. Henry is a farmer and Cynthia says she had 6 children born and 6 are living. Both have been married once for 27 years. John and Alexander are woodcutters and tie makers.]

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1912 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: John Pratt of Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri over the age of 21 Marriage Date: 6 Oct 1912
Marriage Location: Franklin, Missouri Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Christina M
Hanson of Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri under the age of 18. James L. Hanson, father of the bride
gives his consent.

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: John Abslum Pratt City: Morrellton County: Franklin State: Missouri Birthplace: Missouri
Birth Date: 16 Jul 1887 Race: Caucasian (White) Roll: 1683213 DraftBoard: 0 June 5, 1917

1920 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186b, 22 & 23 January 1920, line 68,
house 298, family 312

PRATT, John A. head w m 39; Christina M. wife w f 22; Alice L. dau w f 6; James F. son w m 4
2/12; **HENSON**, James L. fanlaw w m 59; Margret E. monlaw w f 45; **WELCH**, Charles H.
nephew w m 15

[All born in Missouri including parents with the following exceptions, John says his mother was
born in Illinois, James Henson was born in Indiana, Charles says his father was born in Illinois.
Charles is the son of William & Mary Caroline (**PRATT**) Welch. James is a farmer and renting.
Living next door to brother, Francis & Fannie E. (**HENSON**) Pratt family. Also, Charles' brother,
Willie is living with Francis and Fannie. On the next page is his brother; Alexander & Mary
(**HENSON**) Pratt family.]

1930 Federal Census

Washington Twp, St Clair, Missouri, United States, page 266b, 25 April 1930, line 99, house
71, family 74

PRATT, John A. head w m 41; Christine wife w f 33; [page 267a] Alice dau w f 15; Frank son w
m 14; Annie dau w f 9

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. John was 25 when he first married, Christine was 17
when she first married. John is a logger in a sawmill and is renting. Living next door to brothers;
James W. & Bertha (**CALLAHAN**) Pratt family, Francis & Fannie (**HENSON**) Pratt family
and Alexander & Mary (**HENSON**) Pratt family].

Social Security Death Index

Name: John Pratt SSN: 494-18-8581 Last Residence: 65802 Springfield, Greene, Missouri,
United States of America Born: 16 Jul 1887 Died: Aug 1966 State (Year) SSN issued: Missouri
(Before 1951)

John Absalom Pratt {FAG#+ 87685567} was born 16 July 1887 - Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri,
United States and died 26 August 1966 - Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United
States and was buried August 1966 - Eastlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene,
Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Henry Absalom Pratt {FAG# 80160089} (1860-1915)
Mother: Cynthia Anna (MISSE) or Missey {FAG# 73233377} (1862-1925). Spouse: Christina M.
(**HENSON**) {FAG# 87685471} (8 December 1897 - 24 August 1968) Marriage: 6 October 1912 -
Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: Alice L. (**PRATT**) (1914-)
James Frank Pratt (1916-) Annie (**PRATT**) (1921-) Charles William Pratt (1923-1925)

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John married **Christina M. Henson**, daughter of **James Louis Henson** and **Margaret Evelyn Young**, on 6 October 1912 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Christina was born on 8 December 1897 in Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 24 August 1968 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 70, and was buried in August 1968 in Eastlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

1896 Birthblock for Christina M. (HENSON)

Date from the 1900 census states she was born

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1896 in Missouri. _

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1898 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1897 in Missouri.

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1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 244b, 30 April & 2 May 1910, line 67, house 350, family 360

HENSON, James head w m 53; Margaret E. wife w f 35; Jesse son w m 15; Christina dau w f 14; Fannie dau w f 12; Mary dau w f 9; Perle dau w f 7; Leona dau w f 3

[James born in Indiana his father in the US, Margaret born in Missouri as was her parents, the children born in Missouri as was their mother, their father born in Indiana. This is James' second marriage and Margaret's first they have been married for 17 years. Margaret says she has had 8 children born 6 are living. James is a laborer and works on a farm and is renting.]

1912 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: John Pratt of Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri over the age of 21 Marriage Date: 6 Oct 1912

Marriage Location: Franklin, Missouri Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Christina M Hanson of Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri under the age of 18. James L. Hanson, father of the bride gives his consent.

1920 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186b, 22 & 23 January 1920, line 68, house 298, family 312

PRATT, John A. head w m 39; Christina M. wife w f 22; Alice L. dau w f 6; James F. son w m 4 2/12; **HENSON**, James L. fanlaw w m 59; Margret E. monlaw w f 45; **WELCH**, Charles H. nephew w m 15

[All born in Missouri including parents with the following exceptions, John says his mother was born in Illinois, James Henson was born in Indiana, Charles says his father was born in Illinois. Charles is the son of William & Mary Caroline (**PRATT**) Welch. James is a farmer and renting. Living next door to brother, Francis & Fannie E. (**HENSON**) Pratt family. Also, Charles' brother, Willie is living with Francis and Fannie. On the next page is his brother; Alexander & Mary (**HENSON**) Pratt family.]

1930 Federal Census

Washington Twp, St Clair, Missouri, United States, page 266b, 25 April 1930, line 99, house 71, family 74

PRATT, John A. head w m 41; Christine wife w f 33; [page 267a] Alice dau w f 15; Frank son w m 14; Annie dau w f 9

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. John was 25 when he first married, Christine was 17

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when she first married. John is a logger in a sawmill and is renting. Living next door to brothers; James W. & Bertha (**CALLAHAN**) Pratt family, Francis & Fannie (**HENSON**) Pratt family and Alexander & Mary (**HENSON**) Pratt family].

Christina M. (HENSEN) Pratt {FAG# 87685471} was born 8 December 1897 - Washington, Missouri, United States and died 24 August 1968 - Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States and was buried August 1968 - Eastlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: James Louis Henson (1859-1924) Mother: Margaret Evelyn (YOUNG) {FAG# 92951426} (1873-1922). Spouse: John Absalom Pratt {FAG#+ 87685567} (16 July 1887 - 26 August 1966) Marriage: 6 October 1912 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: Alice L. (PRATT) (1914-) James Frank Pratt (1916-) Annie (PRATT) (1921-) Charles William Pratt (1923-1925)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 325 F i. **Alice L. Pratt** was born in 1914 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 326 M ii. **James Frank Pratt** was born in 1916 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 327 F iii. **Annie Pratt** was born in 1921 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 328 M iv. **Charles William Pratt** was born on 23 May 1923 in Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 3 November 1925 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 2, and was buried on 5 November 1925 in Meramec Camp Ground.

132. Alexander Pratt (*Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 February 1890 in Sullivan, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in March 1971 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 81.

1890 Birthblock of Alexander Pratt

Alexander Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Central twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1890.

! CENSUS: 1900 Franklin Co., Central Twsp, Mo, Page 152, House 286, taken 26 June 1900:
born father mother

PRATT, HENRY A.	43 male Aug 1856	MO	TN	TN
CYNTHA A.	38 wife Dec 1861	MO	France	France
MARY C.	14 dau Sep 1885	MO	MO	MO
JOHN A.	12 son Jul 1887	MO	MO	MO
ALEXANDER	10 son Feb 1890	MO	MO	MO
JAMES W.	7 son Jul 1892	MO	MO	MO
FRANCIS C.	5 son Jun 1894	MO	MO	MO
MINNIE A.	1 dau Aug 1898	MO	MO	MO

(Cynthia says she had 6 children and 6 children are living, she been married once for 18 years.

CENSUS: 1910 Franklin Co., MO., Meramac Twsp., Page 4185, House 386, taken May 2, 1910:
PRATT, Henry A. male 57 born: MO Fa: KY Mo: KY

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Scynthia A.	wife 48	born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO
JOHN A.	son 22	MO	MO	MO
ELEXANDER	son 20	MO	MO	MO
JAMES W.	son 17	MO	MO	MO
FRANCIS C.	son 13	MO	MO	MO
MINNIE A.	dau 11	MO	MO	MO

(Henry was a farmer and Cynthia says she had 6 children born and 6 are living. They have been married 27 years. JOHN and ALEXANDER are woodcutters and tie makers.)

1919 Marriage

Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "L", page 388

Alexander Pratt of Pea Ridge, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Mary Ann Elizabeth Henson of Morrellton, Franklin Co., Mo. under 18; James Henson father and Evelin Henson mother of said Mary Ann Elizabeth Henson gave their consent to the marriage; 10 March 1919 license; married on 16 March 1919 by Jas. R. Strauser, JP Johnson Twp. at Pea Ridge, Washington Co., Mo.

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

ntblName: Elaesander Pratt **ntbl City:** Not Stated **ntbl County:** Washington **ntbl**

State: Missouri **ntbl Birthplace:** Missouri **ntbl Birth Date:** 10 Feb 1890 **ntbl**

Race: Caucasian (White) **ntbl Roll:** 1683936

1920 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 187a, 24 January 1920, line 27, house 310, family 324

PRATT, Elalexander head w m 29; Mary E. wife w f 18; **HENSON**, Pearly V. sis nlaw w f 14

[All born in Missouri including parents. Pearl is the daughter of James L. & Margaret (YOUNG) Henson. On the previous page are his brothers; John & Christina (**HENSON**) Pratt family and Francis & Fannie (**HENSON**) Pratt family.]

1930 Federal Census

Washington Twp, St Clair, Missouri, United States, page 267a, 28 April 1930, line 4, house 72, family 75

PRATT, Alexander head w m 40; Mary A. wife w f 29; James A. son w m 8; Perla V. w f 5; Kenneth L. son w m 4

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Alexander was 29 when he first married, Mary was 17 when she first married. John is an engineer for the sawmill and is renting. Living next door to brothers; James W. & Bertha (**CALLAHAN**) Pratt family, Francis & Fannie (**HENSON**) Pratt family and John & Christine (**HENSON**) Pratt family.]

Social Security Death Index

Name: Alexander Pratt **SSN:** 488-16-3021 **Last Residence:** 65802 Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States of America **Born:** 10 Feb 1890 **Died:** Mar 1971 **State (Year) SSN issued:** Missouri (Before 1951)

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Alexander married **Mary Ann Elizabeth Henson**, daughter of **James Louis Henson** and **Margaret Evelyn Young**, on 16 March 1919 in Pea Ridge, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Mary was born on 16 September 1901 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in November 1979 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 78.

1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 244b, 30 April & 2 May 1910, line 67, house 350, family 360

HENSON, James head w m 53; Margaret E. wife w f 35; Jesse son w m 15; Christina dau w f 14; Fannie dau w f 12; Mary dau w f 9; Perle dau w f 7; Leona dau w f 3

[James born in Indiana his father in the US, Margaret born in Missouri as was her parents, the children born in Missouri as was their mother, their father born in Indiana. This is James' second marriage and Margaret's first they have been married for 17 years. Margaret says she has had 8 children born 6 are living. James is a laborer and works on a farm and is renting.]

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about Mary Pratt

Name:Mary Pratt **SSN:**486-68-3758 **Last Residence:**65802 Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**16 Sep 1901 **Died:**Nov 1979 **State (Year)**
SSN issued:Missouri (1973)

Children from this marriage were:

+ 329 M i. **James A. Pratt** was born in 1922 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

James married someone.

+ 330 F ii. **Pearly V. Pratt** was born in 1925 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

+ 331 M iii. **Kenneth L. Pratt** was born in 1926 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

133. James Wesley Pratt (*Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 20 July 1892 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1892 Birthblock for James Wesley Pratt

James Wesley Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Central twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 20 July 1892.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born July 1892 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1893 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1893 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1892 in Missouri.

1900 Federal Census

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 152a, 26 June 1900, line 16, house 286, family 292

PRATT, Henry A. head w m born August 1856 age 43; Cynthia A. wife w f born December 1861 age 38; Mary C. dau w f born September 1885 age 14; John A. son w m born July 1887 age 12; Alexander son w m born February 1890 age 10; James W. son w m born July 1892 age 7; Francis C. son w m born June 1894 age 5; Minnie A. dau w f born August 1898 age 1

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[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Tennessee, Cynthia's parents born in France. Cynthia says she had 6 children and 6 children are living, they have been married for 18 years. Henry is a farmer and is renting.]

1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 245b, 2 May 1910, line 84, house 376, family 386

PRATT, Henry A. head w m 57; Scynthia A. wife w f 48; John A. son w m 22; Elexander son w m 20; James W. son w m 17; Francis C. son w m 13; Minnie A. dau w f 11

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Kentucky. Henry is a farmer and Cynthia says she had 6 children born and 6 are living. Both have been married once for 27 years. John and Alexander are woodcutters and tie makers.]

1912/1916 Marriage

1920 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 225a, 21 January 1920, line 5, farm 92, family 92

PRATT, James W. head w m 27; Bertha L. wife w f 24; Cinthia A. mother w f 57

[All born in Missouri including parents except Cynthia's father born in France. James is a farmer and owns his own farm. James and Bertha are married, Cynthia is a widow.]

1930 Federal Census

Washington Twp, Saint Clair, Missouri, United States, page 266b, 25 April 1930, line 93, house 69, family 72

PRATT, James W. head w m 38; Bertha wife w f 33

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. James was 22 when he first married, Bertha was 19 when she first married. James is a laborer in a sawmill and is renting. Living next door to brothers; John & Christine (**HENSON**) Pratt family, Francis & Fannie (**HENSON**) Pratt family and Alexander & Mary (**HENSON**) Pratt family].

James married **Bertha L. Callahan**, daughter of **Andrew Jackson Callahan** and **Mary Jane McDonald**, in 1912-1916. Bertha was born in December 1895 in Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1895 Birthblock for Bertha L. (CALLAHAN)

Date from the 1900 census states she was born December 1895 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1896 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1896 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1897 in Missouri.

1900 Federal Census

Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 170b, 5 June 1900, line house 35, family 35,

CALLAHAN, Andrew J. head w m born March 1862 age 38; Mary J. wife w f born January 1876 age 24; Leonda dau w f born September 1891 age 8; Madison J. son w m born May 1893 age 7; Berthy L. dau w f born December 1895 age 4; Ray B. son w m April 1898 age 2

[All born in Missouri including parents except mary says her father was born in Kansas. They have been married for 9 years and Mary says she has had 4 chgildren born and 4 are living.]

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1910 Federal Census

Osage Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 128a, 10 May 1910, line house 360, family **CALLAHAN**, Andrew J. head w m 49; Mary J. wife w f 36; Madison son w m 17; Bertha L. dau w f 14; Boyd G. son w m 12; Ollie M. dau w f 9; Oscar son w m 7; Ossie son w m 7; Orvil A. son w m 4; Elmer M. son w m 2; Rosa L. dau w f 7/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married 19 years and Mary says 10 children have been born and 10 are living.]

1912/1916 Marriage

1920 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 225a, 21 January 1920, line 5, farm 92, family 92

PRATT, James W. head w m 27; Bertha L. wife w f 24; Cynthia A. mother w f 57

[All born in Missouri including parents except Cynthia's father born in France. James is a farmer and owns his own farm. James and Bertha are married, Cynthia is a widow.]

1930 Federal Census

Washington Twp, St Clair, Missouri, United States, page 266b, 25 April 1930, line 93, house 69, family 72

PRATT, James W. head w m 38; Bertha wife w f 33

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. James was 22 when he first married, Bertha was 19 when she first married. James is a laborer in a sawmill and is renting. Living next door to brothers; John & Christine (**HENSON**) Pratt family, Francis & Fannie (**HENSON**) Pratt family and Alexander & Mary (**HENSON**) Pratt family].

134. Francis Columbus Pratt (*Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 16 June 1894 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 16 April 1962 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States at age 67, and was buried in April 1962 in Humansville Cemetery, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

1894 Birthblock for Francis Columbus Pratt

Francis Columbus Pratt was born in either Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States or Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 16 June 1894.

Date from 1900 census states he was born June 1894 in Missouri.

Date from 1910 census states he was born 1897 in Missouri.

Date from the World War I draft registration states he was born 16 June 1896.

Date from 1920 census states he was born 1895 in Missouri.

Date from 1930 census states he was born 1897 in Missouri.

1900 Federal Census

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 152a, 26 June 1900, line 16, house 286, family 292

PRATT, Henry A. head w m born August 1856 age 43; Cynthia A. wife w f born December 1861 age 38; Mary C. dau w f born September 1885 age 14; John A. son w m born July 1887 age

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12; Alexander son w m born February 1890 age 10; James W. son w m born July 1892 age 7; Francis C. son w m born June 1894 age 5; Minnie A. dau w f born August 1898 age 1
[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Tennessee, Cynthia's parents born in France. Cynthia says she had 6 children and 6 children are living, they have been married for 18 years. Henry is a farmer and is renting.]

1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 245b, 2 May 1910, line 84, house 376, family 386

PRATT, Henry A. head w m 57; Scynthia A. wife w f 48; John A. son w m 22; Elexander son w m 20; James W. son w m 17; Francis C. son w m 13; Minnie A. dau w f 11

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Henry's parents born in Kentucky. Henry is a farmer and Cynthia says she had 6 children born and 6 are living. Both have been married once for 27 years. John and Alexander are woodcutters and tie makers.]

1917 Marriage

Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "L", page 231

Francis C. Pratt of Morrellton, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Fannie E. Henson of Morrellton, Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 7 March 1917 license; married on 7 March 1917 by R. J. Horsefield, Judge of Second District of Franklin Co., Mo. at Union, Franklin Co., Mo.

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Francis Columbus Pratt City: Not Stated County: Franklin State: Missouri

Birthplace: Missouri Birth Date: 16 Jun 1896 Race: Caucasian (White) Roll: 1683213 5 June 1917

1920 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186b, 22 & 23 January 1920, line 63, house 297, family 311

PRATT, Francis C. head w m 25; Fannie E. wife w f 22; Francis S. son w f 9/12; **WELCH**, Willie C. nephew w m 11; **HENSON**, Grace L. sisnlaw w f 11

[All born in Missouri including parents. Willie is the son of William & Mary Caroline (**PRATT**) Welch. Francis is a farmer and renting. Living next door to brother, John A. & Christine M. (**HENSON**) Pratt family. Also, Willie's brother, Charles is living with the Pratts.]

1930 Federal Census

Washington Twp, Saint Clair, Missouri, United States, page 266b, 25 April 1930, line 95, house 70, family 73

PRATT, Francis head w m 33; Fannie wife w f 29; Louis son w m 10; Mabel dau w f 7

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Francis was 21 when he first married, Fannie was 19 when she first married. Francis is a laborer in a sawmill and is renting. Living next door to brothers; James W. & Bertha (**CALLAHAN**) Pratt family, John & Christine (**HENSON**) Pratt family and Alexander & Mary (**HENSON**) Pratt family].

Francis married **Frances Evelyn "Fannie" Henson**, daughter of **James Louis Henson** and **Margaret Evelyn Young**, on 7 March 1917 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Frances was born on 17 July 1899 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 4 January 2000 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States at age 100, and was buried on 8 January 2000 in Humansville Cemetery, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

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1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 244b, 30 April & 2 May 1910, line 67, house 350, family 360

HENSON, James head w m 53; Margaret E. wife w f 35; Jesse son w m 15; Christina dau w f 14; Fannie dau w f 12; Mary dau w f 9; Perle dau w f 7; Leona dau w f 3

[James born in Indiana his father in the US, Margaret born in Missouri as was her parents, the children born in Missouri as was their mother, their father born in Indiana. This is James' second marriage and Margaret's first they have been married for 17 years. Margaret says she has had 8 children born 6 are living. James is a laborer and works on a farm and is renting.]

Social Security Death Index

Name:Fannie E. Pratt **SSN:**487-68-3172 **Last Residence:**65674 Humansville, Polk, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**17 Jul 1899 **Died:**4 Jan 2000 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (1973)

Fannie E. Pratt

Fannie Evelyn Pratt, 100, Humansville, died Tuesday, Jan. 4, 2000, at her home. She was born at Sullivan on July 17, 1899. She married Francis Columbus Pratt, and they were the parents of four children, Lewis, Mable, Bertha and Gertha. She was preceded in death by her husband, Francis, on April 16, 1962; infant daughters Bertha and Gertha; a daughter, Mable Root; a brother, Jesse Henson; and three sisters, Pearl Muse, Tina Pratt and Mary Pratt. Survivors include a son, Lewis Pratt of New Franklin; a sister, Leona Hale of Springfield; six grandchildren, Charles, Roger, Dennis, Val, Ernest and Lori Pratt; 10 great-grandchildren, eight great-great-grandchildren and one great-great-great-grandson. Services were Saturday, Jan. 8, in Murray Chapel, Humansville, with the Rev. Roger Pratt officiating. Honorary pallbearers were Shannon Pratt and Chris Pratt. Pallbearers were Val Pratt, Charles Pratt, Dennis Pratt, Ernest Pratt, Roy Pratt and Tempton Hall. Interment was in Humansville Cemetery.

Frances Evelyn "Fannie" (HENSON) Pratt {FAG# 37427709} was born 17 July 1899 - Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 4 January 2000 - Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States and was buried 8 January 2000 - Humansville Cemetery, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: James Louis Henson (1859-1924) Mother: Margaret Evelyn (YOUNG) {FAG# 92951426} (1873-1922). Spouse: Francis Columbus Pratt {FAG# 44799815} (16 June 1894 - 16 April 1962) Marriage: 7 March 1917 - Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Children: Lewis Francis Pratt (1919-1956) Mabel Irene (PRATT) Root (1921-1999) Bertha (PRATT) (Abt 1926-Abt 1926) Gertha)PRATT) (Abt 1926-Abt 1926)

Children from this marriage were:

+ 332 M i. **Lewis Francis Pratt** was born on 9 May 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 22 January 2012 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States at age 92, and was buried on 25 January 2012 in Humansville Cemetery, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

Lewis married **Elizabeth June Bolender** (d. 16 December 1994) on 27 October 1937 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

+ 333 F ii. **Mabel Irene Pratt** was born on 21 October 1921 in Chadwick, Chadwick Twp, Christian, Missouri, United States, died on 20 June 1999 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk,

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Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried on 25 June 1999 in Humansville Cemetery, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

Mabel married **Francis Wesley Root** (d. 20 November 1975).

- + 334 F iii. **Bertha Pratt** was born about 1926 and died about 1926.

- + 335 F iv. **Gertha Pratt** was born about 1926 and died about 1926.

135. Minnie Ann Pratt (*Henry Absalom Pratt* ³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 10 August 1898 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 4 August 1910 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 11, and was buried on 5 August 1910 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1898 Birthblock of Minnie Ann (PRATT)

Minnie Ann (PRATT) was born in Centrál Twp, Franklin, MIssouri, United States on 10 August 1898.

Date from 1900 census states she was born Aug 1898.

Date from 1910 census states she was born 1899.

Date from death certificate states she was born 10 Aug 1898.

Date from headstone states she was born

! CENSUS: 1900 Franklin Co., Central Twsp, Mo, Page 152, House 286, taken 26 June 1900:
born father mother

PRATT, HENRY A.	43 male Aug 1856	MO	TN	TN
CYNTHA A.	38 wife Dec 1861	MO	France	France
MARY C.	14 dau Sep 1885	MO	MO	MO
JOHN A.	12 son Jul 1887	MO	MO	MO
ALEXANDER	10 son Feb 1890	MO	MO	MO
JAMES W.	7 son Jul 1892	MO	MO	MO
FRANCIS C.	5 son Jun 1894	MO	MO	MO
MINNIE A.	1 dau Aug 1898	MO	MO	MO

(Cynthia says she had 6 children and 6 children are living, she been married once for 18 years.

! CENSUS: 1910 Franklin Co., MO., Meramac Twsp., Page 4185, House 386, taken May 2, 1910:

		born	father	mother
PRATT, HENRY A.	male 57	MO	KY	KY
SCYNTHIA A. (MISSE)	wife 48	MO	MO	MO
JOHN A.	son 22	MO	MO	MO
ELEXANDER	son 20	MO	MO	MO
JAMES W.	son 17	MO	MO	MO
FRANCIS C.	son 13	MO	MO	MO
MINNIE A.	day 11	MO	MO	MO

(Henry was a farmer and Cynthia says she had 6 children born and 6 are living. They have been married 27 years. JOHN and ALEXANDER are woodcutters and tie makers.)

1910 Death

Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, State File #30335 states she died on

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4th of August 1910 at Meramec Twsp., Franklin Co., MO. The Death certificate has many errors. (1) If you notice on the death certificate the death date is 10 days before the birth date. (2) She is listed as 19 years, 11 months and 25 days old. (3) Her Father is Henry A. Pratt and her mother is listed as Caroline Blanton. Here is how it is supposed to be. The 1900 census states she was born in Aug 1898. The 1910 census states she was 11 years old and born 1899. Therefore, she was born 1898. When the Registrar (Walter Mattox) asked Henry Pratt the maiden name of the mother, he gave Walter *his* mother's maiden name who was Caroline (**BLANTON**), not Cynthia Anna (**MISSEY**) who was Minnie's mother. When Walter wrote down her years of age, he should have written 11 years, 11 months, 25 days. This would make her birthday 10 August 1898. He wrote the 14 August 1910 because that was the date he filled out this death certificate. Therefore, Minnie Ann (**PRATT**) was born 10 August 1898 in Meremac Twsp., Franklin Co, MO. and died 4 August 1910. She is buried in the Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States.-Floyd Thomas Pratt Jan 10, 1992

! BURIAL: Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Franklin Co., MO.

! COMMENT: MINNIE A. PRATT is shown as HENRY ABSOLOM PRATT'S daughter.

Minnie Ann (**PRATT**) {FAG# 53641514} was born 10 August 1898 - Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 4 August 1910 - Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried 5 August 1910 - Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Henry Absalom Pratt {FAG# 80160089} (1860-1915) Mother: Cynthia Anna (**MISSÉ**) or Missey {FAG# 73233377} (1862-1925). Death certificates are incorrect see Pratt Progenitor Papers tree on ancestry.com for explanation.

136. Homer Clarence Blanton Sr. (*Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 1 December 1896 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died in March 1984 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 87.

1900 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 28a, 20 June 1900, line 21, house 223, family 226

BLANTON, John S. head w m born January 1854 age 46; Tilda wife w f born March 1868 age 32; Nannie dau w f born September 1883 age 16; Maud dau w f born October 1887 age 12; Homer C. son w m born December 1897 age 2; Gracie dau w f born July 1898 age 1

[All were born in Missouri as was their parents except John's father born in Tennessee. They have been married for 9 years. Matilda says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living.]

1910 Federal Census

Grigsby Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235a, 19 April 1910, line 43, house 157, family 160

BLANTON, John S. head w m 56; Tilda wife w f 42; Homer son w m 13; Gracie dau w f 11; Orvil son w m 3

[All born in Missouri including parents. They have been married for 20 years. This is John's second marriage and Matilda's first. Tilda says she has had 6 children born and 3 are living. John is a farmer and owns his farm.]

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1915 Marriage of Homer Clarence Blanton and Emma S. (MATHES)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Homer B Blanton Marriage Date:22 Nov 1915 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Emma Mathes Father's Name:J S Blanton

[2] Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 125

Homer C. Blanton of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. under 21; Emma Mathis of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; J. S. Blanton does solemnly swear that he is the father of Homer C. Blanton and that he gives his consent to the marriage; 20 November 1915 license; married on 22 November 1915 by S. Z. Wenkler, MG at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

1918 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Homer Clarence Blanton City: 6416 Lenox, Wellston County:St Louis (county)

State:Missouri Birthplace:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Birth Date:1 December 1896 Roll:1683864 DraftBoard:2

Father's birthplace: Near Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Spouse: Mrs. Emma Blanton same address Date 5 June 1918

1918-1919 Divorce of Homer Clarence Blanton and Emma (MATHIS) Blanton

Emma (MATHIS) Blanton between 1918 and 1920.

1918-1919 Marriage of Homer Clarence Blanton Sr. and Juanita Iris (JONES)

1920 Federal Census

Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

BLANTON, H.[Homer] C.[Clarence] head w m 23; Wauneta wife w f 22; Robert son w m 4; Mary dau w f 2

1930 Federal Census

Maplewood, St Louis, Missouri

BLANTON, Homer C 33 Juanita I 32 Robert A 14 Florence M 12 Homer C 9

1984 Death of Homer Clarence Blanton Sr.

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Social Security Death Index

Name:Homer Blanton SSN:493-05-0240 Last Residence:65441 Bourbon, Crawford, Missouri, United States of America Born:1 Dec 1897 Died:Mar 1984 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Homer married **Emma S. Mathis**, daughter of **Samuel B. Mathis** and **Dorothy Lynn**, on 22 November 1915 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Emma was born on 5 November 1896 in Goreville Twp, Johnson, Illinois, United States, died on 13 July 1942 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 45, and was buried on 18 July 1942 in Calvary Cemetery, Douglas, Cochise, Arizona, United States.

1900 Federal Census

Goreville, Johnson, Illinois

MATHIS, Samuel B. head w m 42; Darthula w fie w f 38; Mary A. dau w f 8; George W. w m 6;

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Emma S. dau w f 4; Blanche dau w f 1

1910 Federal Census

State Hospital #4, St Francois, St Francois, Missouri

RCHLFING, Martha 41 Ruth 21 Alix 19 Paul 14 Cornelia 10 Martha 7 Edith Goff 21 Ida E Fassel 41 Mary Beck 49 Ada Martin 23 Josephine Yates 40 Ruth Berry 24 Ollie Luckert < 19 Ruth Evens 29 Nomie J Belton 34 Harris Durkan 50 Mary Richardson 40 Bertin Farlow 19 Mary Pleasant 40 Elma Bloomeyer 19 Minnie Herbst 25 Nora Rion 28 Margret E Crawford 26 Emma Herbst 18 Margarete Loader 30 Hill Porth 19 Bertha Groom 18 Jane Roberts 28 H B Smith 31 G K Richardson 50

1915 Marriage of Homer Clarence Blanton and Emma S. (MATHES)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Homer B Blanton Marriage Date:22 Nov 1915 Marriage Location:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Emma Mathes Father's Name:J S Blanton

[2] Franklin County Missouri Marriage Record Book "", page 125

Homer C. Blanton of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. under 21; Emma Mathis of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; J. S. Blanton does solemnly swear that he is the father of Homer C. Blanton and that he gives his consent to the marriage; 20 November 1915 license; married on 22 November 1915 by S. Z. Wenkler, MG at Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

1918 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Homer Clarence Blanton City: 6416 Lenox, Wellston County:St Louis (county)

State:Missouri Birthplace:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Birth Date:1 December 1896 Roll:1683864 DraftBoard:2

Father's birthplace: Near Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Spouse: Mrs. Emma Blanton same address Date 5 June 1918

1918-1919 Divorce of Homer Clarence Blanton and Emma (MATHIS) Blanton

Emma (MATHIS) Blanton between 1918 and 1920.

1919 Marriage of Willia Uetz and Emma (MATHIS) Blanton

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Emma Blanton Age:23 Birth Date:abt 1896 Marriage Date:27 Sep 1919 Marriage Location:Clayton, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County:St Louis Spouse Name:William Uetz Spouse Age:23

Children from this marriage were:

- + 336 M i. **Robert A. Blanton** was born on 8 March 1916 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States and died in November 1981 in Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 65.
- + 337 F ii. **Florence Mary Blanton** was born in 1918 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

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Homer next married **Juanita Iris Jones** From 1918 to 1919. Juanita was born on 21 November 1897 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died on 3 March 1985 in Festus, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 87, and was buried in March 1985 in Gatewood Gardens Cemetery aka New Pickers Cemetery, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

Social Security Death Index

Name:Juanita Blanton **SSN:**490-22-5439 **Last Residence:**63143 Saint Louis, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**21 Nov 1897 **Died:**Mar 1985 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (Before 1951)

Find A Grave Memorial# 8232241

The child from this marriage was:

- + 338 M i. **Homer Clarence Blanton Jr.** was born on 22 February 1921 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 4 October 1989 in Ballwin, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 68, and was buried in October 1989 in Bellefontaine Cemetery, 4947 West Florissant Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

Homer married **Patricia A. Warner** (d. 12 October 1993).

137. Grace "Gracie" Blanton (*Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in July 1898 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 6 December 1924 in Chicago, Cook, Illinois, United States at age 26.

1900 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 28a, 20 June 1900, line 21, house 223, family 226

BLANTON, John S. head w m born January 1854 age 46; Tilda wife w f born March 1868 age 32; Nannie dau w f born September 1883 age 16; Maud dau w f born October 1887 age 12; Homer C. son w m born December 1897 age 2; Gracie dau w f born July 1898 age 1

[All were born in Missouri as was their parents except John's father born in Tennessee. They have been married for 9 years. Matilda says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living.]

1910 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235a, 19 April 1910, line house 157,

BLANTON, John S. head w m 56; Tilda wife w f 42; Herman son w m 18; Gracie dau w f 11; Orvil son w m 3

[All born in Missouri including parents. They have been married for 20 years. This is John's second marriage and Matilda's first.]

1920 Federal Census

St Louis Ward 7, St Louis (Independent City), Missouri

JONES, Sanelent 23; Grace 20; Mary 2yrs 3mos; Hildegard 1month

Illinois, Deaths and Stillbirths Index, 1916-1947

Name:Grace Jones [Grace Blanton] Birth Date:abt 1899 Death Date:6 Dec 1924 Death

Place:Chicago, Cook, Illinois Death Age:25 Gender:Female Father Name:John Blanton Mother

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Name:Mathilda Pratt Spouse Name:Saunders Jones FHL Film Number:1877615

Illinois, Deaths and Stillbirths Index, 1916-1947

Name:Grace Jones [Grace Blanton] Birth Date:abt 1899 Death Date:6 Dec 1924 Death Place:Chicago, Cook, Illinois Death Age:25 Gender:Female Father Name:John S. Blanton Mother Name:Mathilda Prattntbl FHL Film Number:1877615

Cook County, Illinois Death Index, 1908-1988

Name:Grace Jones Death Date:6 Dec 1924 Death Location:Cook County, IL File Number:6030735 Archive Collection Name:Cook County Genealogy Records (Deaths) Archive repository location:Chicago, IL Archive repository name:Cook County Clerk

Grace married **Saunders Jones** from 1915 to 1916.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 339 F i. **Mary Jones** was born in October 1917.
- + 340 F ii. **Hildagard Jones** was born in December 1919.

138. Orville Lewis Blanton Sr. (*Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 September 1905 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 23 January 1972 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 66, and was buried in January 1972 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235a, 19 April 1910, line house 157,

BLANTON, John S. head w m 56; Tilda wife w f 42; Herman son w m 18; Gracie dau w f 11; Orvil son w m 3

[All born in Missouri including parents. They have been married for 20 years. This is John's second marriage and Matilda's first.]

1920 Federal Census

Pacific Drive, Webster Groves, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 30a, 20 January 1920, house 633,

BLANTON, John head w m 62; Lena wife w f 42; Orville son w m 13; **BLACKBURN**, Gussie sdau w f 14

[All born in Missouri except Gussie born in Oklahoma, John's parents born in Tennessee, Lena & Orville 's parents born in Missouri, Gussie's father born in Ohio, her mother in Missouri. John is a blacksmith for City Water Company.]

1927 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Orville Lewis Blanton Marriage Date:20 Aug 1927 Marriage Location:Jennings, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County:St Louis Spouse Name:Irene Matilda Perry

1930 Federal Census

Hamilton Ave., Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 7b, 5 April 1930,

BLANTON, John S. head w m 76; Lena M. wife w f 52; Orville L. son w m 24; Irene M. dnlaw w f 20; Laverne gdau w f 1 6/12

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[All born in Missouri including parents. John is a janitor. Lena was first married at age 28, Orville was first married at age 22, Irene was first married at age 19. Lena is a waitress.]

Social Security Death Index

Name:Orville Blanton **SSN:**487-14-1038 **Last Residence:**63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**10 Sep 1905 **Died:**Jan 1972 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (Before 1951)

FAG# 59949206

Orville Lewis Blanton Sr. {FAG# 59949206} was born 10 September 1905 - Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 23 January 1972 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried January 1972 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: John Stephen "Steve" H. Blanton Jr. {FAG# 48887487} (1854-1939) Mother: Matilda Ellen "Tilda" (PRATT) {FAG#* 95913280} (1868-1915) Spouse: Irene Matilda (TERRY) {FAG#* 95923671} (7 July 1909 - 5 March 2004) Marriage: 20 August 1927 - Jennings, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. Children: (not inclusive) 1. Laverne (BLANTON) (1928-) 2. Wesley Allen Blanton (1931-1967)

Orville married **Irene Matilda Terry**, daughter of **Andrew Allen Terry** and **Addie J. Aden**, on 20 August 1927 in Jennings, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. Irene was born on 7 July 1909 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 March 2004 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 94, and was buried on 8 March 2004 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page
TERRY, Andrew 23 Addie 16 Irene 9/12 BENSON, Lawson 20

1920 Federal Census

St Louis Ward 3, St Louis (Independent City), Missouri
TERRY, Andrew A 32 Addie J 25 Irene M 10 Florence G 8 Grace L 3 Elizabeth M 2
ANDERSON, Perry 35

1927 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Orville Lewis Blanton Marriage Date:20 Aug 1927 Marriage Location:Jennings, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County:St Louis Spouse Name:Irene Matilda Perry

1930 Federal Census

Hamilton Ave., Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 7b, 5 April 1930,
BLANTON, John S. head w m 76; Lena M. wife w f 52; Orville L. son w m 24; Irene M. dnlaw w f 20; Laverne gdau w f 1 6/12

[All born in Missouri including parents. John is a janitor. Lena was first married at age 28, Orville was first married at age 22, Irene was first married at age 19. Lena is a waitress.]

Social Security Death Index

Name:Irene T. Blanton SSN:497-18-4590 Last Residence:63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America Born:7 Jul 1909 Died:5 Mar 2004 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 341 F i. **Laverne Blanton** was born in 1928 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.
- + 342 M ii. **Wesley Allen Blanton** was born on 31 December 1931 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died on 28 January 1967 in Youngstown, Mahoning, Ohio, United States at age 35, and was buried in January 1967 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

139. Henry Pratt (*John Absalom Pratt Jr.*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1893 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

140. William A. Pratt (*John Absalom Pratt Jr.*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 May 1897 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 12 October 1985 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 88, and was buried in October 1985 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1897 Birthblock for William Pratt

Date from the 1900 census states he was born in

Date from the 1910 census states he was born in 1898 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born in 1898 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born in 1898 in Missouri.

Date from headstone says he was born in 1897.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 10 May 1897.

I visited sometime in the early 1980's with William Pratt in Sullivan, MO before he died and he gave me these dates.

CENSUS:

1900

1910 Federal Census

Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 246a, 2 & 3 May 1910, line 34, house 386, family 396

PRATT, John A. head w m 40; Henry son w m 17; William son w m 12; **SNYDER**, Lizzie A. w f 16

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except John's father born in Tennessee. John is a widower. Lizzie has no relationship designation. Living next door to brother his Alexander Blanton.]

World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

<<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6482&enc=1>>

Name: William Pratt City: Not Stated County: Franklin State: Missouri Birthplace: Missouri; United States of America Birth Date: 10 May 1897 Roll: 1683213 DraftBoard: 0

Marriage

William Pratt and Thelma L. Blackburn were married 1918/1919.

1920 Federal Census

Bartmer Avenue, University City, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 139a, 3 January 1920, house 6441, dwelling 71, family 95

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PRATT, William head w m 22; Thelma wife w f 19; **BLACKBURN**, May sis-n-law w f 17
[William born in Missouri as was his parents, Thelma and May born in Ohio, father born in Virginia, mother born in Missouri.]

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 273a, 14 April 1930, house 248, family 260

PRATT, William head w m 32; Thelma L. wife w f 29; Phoebe M. dau w f 7; Thelma L. dau w f 5; William B. son w m 2; Emma A. dau w f ?; John A. father w m 55
[All born in Missouri except Thelma born in Oklahoma, her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri. John's parents born in Kentucky. William was first married at age 21 Thelma was first married at age 19. William works in a shoe factory. John A. is a widower.]

CENSUS: 1940

1985 Death

Date of 1985 from headstone.

1985 Burial

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Pratt, William 1897-1985

Pratt, Thelma L. 1900-1970

Social Security Death Index

<<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

Name: William Pratt SSN: 490-56-4775 Last Residence: 63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America Born: 10 May 1897 Died: Oct 1985 State (Year) SSN issued: Missouri (1966)

FAG# 32226643

William A. Pratt {FAG# 32226643} was born 10 May 1897 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 12 October 1985 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried October 1985 - Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: John Absalom Pratt Jr. {FAG# 93301150} (1870-1945) Mother: Phoebe (BLANTON) {FAG# 96041610} (1876-1898/1910). Spouse: Thelma Lydia (BLACKBURN) {FAG# 32226505} (19 December 1900 - 14 October 1970) Marriage: 1918-1920 Children: 1. Phoebe M. (PRATT) Sevens (1923-) 2. Thelma L. (PRATT) (1925-) 3. William B. Pratt Jr. {FAG# 55474135} (1927-2009) 4. Emma Anna (PRATT) {FAG# 93301562} (1929-1933) 5. Rose Ruth (PRATT) {FAG# 93305873} (1932-1933)

William married **Thelma Lydia Blackburn**, daughter of **John Anthony Blackburn** and **Magdalena "Lena" Mary Grampp**, from 1918 to 1920. Thelma was born on 19 December 1900 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Oklahoma, United States, died on 14 October 1970 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 69, and was buried in October 1970 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 Birthblock for Thelma L. (BLACKBURN) daughter of John Anthony and Magdalena "Lena" Mary (GRAMPP) Blackburn

Date from the 1910 census states she was born in 1901 in Oklahoma.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born in 1901 in Oklahoma.

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Date from the 1930 census states she was born in 1901 in Oklahoma.

Date from headstone states she was born 1900.

Date from the SSDI states she was born 18 December 1900.

1910 Federal Census

108 West Oak Sreet, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Oklahoma, United States, page 288a, 30 April 1910, house 108, dwelling 329, family 421

BLACKBURN, John A. head w m 65; Lena M. wife w f 32; Thelma L. dau w f 9; Alfretta M. dau w f 7; Gussie V. dau w f 4; Jessie C. son w m 39

[John was born in Pennsylvania as was his parents, Lena was born in Missouri as was her parents, Thelma, Alfretta and Gussie were born in Oklahoma, their fahter in Pennsylvania, their mother in Missouri and Jessie was born in Illinois, his fahter in Pennsylvania his mother in Illinois. This is John's 3rd marriage and Lena's 1st, they have been married for 11 years. John is a carpenter.]

1916 Death of father; John Anthony Blackburn

John Anthony Blackburn died in Hoyt, Haskill, Oklahoma, United States on 5 October 1916.

[needs verification]

1910-1920 Marriage of William Pratt and Thelma Lydia (BLACKBURN)

William Pratt and Thelma Lydia (**BLACKBURN**) were married

1920 Federal Census

6441 Bartmer Avenue, University City, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 139a, 3 January 1920, house 6441, dwelling 71, family 95

PRATT, William head w m 22; Thelma wife w f 19; **BLACKBURN**, May snlaw w f 17

[William born in Missouri as was his parents, Thelma & May born in Ohio their father born in Virginia their mother born in Missouri.]

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 273a, 14 April 1930, house 248, family 260

PRATT, William head w m 32; Thelma L. wife w f 29; Phoebe M. dau w f 7; Thelma L. dau w f 5; William B. son w m 2; Emma A. dau w f ?; John A. father w m 55

[All born in Missouri except Thelma born in Oklahoma, her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri. John's parents born in Kentucky. William was first married at age 21 Thelma was first married at age 19. William works in a shoe factory. John A. is a widower.]

1985 Death of Thelma Lydia (BLACKBURN) Pratt

Date of 1985 from headstone.

Social Security Death Index

Name:Thelma Pratt SSN:498-32-2764 Last Residence:63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America Born:18 Dec 1900 Died:Oct 1970 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

1985 Burial of Thelma Lydia (BLACKBURN) Pratt

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Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States
Pratt, William 1897-1985
Pratt, Thelma L. 1900-1970
(both on same stone)

FAG# 32226505

Thelma Lydia (**BLACKBURN**) Pratt {FAG# 32226505} was born 19 December 1900 - Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Oklahoma, United States and died 14 October 1970 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried October 1970 - Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: John Anthony Blackburn (1845-1916) Mother: Magdalena "Lena" Mary (**GRAMPP**) {FAG# 31997778} (1876-1946). Spouse: William A. Pratt {FAG# 32226643} (10 May 1897 - 12 October 1985) Marriage: 1918-1920 Children: 1. Phoebe M. (**PRATT**) Sevens (1923-) 2. Thelma L. (**PRATT**) (1925-) 3. William B. Pratt Jr. {FAG# 55474135} (1927-2009) 4. Emma Anna (**PRATT**) {FAG# 93301562} (1929-1933) 5. Rose Ruth (**PRATT**) {FAG# 93305873} (1932-1933)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 343 F i. **Phoebe M. Pratt** was born in 1923 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
Phoebe married **Stevens**.
- + 344 F ii. **Thelma L. Pratt** was born in 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 345 M iii. **William B. Pratt Jr.** was born on 20 July 1927 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 31 May 2009 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in May 2009 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 346 F iv. **Emma Anna Pratt** was born on 10 October 1929 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 July 1933 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 3, and was buried on 6 July 1933 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 347 F v. **Rose Ruth Pratt** was born on 13 January 1932 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 26 June 1933 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 1, and was buried on 27 June 1933 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

141. Jesse Pratt (*John Absalom Pratt Jr.* ³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was buried in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

142. Burton Alexander Cain (*Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" Pratt* ³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 13 November 1897 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 January 1934 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 36, and was buried on 1 February 1934 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1897 Birthblock for Burton Alexander Cain

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1900 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 193A, 6 June 1900, House 172:

PRATT, Elexander head w m born December 1869 age 30; B. Caroline mother w f born December 1828 age 71; **CAIN**, Bettie sister w f born July 1877 age 22; Elexander nephew w m born December 1894 age 5

[All born in Missouri, including parents except Caroline's parent's who were born in Tennessee. Caroline says she had 2 children born and two are living. Alexander is single but both Caroline and Bettie are widows. The "B" in front of her name stands for Betsy Caroline. Elexander is a farmer.]

1910 Federal Census

Meramac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 246, 3 May 1910, line , house 386

PRATT, Alexander head w m 49; Caroline mother w f 76; **CAIN**, Alexander nephew w m 12

[All born in Missouri, Alexander's father born in Tennessee, mother in Missouri, Caroline's parents born in Tennessee, Alexander's parents born in Missouri. Caroline is a widow and says she had 9 children born and 8 are living.]

1910-1918 Marriage

1918 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Burton Alexander Cain City:Sullivan County:Franklin State:Missouri Birth Date:13 November 1897 Race:White Roll:1683213 wife Jane L. Cain date 15 June 1918

1934 Death

Burton Alexander Cain January __, 1934 Crawford 624

1934 Burial

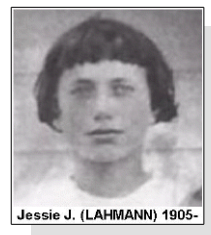
Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Cain, B. Alex 1897-1934

Cain, Jane 1895-1979

Burton married **Shrilda Jane L. Luttrell**, daughter of **George Washington Luttrell** and **Martha Ann Thornton**, on 18 July 1916 in Webb City, Joplin Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States. Shrilda was born on 3 November 1895 in Bagnell, Camdem, Missouri, United States, died on 18 October 1979 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 83, and was buried in October 1979 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

143. Jessie J. Lahmann (*Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1905 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.



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144. Lydia "Liddie" Lahmann (*Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1906 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.



145. Paul Lahmann (*Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 8 October 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in November 1985 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 77.



1908 Birthblock of Paul Lahmann son of Alfred & Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) Lahmann

Paul Lahmann was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 8 October 1908.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born October 1908 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1909 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from the WWII military involvement states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the SSDI states he was born 8 October 1908.

Date from the obituary states he was born

1910 Federal Census age 1.7months

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 244b & 245a, 2 May 1910, line 97, house 357, family 367

LAHMANN, Alfred head w m 28; Lulu wife w f 36; Jessie dau w f 5; Lyddie dau w f 4; [page 245a] Paul son w m 1.7mos

[Alfred was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri. Lula was born in Missouri, her father in Tennessee her mother in Missouri. The children born in Missouri as was their parents. Alfred has been married once, Lula has been married twice they have been married for 8 years. Lula says she has had 5 children born 4 are living. Alfred is a porter in a hotel. They are renting.]

1912 Childbirth of sister; Laura (LAHMANN)

Laura (**LAHMANN**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1912.

1918 Father's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Alfred Lahmann, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States Birth Date: 18 November 1881 Race: White FHL Roll Number: 1683213 Date: 12 September 1918

1918-1920 Family Move

From Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Springfield, Campbell Twp,

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Greene, Missouri, United States.

1920 Federal Census age 12

1107 Nichols Street, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 123a, 7 January 1920, line 17, house 1107, dwelling 217, family 229

LAHMANN, Alfred head w m 39; Elizabeth wife w f 44; Jessie J. dau w f 15; Lydia dau w f 14; Paul son w m 11; Laura dau w f 8

[Alfred was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri. Lula was born in Missouri, her father in Kentucky her mother in Missouri. The children born in Missouri as was their parents. Alfred is a laborer for the railroad yead. They are renting.]

1930 Federal Census age 22

1941 Death of mother; Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (PRATT) Cain Lahmann

Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) Cain Gumpenberger Lahmann died at 509 South Lily Street, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States on 20 June 1941.

1942 Death of Alfred Lahmann

Alfred Lahmann died at 1917 West Olive, Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States on 25 April 1942.

Social Security Death Index

Name:Paul Lahman SSN:500-09-4126 Last Residence:65802 Springfield, Greene, Missouri, United States of America Born:8 Oct 1908 Died:Nov 1985 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Paul married **Opal Emma Fine**. Opal was born on 29 July 1912 in Halltown, Lawrence, Missouri, and died on 20 October 1984 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 72.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 348 M i. **Edward Rodney Lahmann**.

Edward married someone.

146. Laura Lahmann (*Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" Pratt³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in 1912 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.



1930 Federal Census

509 Lily Street, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 43b, 10 April 1930, line 51, house 509, dwelling 89, family 97

LAHMANN, Alfred head w m 50; Lula E. wife w f 54; **BREYMAN**, Harold boarder w m 29; Laura boarder w f 18; Norma J. boarder w f 1 11/12; Thelma F. boarder w f 5/12

[Alfred was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri. Lula was born in Missouri, her father in Kentucky her mother in Missouri. Alfred was first married at age 21, Lula was first married at age 25. Alfred owns his home and is a sand blower. Laura is their daughter.]

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Laura married **Harold Breyman** in 1927-1928. Harold was born in 1901 in Missouri, United States.

1930 Federal Census

509 Lily Street, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 43b, 10 April 1930, line 51, house 509, dwelling 89, family 97

LAHMANN, Alfred head w m 50; Lula E. wife w f 54; **BREYMAN**, Harold boarder w m 29;

Laura boarder w f 18; Norma J. boarder w f 1 11/12; Thelma F. boarder w f 5/12

[Alfred was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri. Lula was born in Missouri, her father in Kentucky her mother in Missouri. Alfred was first married at age 21, Lula was first married at age 25. Alfred owns his home and is a sand blower. Laura is their daughter.]

147. Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill (*Susan Jane Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 11 August 1881 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 15 February 1943 in enroute City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 61, and was buried on 16 February 1943 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

In harmony with the first law of genealogy or family history research, i.e., documentation, I submit my famous Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile on this subject including all known documentation presented for the serious researcher. This has been done to help the serious researcher continue in their thirst for family history knowledge without a duplication of effort. All I ask is that you acknowledge my contribution to your family history research. My gift to you...Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I.

1881 Birthblock for Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill son of James Martin and Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 24 August 1881.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born August 1881 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1882 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 24 August 1881

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1882 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1882 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 11 August 1882 in Sullivan, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states he was born 1881.

Since he filled out the WWI draft registration in his own handwriting in 1918, then the 24 August 1881 date must be correct. _

1885 Childbirth of sister; Olive May (CLASPILL)

Olive May (**CLASPILL**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 12 October 1885.

1888 Childbirth of brother; Martin Elmer Claspill

Martin Elmer Claspill was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 3 February 1888.

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1889 Childbirth of sister; Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL)

Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 August 1889.

1900 Federal Census age 19

Japan Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 190b, 5 June 1900, line 92, house 127, family 131

CLASBILL, James head w m born November 1841 age 59; Susan wife w f born October 1854 age 45; Elbert son w m born August 1881 age 18; Olive dau w f born October 1885 age 14; Elmer son w m born February 1888 age 12; Mary dau w f born August 1889 age 9 [James was born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky, Susan born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the children born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married 20 years and Susan says she had had 4 children born 4 are living. James is a U.S. pensioner and they are renting.]

1902 Death of grandmother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1904 Marriage of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill and Mary Ann (CAIN)

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "J", 1901-1905, page 325

Albert S. Claspill of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Mary A. Cain of (illegible), Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 23 June 1904 license; married on 29 June 1904 by J. V. Pitts, JP near Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Mary A Cain of Franklin County Marriage Date: 29 June 1904 Marriage Location: Near Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Albert S Claspell of Sullivan, Missouri

1908 Childbirth of daughter; Helen G. (CLASPILL)

Helen G. (CLASPILL) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 29

Front Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 236a, 20 April 1910, line 48, house 184, family 189

CLASPILL, Albert head w m 28; Mary wife w f 25; Helen dau w f 2

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Albert's father born in Kentucky, Mary's father born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage they have been married for 5 years and Mary says she has had 2 children born 1 is living. Albert is a shoveler in the coal schults. He is renting.]

1910 Childbirth of son; Gilbert Alonzo Claspill

Gilbert Alonzo Claspill was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 6 July 1910 and died on 9 May 1911.

1913 Death of grandfather; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

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1913 Childbirth of daughter; Mabel J. (CLASPILL)

Mabel J. (CLASPILL) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1913.

1918 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Elbert Severe Claspill City:Sullivan County:Franklin State:Missouri Birth Date:24 August 1881 Race:White Roll:1683213 DraftBoard:0 Occupation: Section Foreman for the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Date 12 September 1918 nearest realtive Mrs. Elbert Claspill, Sullivan, Missouri
[Since he filled out this registration in his own handwriting then the confusion between Albert and Elbert is solved. Also his date of birth.]

1919 Death of father; James Martin Claspill

James Martin Claspill died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1919.

1919 Childbirth of son; Robert S. Claspill

Robert S. Claspill was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on October 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 39

Lakeview Avenue, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 181a, 10 January 1920, line 16, house 160, family 174

CLASSPILL, Albert S. head w m 38; Mary A. wife w f 35; Helen G. dau w f 12; Mable J. dau w f 7; Robert L. son w m 4mos

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Albert's father born in Kentucky. Albert works as a section foreman for the railroad.]

1922 Childbirth of daughter; Catherine (CLASPILL)

Catherine (CLASPILL) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1922.

1930 Federal Census age 49

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 281a, 23 April 1930, line 44, house 449, family 464

CLASPILL, Albert S. head w m 48; Mary A. wife w f 46; Helen G. dau w f 23; Robert S. son w m 11; Catherine dau w f 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Albert was age 23 when first married, Mary was age 20 when first married. Albert is a laborer for the railroad. Helen works in a shoe factory. They are renting.]

1930-1940 Divorce of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill and Mary Ann (CAIN) Claspill

1934 Death of mother; Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 September 1934._

1935 Residency at 7042 Marguette Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

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1940 Federal Census age 59

7042 Marguette Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 62b,
DUCKINS, Charlotte B 50; Charlotte Blanche 19; **NARRIS**, Herman 47; Nettie 72;
JOHNSON, Sidney 48; **CLASPILL**, Albert boarder w m 57; **WESTRICK**, Raymond
22; **MCKENNA**, Edna 40; **FINGER**, Hazel 37; **MOORE**, Joseph D 39
[Albert was born in Missouri and is divorced and is a section foreman.]

1943 Death of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill died enroute to City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 5 February 1943. _

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #4037

Albert Claspill white divorced male born 11 August 1882 at Sullivan, Missouri to James Claspill born in Kentucky and Susan Blanton born in Sullivan, Missouri. Albert worked as a section foreman for the railroad. He died on 15 February 1943 enroute to City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States. He was buried on 16 February 1943 at Sullivan, Missouri. The infomant was Mrs. Mabel Weeks, Sullivan, Missouri. _

[2] As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Albert Claspill February __, 1943 St. Louis City St. Louis City 4037

1943 Burial of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Claspill, Albert S. 1881-1943 Husband of Mary A.

Claspill, Mary A. 1883-1959

Elbert married **Mary Anne Cain**, daughter of **Burl Burton Cain** and **Hannah Gertrude Griffith**, on 29 June 1904 near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Mary was born on 11 July 1883 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 20 January 1959 in 214 East Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried on 23 January 1959 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Mary Anne (CAIN) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1883 Birthblock for Mary Anne (CAIN) daughter of Burl Burton and Hannah Gertrude (GRIFFITH) Cain

Mary Anne (**CAIN**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 11 July 1883._

Date from the 1900 census states she was born July 1883 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1885 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1885 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1884 in Missouri.

Date from the 1940 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

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Date from the headstone states she was born 1883. _

- **1886 Childbirth of sister; Debbie Jane (CAIN)**

Debbie Jane (**CAIN**) was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 5 September 1886._

- **1888 Childbirth of brother; James Cain**

James Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on April 1888._

- **1891 Childbirth of brother; Jack Cain**

Jack Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on April 1891._

- **1893 Childbirth of brother; Wesley Cain (twin)**

Wesley Cain was was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on March 1893._

- **1893 Childbirth of brother; Lesley Cain (twin)**

Lesley Cain was was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on March 1893._

- **1897 Childbirth of brother; Richard Burl Cain**

Richard Burl Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 31 May 1897._

- **1899 Childbirth of brother; Dewey Cain**

Dewey Cain was born in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on November 1899._

- **1900 Federal Census age 17**

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 200a, 14 June 1900, line 12, house 305, family 311

CAIN, B.[Burl] B.[Burton] head w m born August 1855 age 44; Hannah wife w f born March 1868 age 32; Mary dau w f born July 1883 age 16; Jane dau w f born September 1885 age 14; James son w m born April 1888 age 11; Jack son w m born April 1891 age 9; Wesley son w m born March 1893 age 7; Lesley son w m born March 1893 age 7; Richard son w m born May 1897 age 3; Dewey son w m born November 1899 age 4mos

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. B.B. is a farmer and owns his home.]

- **1904 Marriage of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill and Mary Anne (CAIN)**

[1] Franklin County, Missouri Marriage Record Book "J", 1901-1905, page 325

Albert S. Claspill of Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo. over 21; Mary A. Cain of (illegible), Franklin Co., Mo. over 18; 23 June 1904 license; married on 29 June 1904 by J. V. Pitts, JP near Sullivan, Franklin Co., Mo.

[2] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Mary A Cain of Franklin County Marriage Date: 29 June 1904 Marriage Location: Near Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Albert S Claspell of Sullivan, Missouri

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1908 Childbirth of daughter; Helen G. (CLASPILL)

Helen G. (CLASPILL) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in 1908.

1910 Federal Census age 27

Front Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 236a, 20 April 1910, line 48, house 184, family 189

CLASPILL, Albert head w m 28; Mary wife w f 25; Helen dau w f 2

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Albert's father born in Kentucky, Mary's father born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage they have been married for 5 years and Mary says she has had 2 children born 1 is living. Albert is a shoveler in the coal schults. He is renting.]

1910 Childbirth of son; Gilbert Alonzo Claspill

Gilbert Alonzo Claspill was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 6 July 1910 and died on 9 May 1911.

1913 Death of grandfather; Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr.

Elbert "Albert" Sevier Blanton Sr. died in Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 14 May 1913.

1913 Childbirth of daughter; Mabel J. (CLASPILL)

Mabel J. (CLASPILL) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1913.

1918 Spouse's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Elbert Severe Claspill City:Sullivan County:Franklin State:Missouri Birth Date:24 August 1881 Race:White Roll:1683213 DraftBoard:0 Occupation: Section Foreman for the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Date 12 September 1918 nearest realtive Mrs. Elbert Claspill, Sullivan, Missouri

[Since he filled out this registration in his own handwriting then the confusion between Albert and Elbert is solved. Also his date of birth.]

1919 Death of father-in-law; James Martin Claspill

James Martin Claspill died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1919.

1919 Childbirth of son; Robert S. Claspill

Robert S. Claspill was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on October 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 37

Lakeview Avenue, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 181a, 10 January 1920, line 16, house 160, family 174

CLASSPILL, Albert S. head w m 38; Mary A. wife w f 35; Helen G. dau w f 12; Mable J. dau w f 7; Robert L. son w m 4mos

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Albert's father born in Kentucky. Albert works as a section foreman for the railroad.]

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1922 Childbirth of daughter; Catherine (CLASPILL)

Catherine (**CLASPILL**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 1922.

1930 Federal Census age 47

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 281a, 23 April 1930, line 44, house 449, family 464

CLASPILL, Albert S. head w m 48; Mary A. wife w f 46; Helen G. dau w f 23; Robert S. son w m 11; Catherine dau w f 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Albert was age 23 when first married, Mary was age 20 when first married. Albert is a laborer for the railroad. Helen works in a shoe factory. They are renting.]

1931 Death of father; Burl Burton Cain

Burl Burton Cain died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 19 June 1931.

1930-1940 Divorce of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill and Mary Ann (CAIN) Claspill

1934 Death of mother-in-law; Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

Susan Jane (**BLANTON**) Claspill died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 September 1934._

1940 Federal Census age 57

1948 Death of mother; Hannah Gertrude (GRIFFITH) Cain

Hannah Gertrude (**GRIFFITH**) Cain died at 112 Virginia Avenue, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 22 December 1948.

1959 Death of Mary Ann (CAIN) Claspill

Mary Ann (**CAIN**) Claspill died at 214 East Vine Street, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 20 January 1959. _

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #828 As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Mary A. Claspill January 20, 1959 Franklin 828

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

[2] Date from the headstone of 1959._

1959 Burial of Mary Ann (CAIN) Claspill

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Claspill, Albert S. 1881-1943 Husband of Mary A.

Claspill, Mary A. 1883-1959

Children from this marriage were:

- + 349 F i. **Helen G. Claspill** was born in 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 350 M ii. **Gilbert Alonzo Claspill** was born on 6 July 1910 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 9 May 1911 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried on 10 May 1911 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery,

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Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

- + 351 F iii. **Mabel J. Claspill** was born in 1913 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 352 M iv. **Robert S. Claspill** was born in October 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 353 F v. **Catherine Claspill** was born in 1922 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

148. Olive May Claspill (*Susan Jane Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 12 October 1885 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in April 1978 in Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 92.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Olive May (CLASPILL) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1885 Birthblock for Olive May (CLASPILL) daughter of James Martin and Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

Olive May (**CLASPILL**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 12 October 1885.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born October 1885 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1886 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1886 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1892 in Missouri.

Date from the 1940 census states she was born 1887 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born 12 October 1886.

Date from the obituary states she was born

1888 Childbirth of brother; Martin Elmer Claspill

Martin Elmer Claspill was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 3 February 1888.

1889 Childbirth of sister; Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL)

Mary Elizabeth (**CLASPILL**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 August 1889.

1900 Federal Census age 15

Japan Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 190b, 5 June 1900, line 92, house 127, family 131

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CLASBILL, James head w m born November 1841 age 59; Susan wife w f born October 1854 age 45; Elbert son w m born August 1881 age 18; Olive dau w f born October 1885 age 14; Elmer son w m born February 1888 age 12; Mary dau w f born August 1889 age 9 [James was born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky, Susan born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the children born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married 20 years and Susan says she had had 4 children born 4 are living. James is a U.S. pensioner and they are renting.]

1902 Death of grandmother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1908 Marriage of Jacob "Jake" Bayless and Olive May (CLASPILL)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Olvie M Claspill Marriage Date:19 August 1908 Marriage Location:Clayton, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County:St Louis Spouse Name:Jacob Bayles

1909 Childbirth of son; Edward B. Bayless

Edward B. Bayles was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States in 1909.

1910 Federal Census age 25

St Louis Ward 24, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 277b, 2 May 1910, line 54, house 1353, dwelling 338, family 339

BAYLESS, Jacob head w m 28; Olive M. wife w f 24; Edward B. son w m 10mos;

CLASPILL, Martin E. bnlw w m 22; Mary E. snlw w f 19

[All born in Missouri including parents except Olive, Martin and Mary's father born in Kentucky. Jacob & Olive's first marriage they have been married 1 year. Olive says she has had 1 child born and 1 is living. Jacob is a laborer for the street department and Martin is a loader for a Brick company. They are renting.]

1910-1920 Family Move

From Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States to Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1912 Childbirth of daughter; Gladys C. (BAYLESS)

Gladys C. (**BAYLESS**)

1914 Childbirth of daughter; Lora M. (BAYLESS)

Lora M. (**BAYLESS**)

1917 Childbirth of son; James J. Bayless

James J. Bayless

1919 Death of father; James Martin Claspill

James Martin Claspill died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 35

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page

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BAYLESS, Jake head w m 38; Olive M. wife w f 34; Edward B. son w m 10; Gladys C. dau w f 8; Lora M. dau w f 6; James J. son w m 3yrs 6mos

1920-1930 Family Move

From Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1930 Federal Census age 45

Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

BAYLESS, Jake head w n 47; Olive wife w f 38; Edward son w m 20; Gladys dau w f 18; Lora dau w f 16; James son w m 13

1934 Death of mother; Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

Susan Jane (**BLANTON**) Claspill died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 September 1934._

1935 Residency at 5819 Amelia Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 55

5819 Amelia Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 13a, _

BAYLESS, Jake head w m 58; Olive wife w f 53; Lora dau w f 26; James son w m 23

1950 Death of spouse; Jacob "Jake" Bayless

Jacob "Jake" Bayless died in Wellston, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 24 February 1950.

1978 Death of Olive May (CLASPILL) Bayless

Olive May (**CLASPILL**) Bayless died in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States in April 1978.

1978 Burial of Olive May (CLASPILL) Bayless

Social Security Death Index

Name:Olive Bayless SSN:487-26-0864 Last Residence:63120 Saint Louis, Saint Louis City, Missouri, United States of America Born:12 Oct 1886 Died:Apr 1978 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Olive married **Jacob "Jake" Bayless**, son of **John Bayless** and **Mary Enloe**, on 19 August 1908 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. Jacob was born on 11 August 1881 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 24 February 1950 in Wellston, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 68, and was buried on 27 February 1950 in Memorial Park Cemetery, 5200 Lucas & Hunt Road, Jennings, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

1881 Birthblock of Jacob "Jake" Bayless son of John and Mary (ENLOE) Bayless

Jacob "Jake" Bayless was born in on 11 August 1881. _

Date from the 1900 census states he was born

Date from the 1910 census states he was born

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born

Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

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Date from the 1940 census states he was born
Date from the WWII military involvement states he was born
Date from the death certificate states he was born
Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born
Date from the funeral home records states he was born
Date from the headstone states he was born
Date from the SSDI states he was born
Date from the obituary states he was born

1900 Federal Census age 19

1908 Marriage of Jacob "Jake" Bayless and Olive May (CLASPILL)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Olvie M Claspill Marriage Date:19 August 1908 Marriage Location:Clayton, St Louis,
Missouri Marriage County:St Louis Spouse Name:Jacob Bayles

1909 Childbirth of son; Edward B. Bayless

Edward B. Bayles was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States in 1909.

1910 Federal Census age 29

St Louis Ward 24, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 277b, 2 May 1910, line 54,
house 1353, dwelling 338, family 339

BAYLESS, Jacob head w m 28; Olive M. wife w f 24; Edward B. son w m 10mos;

CLASPILL, Martin E. bnlw w m 22; Mary E. snlw w f 19

[All born in Missouri including parents except Olive, Martin and Mary's father born in Kentucky.
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1910-1920 Family Move

From Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States to Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1912 Childbirth of daughter; Gladys C. (BAYLESS)

Gladys C. (BAYLESS)

1914 Childbirth of daughter; Lora M. (BAYLESS)

Lora M. (BAYLESS)

1917 Childbirth of son; James J. Bayless

James J. Bayless

1919 Death of father-in-law; James Martin Claspill

James Martin Claspill died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on
10 February 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 39

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page

BAYLESS, Jake head w m 38; Olive M. wife w f 34; Edward B. son w m 10; Gladys C.
dau w f 8; Lora M. dau w f 6; James J. son w m 3yrs 6mos

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1920-1930 Family Move

From Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1930 Federal Census age 49

Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

BAYLESS, Jake head w n 47; Olive wife w f 38; Edward son w m 20; Gladys dau w f 18; Lora dau w f 16; James son w m 13

1934 Death of mother-in-law; Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 September 1934._

1935 Residency at 5819 Amelia Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 59

5819 Amelia Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 13a, _

BAYLESS, Jake head w m 58; Olive wife w f 53; Lora dau w f 26; James son w m 23

1950 Death of Jacob "Jake" Bayless

Jacob "Jake" Bayless died in Wellston, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 24 February 1950.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #11454

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Jacob Bayless February __, 1950 St. Louis City St. Louis City 11454

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1950 Burial of Jacob "Jake" Bayless

Memorial Park Cemetery, 5200 Lucas & Hunt Road, Jennings, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

149. Martin Elmer Claspill Sr. (*Susan Jane Blanton* ³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 3 February 1888 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 6 February 1948 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried on 10 February 1948 in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States.

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1888 Birthblock for Martin Elmer Claspill son of James Martin and Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

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Date from the 1900 census states he was born February 1888 in Missouri. _
Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1888 in Missouri.
Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 3 February 1888 in Missouri.
Date from the 1920 census states he was born
Date from the 1930 census states he was born
Date from the 1940 census states he was born
Date from the WWII military involvement states he was born
Date from the death certificate states he was born
Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born
Date from the funeral home records states he was born
Date from the headstone states he was born
Date from the SSDI states he was born
Date from the obituary states he was born

1889 Childbirth of sister; Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL)

Mary Elizabeth (**CLASPILL**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 August 1889.

1900 Federal Census age 12

Japan Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 190b, 5 June 1900, line 92, house 127, family 131

CLASBILL, James head w m born November 1841 age 59; Susan wife w f born October 1854 age 45; Elbert son w m born August 1881 age 18; Olive dau w f born October 1885 age 14; Elmer son w m born February 1888 age 12; Mary dau w f born August 1889 age 9
[James was born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky, Susan born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the children born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married 20 years and Susan says she had had 4 children born 4 are living. James is a U.S. pensioner and they are renting.]

1902 Death of grandmother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1909 Military Involvement

US NAVY Service Start Date:15 Nov 1909

1910 Federal Census age 22

St Louis Ward 24, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 277b, 2 May 1910, line 54, house 1353, dwelling 338, family 339

BAYLESS, Jacob head w m 28; Olive M. wife w f 24; Edward B. son w m 10/12; **CLASPILL**, Martin E. bnlw w m 22; Mary E. snlw w f 19

[All born in Missouri including parents except Olive, Martin and Mary's father born in Kentucky. Jacob & Olive's first marriage they have been married 1 year. Olive says she has had 1 child born and 1 is living. Jacob is a laborer for the street department and Martin is a loader for a Brick company. Martin and Mary are siblings and single.They are renting.]

1913 Marriage of Martin Elmer Claspill and Maude Mae (FLAGG)

Martin Elmer Claspill and Maude Mae (**FLAGG**) were married at ?? on 6 August 1913.
[needs verification]_

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1914 Childbirth of son; Martin Elmer Claspill Jr.

1916 Childbirth of daughter; Hazel S. (CLASPILL)

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Martin Elmer Claspill City: Sullivan County: Franklin State: Missouri

Birthplace: Missouri; United States of America Birth Date: 3 Feb 1888 Race: Caucasian (White)

Roll: 1683213 Married Wife and 2 children date 5 June 1917

1918 Childbirth of daughter; Virginia A. (CLASPILL)

1919 Death of father; James Martin Claspill

James Martin Claspill died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 32

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page

CLASPER, Elmer M head w m 32; Maud M. wife w f 28; Elmer M. son w m 6; Hazel S. dau w f 4yrs 4mos; Virginia A. dau w f 2yrs 1month

1921 Childbirth of daughter; Dollie (CLASPILL)

1923 Childbirth of daughter; Mildred (CLASPILL)

1925 Childbirth of son; Jesse Claspill

1929 Childbirth of son; William Claspill

1930 Federal Census age 42

2612 McNair Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 107b, 7 April 1930, line 61, house 2612, dwelling 92, family 133

CLASPILL, Elmer head w m 42; Maud wife w f 36; Elmer Jr. son w m 15; Hazel dau w f 14; Virginia dau w f 11; Dollie dau w f 9; Mildred dau w f 7; Jesse son w m 5; William son w m 1 All born in Missouri including parents. Elmer was first married at age 22, Maud at age 19. Elmer is a laborer and is renting.]

1930-1940 Separation or divorce of Martin Elmer Claspill Sr. and Maude Mae (FLAGG) Claspill

1934 Death of mother; Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 September 1934.

1935 Residency at 7410 South Wharf, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1940 Federal Census age 52

7410 South Wharf, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

CLASPILL, Elmer head w m 52; **SCHMITZ**, Virginia dau w f 22; Patricia gdau w f 4; **WEBER**, Patricia 24; Harry 23

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1948 Death of Martin Elmer Claspill Sr.

Martin Elmer Claspill Sr. died in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 6 February 1948.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #6192

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Elmer Claspill February __, 1948 St. Louis City St. Louis City 6192

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1948 Burial of Martin Elmer Claspill Sr.

Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States

[1] U.S. Veterans Gravesites, ca.1775-2006

Name: Martin Elmer Claspill Service Info.: AS US NAVY Birth Date: 3 Feb 1888 Death Date: 6 Feb 1948 Service Start Date: 15 Nov 1909 Interment Date: 10 Feb 1948 Cemetery: Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery Cemetery Address: 2900 Sheridan Road St. Louis, MO 63125 Buried At: Section 70 Site 16174

[2] U.S. National Cemetery Interment Control Forms, 1928-1962

Name: Martin Elmer Claspill Death Date: 6 Feb 1948 Cemetery: Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery Burial Location: St. Louis, Missouri

Martin married **Maude Mae Flagg**, daughter of **William Leander Flagg** and **Eva Sophia Randall**, on 6 August 1913. Maude was born on 9 December 1893 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States and died on 15 January 1970 in Bell, Los Angeles, California, United States at age 76.

1893 Birthblock of Maude Mae (FLAGG) daughter of William Leander and Eva Sophia (RANDALL) Flagg

Maude Mae (**FLAGG**) was born in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 9 December 1893.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born December 1893 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1894 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the 1940 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born _

1891

1900 Federal Census age 7

4253 Lexington Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 222b, 6 June 1900, line 73, house 4253, dwelling 113, family 132

FLAGG, William L. head w m born December 1868 age 31; Louisa C. wife w f born February 1869 age 31; Pearl L. dau w f born January 1887 age 13; Mary C. dau w f born July 1890 age 9; Maud E. dau w f born December 1893 age 6; Bessie M. dau w f born June 1891 age 9;

Loretta dau w f born September 1896 age 3; **HEISLER**, Peter J. son w m born October 1888 age 11; Charles C. son w m born January 1890 age 10

[William was born in Illinois, his father in New York his mother in England. Louisa was born in

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Missouri her parents in Germany. Pearl was born in Illinois, her father in Illinois her mother in Michigan. Mary was born in Oklahoma, her father in Illinois her mother in Michigan. Maud was born in Missouri her father in Illinois her mother in Michigan. Bessie was born in Oklahoma, her father in Illinois her mother in Michigan. Loretta was born in Missouri her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri. Peter and Charles were born in Missouri, their father in Pennsylvania their mother in Missouri. William and Louisa have been married for 10 years and Louisa says she has had 3 children born and 2 are living. William is a plumber and owns his home.]

1910 Federal Census

St Louis Ward 22, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

FLAGG, Wm L. 42 Henrietta 31 Maude 16 Loreda 13 Cothe 9

1913 Marriage of Martin Elmer Claspill and Maude Mae (FLAGG)

Martin Elmer Claspill and Maude Mae (**FLAGG**) were married at ?? on 6 August 1913. _

1914 Childbirth of son; Martin Elmer Claspill Jr.

1916 Childbirth of daughter; Hazel S. (CLASPILL)

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Martin Elmer Claspill City: Sullivan County: Franklin State: Missouri

Birthplace: Missouri; United States of America Birth Date: 3 Feb 1888 Race: Caucasian (White)

Roll: 1683213 Married Wife and 2 children date 5 June 1917

1918 Childbirth of daughter; Virginia A. (CLASPILL)

1919 Death of father-in-law; James Martin Claspill

James Martin Claspill died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 32

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page

CLASPER, Elmer M head w m 32; Maud M. wife w f 28; Elmer M. son w m 6; Hazel S. dau w f 4yrs 4mos; Virginia A. dau w f 2yrs 1month

1921 Childbirth of daughter; Dollie (CLASPILL)

1923 Childbirth of daughter; Mildred (CLASPILL)

1925 Childbirth of son; Jesse Claspill

1929 Childbirth of son; William Claspill

1930 Federal Census age 42

2612 McNair Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 107b, 7 April 1930, line 61, house 2612, dwelling 92, family 133

CLASPILL, Elmer head w m 42; Maud wife w f 36; Elmer Jr. son w m 15; Hazel dau w f 14; Virginia dau w f 11; Dollie dau w f 9; Mildred dau w f 7; Jesse son w m 5; William son w m 1

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All born in Missouri including parents. Elmer was first married at age 22, Maud at age 19. Elmer is a laborer and is renting.]

- **1930-1940 Separation or divorce of Martin Elmer Claspill Sr. and Maude Mae (FLAGG) Claspill**

- **1934 Death of mother-in-law; Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill**

Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 September 1934._

- **1935 Residency in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States**

- **1935 Death of father; William Leander Flagg**

William Leander Flagg died at 2931 Ellendale, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 21 January 1935._

- **1940 Federal Census age 52**

Warf Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page
REESE, Grace 47; Cordyn 8; **CLASPILL**, Maude lodger w f 46

- **1948 Death of spouse; Martin Elmer Claspill Sr.**

Martin Elmer Claspill Sr. died in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 6 February 1948.

- **1970 Death of Maude Mae (FLAGG) Claspill**

Maude Mae (FLAGG) Claspill died in Bell, Los Angeles, California, United States on 15 January 1970._

[1] California, Death Index, 1940-1997

Name:Maude M Claspill Social Security #:492245192 Gender:Female Birth Date:9 Dec 1893
Birth Place:Missouri Death Date:15 January 1970 Death Place:Los Angeles

- **1970 Burial of Maude Mae (FLAGG) Claspill**

- **Social Security Death Index**

Name:Maude Claspill SSN:492-24-5192 Last Residence:90201 Bell, Los Angeles, California, United States of America Born:9 Dec 1893 Died:Jan 1970 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

150. Mary Elizabeth Claspill (*Susan Jane Blanton* ³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 23 August 1890 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 17 June 1930 in Christian Hospital, North Florissant, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 39, and was buried on 19 June 1930 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL) by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 2013

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1889 Birthblock for Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL) daughter of James Martin and Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

Mary Elizabeth (**CLASPILL**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 23 August 1889.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born August 1889 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1891 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1901 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1894 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born 23 August 1893 in Sullivan, Missouri

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born Aug. 23, 1890

Date from the obituary states she was born

1900 Federal Census age 11

Japan Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 190b, 5 June 1900, line 92, house 127, family 131

CLASBILL, James head w m born November 1841 age 59; Susan wife w f born October 1854 age 45; Elbert son w m born August 1881 age 18; Olive dau w f born October 1885 age 14; Elmer son w m born February 1888 age 12; Mary dau w f born August 1889 age 9

[James was born in Missouri his parents in Kentucky, Susan born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the children born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married 20 years and Susan says she had had 4 children born 4 are living. James is a U.S. pensioner and they are renting.]

1902 Death of grandmother; Mary Elizabeth (PRATT) Blanton

Mary Elizabeth (**PRATT**) Blanton died in 1902 according to her husband's obituary, probably in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census age 21

St Louis Ward 24, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 277b, 2 May 1910, line 54, house 1353, dwelling 338, family 339

BAYLESS, Jacob head w m 28; Olive M. wife w f 24; Edward B. son w m 10/12;

CLASPILL, Martin E. bnlw w m 22; Mary E. snlw w f 19

[All born in Missouri including parents except Olive, Martin and Mary's father born in Kentucky. Jacob & Olive's first marriage they have been married 1 year. Olive says she has had 1 child born and 1 is living. Jacob is a laborer for the street department and Martin is a loader for a Brick company. Martin and Mary are siblings and single. They are renting.]

1917-1918 Marriage of James Edward Light and Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL)

I believe this marriage record can be found in the marriage books of St. Louis City. _

1917-1918 Family Move

From Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States to Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

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1918 Spouse's U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: James Edward Light, Sullivan, Franklin County, Missouri Birth Date: 22 Mar 1886
Race: White Date: 12 September 1918 nearest relative: Mrs. James E. Light

1918 Childbirth of son; Roland "Rella" E. Light

Roland "Rella" E. Light was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on December 1918.

1919 Death of father; James Martin Claspill

James Martin Claspill died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 31

Enslot Avenue, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 182a, 17 & 18 January 1920, line 28, house 193, family 204

CLASPILL, Susan J. head w f 65; **LIGHT**, James E. snlw w m 33; Mary E. dau w f 29; Rella E. gson w m 1yr 1month

[Susan was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary's father born in Kentucky. Susan is a widow. James and Mary are married and they are renting. James is a teamster.]

1920-1927 Family Move

From Enslot Avenue, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States

1927 Death of spouse; James Edward Light

James Edward Light died in Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States on 21 September 1927.

1927 Marriage of Hugh Gilbert Headrick and widow; Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL) Light

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Mary Light Age: 33 Birth Date: abt 1894 Marriage Date: 5 October 1927 Marriage Location: Clayton, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County: St Louis Spouse Name: Hugh G Headrick Spouse Age: 27 Spouse Birth Date: abt 1900

1927 Family Move

From Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States to 2437 Lemp Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1930 Federal Census age 41

2437 Lemp Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 68b, 10 April 1930, line 89, house 2437, dwelling 136, family 237

HEADRICK, Hugh head w m 30; Mary wife w f 36; **LIGHT**, Roland stepson w m 11

[All were born in Missouri as were their parents except Mary's father was born in Kentucky. Hugh was first married at age 26 Mary at age 18. Hugh is a chauffeur and they are renting.]

1930 Death of Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL) Light Headrick

Mary Elizabeth (**CLASPILL**) Light Headrick died in Christian Hospital, North Florissant, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 17 June 1930.

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[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #21061
As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Mary Elizabeth Headrick June 17, 1930 St. Louis City St.
Louis City 21061
<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1930 Burial of Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL) Light Headrick

Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

FAG# 37191532

Mary Claspill Headrick Birth: Aug. 23, 1890 Death: Jun. 17, 1930 Sullivan Franklin County
Missouri, USA Family links: Parents: James Martin Claspill (1841 - 1919) Susan Jane Blanton
Claspill (1854 - 1934) Burial: Sullivan IOOF Cemetery Sullivan Franklin County Missouri, USA
Created by: JACKIE OGUIN Record added: May 17, 2009

Mary married **James Edward Light**, son of **Zebedee D. Light** and **Sarah Joanne Overlease**,
from 1918 to 1919. James was born on 22 March 1886 in Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United
States, died on 21 September 1927 in Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States at age
41, and was buried on 23 September 1927 in Light Cemetery, Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United
States.

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1886 Birthblock of James Edward Light son of Zebedee D. and Sarah Joanne OVERLEASE) Light

James Edward Light was born in Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States on 22 March
1886.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born March 1886 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1887 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 22 March 1886

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1887 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 22 March 1886 in Missouri.

Date from a newspaper death notice states he was born

Date from the funeral home records states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

1888 Childbirth of sister; Etta L. (LIGHT)

Etta L. (LIGHT) was born in Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States on June 1888. _

1891 Childbirth of brother; Otto L. Light

Otto L. Light was born in Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States on January 1891. _

1892 Childbirth of brother; Homer Light

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Homer Light was born in Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States on December 1892.

1896 Childbirth of sister; Mary A. (LIGHT)

Mary A. (LIGHT) was born in Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States on February 1896._

1897 Childbirth of sister; Della (LIGHT)

Della (LIGHT) was born in Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States on February 1897.

1900 Federal Census age 14

Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States, page 261b & 262a, 21 June 1900, line 98, house 182, family 183

LIGHT, Zebedee D head w m born December 1854 age 45; Joanne wife w f born May 1863 age 37; Verda[Gertrude] M. dau w f born May 1882 age 18; [page 262a] Sarah J. dau w f born May 1883 age 17; James E son w m born March 1886 age 14; Etta L. dau w f born June 1888 age 11; Otto L. son w m born January 1891 age 9; Homer son w m born December 1892 age 7; Mary A[Ann]. dau w f born February 1896 age 4; Della dau w f born February 1897 age 3 [Zebedee was born in Missouri his parents in Tennessee, Joanne was born in Missouri her father in Kentucky her mother in Missouri. the rest were born in Missouri as were their parents. Zeb and Joanne have been married for 19 years and Joanne says she has 9 children born and 9 are living. Zeb is a farmer and is renting.]

1900-1910 Family Move

From Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States to 2721 9th Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1901 Childbirth of sister; Nellie (LIGHT)

Nellie (LIGHT) was born in Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States in 1901.

1903 Childbirth of sister; Georgia (LIGHT)

Georgia (LIGHT) was born in Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States in 1903.

1910 Federal Census age 24

2721 9th Street, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 235b, 2 April 1910, line 95, house 2721, dwelling 126, family 138

LIGHT, Febedie head w m 57; Johann wife w f 47; Gertrude M. dau w f 28; Sadie dau w f 27; James son w m 23; Etta dau w f 21; [page 236a] Otto son w m 18; Homer son w m 16; Annie dau w f 14; Dellia dau w f 12; Nellie dau w f 9; Georgia dau w f 7; **BALLANCE**, William lodger w m 24

[All born in Missouri as were their parents. Zeb and Joanne's first marriage they have been married for 31 years. Etta has been married for 5 years and she says she has had 1 child born and 1 child is living. Zeb is a farm laborer, Gertrude is a shoe packer at a shoe facotry, Sadie is a machine hand at a can factory, James is a farm laborer, Otto is a street car conductor for the city railway, Homer works in a factory, Annie works as a machine hand in a can factory. William is an electrician at the city railway. They are renting.]

1917-1918 Marriage of James Edward Light and Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL)

I believe this marriage record can be found in the marriage books of St. Louis City.

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1917-1918 Family Move

From Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States to Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

1918 U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: James Edward Light, Sullivan, Franklin County, Missouri Birth Date: 22 Mar 1886

Race: White Date: 12 September 1918 nearest relative: Mrs. James E. Light

1918 Childbirth of son; Roland "Rella" E. Light

Roland "Rella" E. Light was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on December 1918.

1919 Death of father-in-law; James Martin Claspill

James Martin Claspill died in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 10 February 1919.

1920 Federal Census age 34

Enslot Avenue, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 182a, 17 & 18 January 1920, line 28, house 193, family 204

CLASPILL, Susan J. head w f 65; **LIGHT**, James E. snlw w m 33; Mary E. dau w f 29;

Rella E. gson w m 1yr 1month

[Susan was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary's father born in Kentucky. Susan is a widow. James and Mary are married and they are renting. James is a teamster.]

1920-1927 Family Move

From Enslot Avenue, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States to Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States

1927 Death of James Edward Light

James Edward Light died in Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States on 21 September 1927.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #28020-a

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: James Light September 21, 1927 Phelps 28020-a

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1927 Burial of James Edward Light

Light Cemetery, Miller Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States

The child from this marriage was:

+ 354 M i. **Roland "Rella" E. Light** was born December 1918 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Mary next married **Hugh Gilbert Headrick**, son of **Jeremiah Francis "Jerry" Headrick** and **Emma May Young**, on 5 October 1927 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. Hugh was born on 31 March 1900 in Salem, Spring Creek East Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, died on 26 March 1944 in McFarland Hospital, Hiway 63 & Pine Street, Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States at age 43, and was buried on 28 March 1944 in Anutt Cemetery, Watkins Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

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1900 Birthblock of Hugh Gilbert Headrick son of Jeremiah Francis "Jerry" and Emma May (YOUNG) Headrick

Hugh Gilbert Headrick was born in Salem, Spring Creek East Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States on 31 March 1900.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born March 1900 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1900 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1901 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1900 in Missouri.

Date from the 1940 census states he was born 1900 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 31 March 1900 in Salem, Missouri

Date from the headstone application states he was born 31 March 1900

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born Mar. 31, 1900 Anutt, Dent County Missouri

Date from the obituary states she was born

1900 Federal Census age 3 months

Watkins Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 116b, 6 June 1900, line 95, house 33, family 33

HEADRICK, Jerry head w m born April 1872 age 27; Medy E. wife w f born October 1879 age 20; Hue son w m born March 1900 age 3 months

[Jerry was born in Missouri his father in North Carolina his mother in Missouri, Mary was born in Missouri her parents in North Carolina, Hugh was born in Missouri as were his parents. They have been married for 1 year and Mary says she has had 1 child born and 1 child is living. Jerry is doing farm labor. They are renting.]

1901 Childbirth of brother; Lloyd Herman Headrick

Lloyd Herman Headrick was born in Watkins Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States in 1901.

1901-1903 Family Move

From Watkins Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States to Colorado, United States

1903 Childbirth of brother; Lee H. Headrick

Lee Headrick was born in Colorado, United States in 1903.

1903-1910 Family Move

From Colorado, United States to Watkins Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States

1910 Federal Census age 10

Watkins Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, page 270a, 26 April 1910, line 45, house 93,

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family 93

HEADRICK, Jerry head w m 39; May wife w f 30; Hugh son w m 10; Lee son w m 7;

YOUNG, Lee brother-in-law w m 23; **HEADRICK**, Herman son w m 9

[Jerry was born in Missouri his father in North Carolina his mother in Missouri, Mary was born in Missouri her parents in North Carolina, Hugh was born in Missouri as were his parents, Lee was born in Colorado his parents in Missouri, Lee Young was born in Missouri his parents in North Carolina, Herman was born in Missouri as were his parents. Jerry and Mary's first marriage for 11 years and Mary says she has had 3 children born and 3 are livng. Jerry is a farmer and they are renting. Living next door to parents; Silas and Nancy Jane (**PLANK**) Headrick family.]

1911 Childbirth of brother; Courtney H. Headrick

Courtney H. Headrick was born in Watkins Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States in 1911.

1911-1914 Family Move

From Watkins Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States to Sheridan Avenue, West Arvada, Precinct 25, Jefferson, Colorado, United States

1914 Childbirth of brother; Harland Duane Headrick

Harland Duane Headrick was born in West Arvada, Precinct 25, Jefferson, Colorado, United States in January 1914.

1915 Childbirth of sister; Dorothy D. (HEADRICK)

Dorothy D. (**HEADRICK**) was born in West Arvada, Precinct 25, Jefferson, Colorado, United States in September 1915.

1920 Childbirth of brother; Kenneth Jeremiah "Jerry" Headrick

Kenneth Jeremiah "Jerry" Headrick was born in West Arvada, Precinct 25, Jefferson, Colorado, United States in February 1920.

1920 Federal Census age 20

Sheridan Avenue, West Arvada, Precinct 25, Jefferson, Colorado, United States, page 243b, 24 March 1920, line 71, farmhouse 95, family 101

HEADRICK, Jeremiah E. head w m 47; Emma M. wife w f 40; Gilbert H. son w m 19; Lloyd H. son w m 18; Lee H. son w m 16; Courtney H. son w m 9; Harland D. son w m 6yrs 2mos; Dorothy D. dau w f 4yrs 6mos; Kenneth F. son w m 1month

Jerry was born in Missouri his father in North Carolina his mother in Missouri, Mary was born in Missouri her parents in North Carolina, Hugh and Lloyd were born in Missouri as were their parents, Lee was born in Colorado his parents in Missouri, Courtney was born in Missouri as were his parents, the rest were born in Colorado their parents in Missouri. Jerry is a farmer and is renting.]

1920-1927 Family Move

From Sheridan Avenue, West Arvada, Precinct 25, Jefferson, Colorado, United States to Watkins Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States

1927 Marriage of Hugh Gilbert Headrick and widow; Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL) Light

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mary Light Age:33 Birth Date:abt 1894 Marriage Date:5 October 1927 Marriage

Location:Clayton, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County:St Louis Spouse Name:Hugh G Headrick

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Spouse Age:27 Spouse Birth Date:abt 1900

1927 Family Move

From Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States to 2437 Lemp Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1930 Federal Census age 30

2437 Lemp Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 68b, 10 April 1930, line 89, house 2437, dwelling 136, family 237 _

HEADRICK, Hugh head w m 30; Mary wife w f 36; **LIGHT**, Roland stepson w m 11

[All were born in Missouri a were their parents except Mary's father was born in Kentucky. Hugh was first married at age 26 Mary at age 18. Hugh is a chauffeur and they are renting.]

1930 Death of spouse; Mary Elizabeth (CLASPILL) Light Headrick

Mary Elizabeth (**CLASPILL**) Light Headrick died in Christian Hospital, North Florissant, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 17 June 1930.

1934 Death of mother-in-law; Susan Jane (BLANTON) Claspill

Susan Jane (**BLANTON**) Claspill died in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 18 September 1934._

1935 Residency at 4211 Norfolk, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States

1936 Marriage of Hugh Gilbert Headrick and Margaret "Maggie" G. (JOHNSON) Israel

Hugh Gilbert Headrick and Margaret "Maggie" G. (**JOHNSON**) Israel was married in ?? on 18 July 1936. [needs verification]

1940 Federal Census age 40

4211 Norfolk, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 5717b, 8 April 1940, line 79, house 4211, dwelling 135

HEADRICK, Hugh head w m 40; Margaret wife w f 40; [page 5718a] **ISRAEL**, William J. step-son w m 14; Robert W. step-son w m 11

[All were born in Missouri. Hugh is a carpenter Margaret works as a machine tobacco helper for Wholesale Tobacco Company. They are renting.]

1944 Death of Hugh Gilbert Headrick

Hugh Gilbert Headrick died in McFarland Hospital, 63rd & Pine Street, Rolla, Phelps, Missouri, United States on 26 March 1944.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #11763

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Hugh G. Headrick March __, 1944 Phelps 11763

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1944 Burial of Hugh Gilbert Headrick

Anutt Cemetery, Watkins Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States

[1] U.S., Headstone Applications for Military Veterans, 1925-1963

Name: Hugh Gilbert Headrick Birth Date: 31 Mar 1900 Death Date: 26 Mar 1944 Cemetery: Anutt Cemetery Cemetery Location: Anutt, Missouri

FAG# 18420518

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Hugh Gilbert Headrick Birth: Mar. 31, 1900 Anutt Dent County Missouri, USA Death: Mar. 26, 1944 Married Mary Light about 1929, and she died 19 June 1930 and buried in Sullivan, MO; he then married Margaret Israel Johnson on 18 July 1936 who was buried at Taff Cem., Cook Station. Hugh was a Colorado Seaman with the U.S. Navy during WW I. Burial: Anutt Cemetery Anutt Dent County Missouri, USA Created by: Judy Johnson Record added: Mar 15, 2007

151. Walter Scott Brandt (*Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 20 July 1882 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 7 January 1959 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States at age 76.

1882 Birthblock for Walter Scott Brandt

Walter Scott Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 20 July 1882.

Date from the 1900 census states he was born July 1882 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born

Date from the 1918 WWI draft registration states he was born 20 July 1881.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1883 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1882 in Missouri. _

Date from the 1940 census states he was born

Date from the California Death Index states he ws born 18 July 1882 in Missouri. _

1884 Childbirth of sister; Bertha Ellen (BRANDT)

Bertha Ellen (**BRANDT**) was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 15 August 1884.

1886 Childbirth of brother; William Carl Brandt

William Carl Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 12 May 1886.

1888 Childbirth of brother; Albert Brandt

Albert Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 28 April 1888.

1892 Childbirth of brother; Reginald McKinley Brandt

Reginald McKinley Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on 13 May 1892.

1895 Childbirth of brother; John Brandt

John Brandt was born in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States on January 1895.

1900 Federal Census age 18

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 191b, 25 June 1900, line 58, house 204, family 207 **BRANDT**, Charles head w m born March 1850 age 50; Nancy wife w f born March 1858 age 41; Walter son w m born July 1882 age 17; Bertha dau w f born August 1883 age 16; William son born May 1886 age 14; Albert son w m born April 1888 age 12; Reginald son w m born May 1892 age 8; John son w m born January 1895 age 5 [Charles was born in Illinois, his parents in Germany. Nancy was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children born in Missouri, their father in Illinois their mother in Missouri. Nancy says this is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years. She has had 7 children born and 6 are living. Charles works as farm laborer and they are renting.]

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1908-1909 Marriage of Walter Scott Brandt and Magaret Hattie (SCHALLENBERG)

Walter Scott Brandt and Magaret Hattie (**SCHALLENBERG**) were married

1910 Federal Census age 28

1918 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Walter Scott Brandt City: 2345 Ecoff Ave., St Louis County:St Louis (Independent City)
State:Missouri Birth Date:20 July 1881 Race:White Roll:1683856 DraftBoard:24 Date 12
September 1918

Wife: Hattie Brandt, 2345 Ecoff Ave., St Louis, Missouri Works for Scullia Steel Co., 6700
Manchester Ave, St. Louis, Missouri

1920 Federal Census age 38

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 227b, 26 January 1920, line 63,
house 149, family 149

BRANDT, Walter head w m 37; Hattie wife w f 29; Gladys dau w f 11; James son w m 9;
Minnie dau w f 4 2/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Walter's father born in Illinois. Walter is a laborer
and is renting.]

1930 Federal Census age 48

344 Rose Lane, Kirkwood City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United
States, page 48a, 19 April 1930, line 47, house 344, dwelling 301, family 320

BRANDT, Walter S. head w m 48; Margaret H. wife w f 38; Gladys M. dau w f 21; James son
w m 19; [page 48b] Minnie dau w f 14; Beryl son w m 10; Helen dau w f 6; **SCHALLENBERG**,
Mary E. mnlw w f 65

[Walter was born in Missouri, his parents in the US. The rest born in Missouri as was their
parents. Walter was first married at age 26, Margaret at age 19. Mary is a widow. Walter is a
preset man for a steel company and he owns his home.]

1940 Federal Census age 58

1959 Death of Walter Scott Brandt

Walter Scott Brandt died in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States on 7
January 1959.

[1] California Death Index, 1940-1997

Name:Walter Scott Brandt Social Security #:492093734 Sex:MALE Birth Date:18 July 1882
Birthplace:Missouri Death Date:7 January 1959 Death Place:San Bernardino Mother's Maiden
Name:Allen FATHER'S SURNAME:Brandt

1959 Burial of Walter Scott Brandt

Walter married **Margaret Hattie Schallenberg**, daughter of **Henry Schallenberg** and **Mary E. Anderson**, from 1908 to 1909. Margaret was born on 25 October 1892 in Missouri, United States and died on 14 August 1966 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States at age 73.

1892 Birthblock of Margaret "Maggie" Hattie (SCHALLENBERG) daughter of Henry W. and Mary E. (ANDERSON) Schallenberg

Margaret "Maggie" Hattie (**SCHALLENBERG**) was born _
Date from the 1900 census states she was born

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Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1892 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the 1940 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from a newspaper death notice states she was born

Date from the funeral home records states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born

1900 Federal Census age 8

1908-1909 Marriage of Walter Scott Brandt and Margaret "Maggie" Hattie (SCHALLENBERG)

Walter Scott Brandt and Margaret Hattie (**SCHALLENBERG**) were married

1910 Federal Census age 18

Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page

SCHALLENBERG, Henry W. head w m 46; Mary E. wife w f 45; Nola F. dau w f 9; Tressie dau w f 5; **WHITMIRE**, Dewey 10; **BRANDT**, Maggie dau w f 18; Gladys gdau w f 1yr 2mos

1918 Spouse's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Walter Scott Brandt City: 2345 Ecoff Ave., St Louis County:St Louis (Independent City) State:Missouri Birth Date:20 July 1881 Race:White Roll:1683856 DraftBoard:24 Date 12 September 1918

Wife: Hattie Brandt, 2345 Ecoff Ave., St Louis, Missouri Works for Scullia Steel Co., 6700 Manchester Ave, St. Louis, Missouri

1920 Federal Census age 28

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 227b, 26 January 1920, line 63, house 149, family 149

BRANDT, Walter head w m 37; Hattie wife w f 29; Gladys dau w f 11; James son w m 9; Minnie dau w f 4 2/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Walter's father born in Illinois. Walter is a laborer and is renting.]

1930 Federal Census age 38

344 Rose Lane, Kirkwood City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 48a, 19 April 1930, line 47, house 344, dwelling 301, family 320

BRANDT, Walter S. head w m 48; Margaret H. wife w f 38; Gladys M. dau w f 21; James son w m 19; [page 48b] Minnie dau w f 14; Beryl son w m 10; Helen dau w f 6; **SCHALLENBERG**, Mary E. mnlw w f 65

[Walter was born in Missouri, his parents in the US. The rest born in Missouri as was their parents. Walter was first married at age 26, Margaret at age 19. Mary is a widow. Walter is a preset man for a steel company and he owns his home.]

1940 Federal Census age 58

1959 Death of spouse; Walter Scott Brandt

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Walter Scott Brandt died in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States on 7 January 1959.

[1] California Death Index, 1940-1997

Name:Walter Scott Brandt Social Security #:492093734 Sex:MALE Birth Date:18 July 1882 Birthplace:Missouri Death Date:7 January 1959 Death Place:San Bernardino Mother's Maiden Name:Allen FATHER'S SURNAME:Brandt

1966 Death of Margaret "Maggie" Hattie (SCHALLENBERG) Brandt

Margaret Hattie (SCHALLENBERG) Brandt died in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States on 14 August 1966. _

[1] California Death Index, 1940-1997

Name:Margaret H Brandt Sex:FEMALE Birth Date:25 Oct 1892 Birthplace:Missouri Death Date:14 Aug 1966 Death Place:San Bernardino Mother's Maiden Name:Anderson

1966 Burial of Margaret "Maggie" Hattie (SCHALLENBERG) Brandt

Children from this marriage were:

- + 355 F i. **Gladys M. Brandt** was born in 1909 in Missouri, United States.
- + 356 M ii. **James Brandt** was born in 1911 in Missouri, United States.
- + 357 F iii. **Minnie Brandt** was born in 1915 in Missouri, United States.
- + 358 M iv. **Beryl Brandt** was born in 1920 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.
- + 359 F v. **Helen Brandt** was born in 1924 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

152. Bertha Ellen Brandt (*Nancy Caroline Blanton* ³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 15 August 1884 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 15 September 1971 in Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States at age 87.

1883 Birthblock for Bertha Ellen (BRANDT)

Date from the 1900 census states she was born August 1883 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1885 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1885 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

1900 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 191b, 25 June 1900, line 58, house 204, family 207 **BRANDT**, Charles head w m born March 1850 age 50; Nancy wife w f born March 1858 age 41; Walter son w m born July 1882 age 17; Bertha dau w f born August 1883 age 16; William son born May 1886 age 14; Albert son w m born April 1888 age 12; Reginald son w m born May 1892 age 8; John son w m born January 1895 age 5 [Charles was born in Illinois, his parents in Germany. Nancy was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children born in Missouri, their father in Illinois their mother in Missouri. Nancy says this is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years. She has had 7 children born and 6 are living. Charles works as farm laborer and they are renting.]

1901 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

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Name: Charles L Moss Marriage Date: 1 June 1901 Marriage Location: Near Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Marriage County: Crawford Spouse Name: Miss. Bertha E Brandt page 233

1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 241a, 27 April 1910, line 33, house 277, family 286

MOSS, Charles head w m 32; Bertha E. wife wf 25

[Charles was born in Missouri as was his parents, Bertha born in Missouri, her father in Illinois, her mother in Missouri. This is their first marriage they have been married for 8 years and Bertha says she has had 1 child born and 0 are living. Charles is a wood chopper. They are renting. Living a few doors down from John & Caldonia (**DILL**) Calvert family.]

1920 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 82a, 26 & 27 January 1920, line 4, farm 99, family 131

MOSS, C.[Charles] L.[Lee] head w m 24; Bertha wife w f 21; Irene dau w f 3 4/12; Alene dau w f 1 2/12

[All born in Missouri including parents. Charles is a farmer, and is renting.] * I am not sure if these are the right people.

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 273a, 14 April 1930, line 19, house 249, family 261

MOSS, Bertha E. head w f 45; Gweneth C. dau w f 16; Victor L. son w m 13; **BRANDT**, Nancy mother w f 73

[Bertha was born in Missouri her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri. The children born in Missouri as was their parents and Nancy was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. Bertha is married and was age 15 when she first married. Nancy is a widow. Living next door to William & Daisey (**CALVERT**) Brandt family.]

1971 Death

Social Security Death Index

Name: Bertha Moss **SSN:** 496-56-3244 **Last Residence:** 63090 Washington, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:** 15 Aug 1884 **Died:** Sep 1971 **State (Year) SSN issued:** Missouri (1966)

Bertha married **Charles Lee Moss**, son of **Daniel Boone Moss** and **Tabitha "Telitha" Frances Benson**, on 1 June 1901 near Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Charles was born on 25 August 1877 in Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 29 May 1961 in Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 83, and was buried on 30 May 1961 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 28a, 20 June 1900, line 27, house 224, family 227

MOSS, Daniel head w m born February 1845 age 55; Tabitha wife w f born November 1849

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age 50; Charles L. son w m born August 1877 age 22; George W. son w m born March 1879 age 21; Tabitha F. dau w f born December 1888 age 11; **WILLSON**, Emma gdau w f born May 1890 age 10

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Daniel's parents born in New York and Tabitha's father born in Kentucky. They have been married for 32 years and Tabitha says she has had 8 children born and 8 are living. Daniel is a farmer and is renting.]

1901 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Charles L Moss Marriage Date: 1 June 1901 Marriage Location: Near Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri Marriage County: Crawford Spouse Name: Miss. Bertha E Brandt page 233

1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 241a, 27 April 1910, line 33, house 277, family 286

MOSS, Charles head w m 32; Bertha E. wife wf 25

[Charles was born in Missouri as was his parents, Bertha born in Missouri, her father in Illinois, her mother in Missouri. This is their first marriage they have been married for 8 years and Bertha says she has had 1 child born and 0 are living. Charles is a wood chopper. They are renting. Living a few doors down from John & Caldonia (**DILL**) Calvert family.]

1920 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 82a, 26 & 27 January 1920, line 4, farm 99, family 131

MOSS, C.[Charles] L.[Lee] head w m 24; Bertha wife w f 21; Irene dau w f 3 4/12; Alene dau w f 1 2/12

[All born in Missouri including parents. Charles is a farmer, and is renting.] * I am not sure if these are the right people.

1930 Federal Census

State Hospital #1, Fulton, Fulton Twp, Callaway, Missouri, United States, page 83a, 22 April 1930, line 46

MOSS, Charles L. patient w m 53

[Charles born in Missouri his parents in U.S. He is married.]

1961 Death

Charles Lee Moss May 29, 1961 FRANKLIN 17020

1961 Burial

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Moss, Charles L. 1877-1961

Children from this marriage were:

- + 360 M i. **Raymond Charles Moss** was born in 1902 in Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died in 1914 in Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 12.
- + 361 F ii. **Gwenith Christabelle Moss** was born on 13 October 1913 in Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 23 February 1986 in Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States at age 72.

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- + 362 M iii. **Victor Emanuel Moss** was born on 17 November 1916, died on 7 April 1968 at age 51, and was buried in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

153. William Carl Brandt (*Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 12 May 1886 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 2 November 1937 in Missouri State Hospital #1, Fulton, Fulton Twp, Callaway, Missouri, United States at age 51, and was buried on 4 November 1937 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1886 Birthblock for William Carl Brandt

Date from the 1900 census states he was born May 1886 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born

Date from the 1918 WWI draft registration states he was born 12 May 1886.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1886 in Missouri

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1887 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 12 May 1886 in Illinois. _

Date from the headstone states he was born 12 May 1886.

1900 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 191b, 25 June 1900, line 58, house 204, family 207 **BRANDT**, Charles head w m born March 1850 age 50; Nancy wife w f born March 1858 age 41; Walter son w m born July 1882 age 17; Bertha dau w f born August 1883 age 16; William son born May 1886 age 14; Albert son w m born April 1888 age 12; Reginald son w m born May 1892 age 8; John son w m born January 1895 age 5
[Charles was born in Illinois, his parents in Germany. Nancy was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children born in Missouri, their father in Illinois their mother in Missouri. Nancy says this is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years. She has had 7 children born and 6 are living. Charles works as farm laborer and they are renting.]

1910

1913 Marriage

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: William C Brandt Marriage Date: 1 September 1913 Marriage Location: Clayton, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County: St Louis Spouse Name: Daisy M Calvert

1918 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: William Carl Brandt City: Sullivan County: Franklin State: Missouri Birth Date: 12 May 1886 Race: White Roll: 1683213 nearest relative Charles Brandt, Sullivan, MO. Date 12 September 1918

1920 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186a, 21 & 22 January 1920, line 28, house 291, family 305

BERNDT, William head w m 34; Dasie M. wife w f 30; Lavenia dau w f 4 1/12; William C. son w m 2 2/12

[All born in Missouri including parents except William's father born in Illinois. William is a farmer and is renting. Living next door to Caledine? [64] L. Calvert family.]

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1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri

Name:William C Brandt **Home in 1930:** **Age:**43 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1887

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's Name:**Daisy M

Race:White **Occupation:** **Education:** **Military service:** **Rent/home value:** **Age at first marriage:**

BRANDT, William C 43 Daisy M 39 W Lovenia 13 William C 13

1937 Death

William Brandt died November 02, 1937 in Callaway County, Missouri death certificate #40805

1937 Burial

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Brandt, William C. 12 May 1886-4 November 1937 Husband of Daisy M.

Brandt, Daisy M. (Calvert) 16 May 1890-28 August 1988 Cremated wife of William C.

William married **Daisy Maisy Calvert**, daughter of **John Henry Calvert** and **Caledona Lavina Dill**, on 1 September 1913 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. Daisy was born on 16 May 1890 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 28 August 1988 in Saint Joseph's Hospital, Saint Charles, Saint Charles, Missouri, United States at age 98, and was buried in August 1988 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1888 Birthblock for Daisy Maisy (CALVERT)

Date from the 1900 census states she was born May 1888 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1890 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1890 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1891 in Missouri.

Date from the headstone states she was born 16 May 1890.

Date from the SSDI states she was born 16 May 1890.

Therefore since her parents gave the censustaker the birth date of May 1888 in the 1900 census, I would be inclined to believe them and say she was born 16 May 1888.

1900 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 193a, 6 June 1900, line 6, house 166, family 171

CALVERT, John head w m born July 1858 age 41; Calidona wife w f born August 1856 age 43; Francis dau w f born September 1886 age 13; Maizy dau w f born May 1888 age 12; Mary C. dau w f born December 1891 age 8; Albert son w m born June 1895 age 4; Archie son w m born April 1898 age 2

[All born in Missouri including parents except Caledona's parents born in Germany. John and Caledona have been married for 18 years and Caledona says she has had 6 children born and 5 are living. John is a farmer and owns.]

1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 241a, 25 & 27 April 1910, line 42, house 280, family 289

CALBERT, John H. head w m 52; Caledonia wife w f 54; Daisy M. dau w f 20; Elsie dau w f 17;

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Albert son w m 15; Archie son w m 11

[All born in Missouri including parents except Caledona's parents born in Germany. This is John's and Caledona's first marriage and they have been married for 27 years. Caledona says she has had 7 children born and 6 are living. John owns his farm. Living next door to Charles [67] & Nancy [52] (**BLANTON**) Brandt family.]

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1913 Marriage

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: William C Brandt Marriage Date: 1 September 1913 Marriage Location: Clayton, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County: St Louis Spouse Name: Daisy M Calvert

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1920 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186a, 21 & 22 January 1920, line 28, house 291, family 305

BERNDT, William head w m 34; Dasie M. wife w f 30; Lavenia dau w f 4 1/12; William C. son w m 2 2/12

[All born in Missouri including parents except William's father born in Illinois. William is a farmer and is renting. Living next door to Caledona [64] L. Calvert family.]

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri

Name: William C Brandt **Home in 1930:** Age: 43 **Estimated Birth Year:** abt 1887

Birthplace: Missouri **Relation to Head of House:** Head **Spouse's Name:** Daisy M

Race: White **Occupation:** **Education:** **Military service:** **Rent/home value:** **Age at first marriage:**

BRANDT, William C 43 Daisy M 39 W Lavena 13 William C 13

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1988 Burial

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Brandt, William C. 12 May 1886-4 November 1937 Husband of Daisy M.

Brandt, Daisy M. (Calvert) 16 May 1890-28 August 1988 Cremated wife of William C.

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Social Security Death Index

Name: Daisy C. Brandt **SSN:** 493-01-1223 **Last Residence:** 63301 Saint Charles, Saint Charles, Missouri, United States of America **Born:** 16 May 1890 **Died:** 28 Aug 1988 **State (Year) SSN issued:** Missouri (Before 1951)

Children from this marriage were:

+ 363 F i. **Lavinia Wilhelmina Brandt** was born on 21 June 1914 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 2 January 1979 at age 64.

+ 364 M ii. **William Calvert Brandt** was born on 19 December 1916 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 19 December 1978 at age 62.

154. Albert Brandt (*Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 28 April 1888 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 21 March 1943 in rural Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 54, and was

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buried on 25 March 1943 in Valhalla Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

1888 Birthblock for Albert Brandt

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1900 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 191b, 25 June 1900, line 58, house 204, family 207

BRANDT, Charles head w m born March 1850 age 50; Nancy wife w f born March 1858 age 41; Walter son w m born July 1882 age 17; Bertha dau w f born August 1883 age 16; William son born May 1886 age 14; Albert son w m born April 1888 age 12; Reginald son w m born May 1892 age 8; John son w m born January 1895 age 5

[Charles was born in Illinois, his parents in Germany. Nancy was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children born in Missouri, their father in Illinois their mother in Missouri. Nancy says this is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years. She has had 7 children born and 6 are living. Charles works as farm laborer and they are renting.]

1910 Federal Census

Church Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 237a, 20 April 1910, house 199, family 204

SULLIVAN, George head w m 72; Diana wife w f 59; **BRANDT**, Albert boarder w m 22;

SCHULTS, Annie servant w f 22

[George was born in Missouri his parents in Tennessee. Diana was born in Illinois as was her father her mother was born in Wales. Albert was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri and Annie was born in Missouri as was her mother but her father was born in the US. George and Dina have been married once for 45 years and no children born and none living. Albert is single and Annie is single. George is a helper at a restaurant, Albert is a laborer for the railroad.]

1910 Marriage

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Albert Brandt City:2751 McCausland Ave County:St Louis (Independent City)
State:Missouri Birthplace:Sullivan, Missouri Birth Date:22 April 1888 Race:Caucasian (White)
Roll:1683856 DraftBoard:24 Wife & child date 5 June 1917

1920 Federal Census

2415 Croft Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 58a, 8 January 1920, line 10, house 2415, dwelling 119, family 138

BRANDT, Albert head w m 31; Annie wife w f 31; Marion son w m 3.3months

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Albert is a machinist for a steel plant and is renting.]

Albert Brant March __, 1943 Franklin 17778

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Albert married **Anna "Annie" Bremer**, daughter of **Henry Bremer** and **Anna Stumph**, in 1910. Anna was born on 27 March 1888 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died on 16 August 1947 in Missouri Baptist Hospital, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 59, and was buried on 19 August 1947 in Valhalla Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census

Church Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 237a, 20 April 1910, house 199, family 204

SULLIVAN, George head w m 72; Diana wife w f 59; **BRANDT**, Albert boarder w m 22;

SCHULTS, Annie servant w f 22

[George was born in Missouri his parents in Tennessee. Diana was born in Illinois as was her father her mother was born in Wales. Albert was born in Missouri his father in Germany his mother in Missouri and Annie was born in Missouri as was her mother but her father was born in the US. George and Dina have been married once for 45 years and no children born and none living. Albert is single and Annie is single. George is a helper at a restaurant, Albert is a laborer for the railroad.]

1910 Marriage

1920 Federal Census

2415 Croft Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 58a, 8 January 1920, line 10, house 2415, dwelling 119, family 138

BRANDT, Albert head w m 31; Annie wife w f 31; Marion son w m 3 3/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Albert is a machinist for a steel plant and is renting.]

Anna Brandt August __, 1947 St. Louis City St. Louis City 28874

Children from this marriage were:

- + 365 F i. **Bertha Bernice Brandt** was born on 30 September 1910 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 October 1910 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried on 30 October 1910 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 366 M ii. **Reginald Brandt** was born on 29 March 1913 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 1 May 1913 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried on 2 May 1913 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 367 M iii. **Marion Brandt** was born in 1916 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

155. Reginald McKinley Brandt (*Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 May 1892 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 12 August 1955 in 800 Leonard Drive, Rock Hill, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 15 August 1955 in Forever Oak Hill Cemetery, 10305 Big Bend Road, Kirkwood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

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1900 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 191b, 25 June 1900, line 58, house 204, family 207 **BRANDT**, Charles head w m born March 1850 age 50; Nancy wife w f born March 1858 age 41; Walter son w m born July 1882 age 17; Bertha dau w f born August 1883 age 16; William son born May 1886 age 14; Albert son w m born April 1888 age 12; Reginald son w m born May 1892 age 8; John son w m born January 1895 age 5
[Charles was born in Illinois, his parents in Germany. Nancy was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children born in Missouri, their father in Illinois their mother in Missouri. Nancy says this is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years. She has had 7 children born and 6 are living. Charles works as farm laborer and they are renting.]

From 1901 to 1910 Move

From Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States to Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States between 1900/1910.

1910 Federal Census

Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 241, 25 & 27 April 1910, line , house 279 **BRANDT**, Charles head w m 61; Nancy wife w f 52; Reginald son w m 17
[Charles was born in Illinois and his parents in Germany. Nancy was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee. Reginald born in Missouri, his father born in Illinois his mother born in Missouri. Charles says he has been married twice and they have been married for 28 years. Nancy has been married once and says she has had 7 children born and 5 are living.]

From 1914 to 1915 Marriage

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Reginald Mc Kinley Brandt City:1518 West Billon County:St Louis (Independent City)
State:Missouri Birthplace:Missouri Birth Date:13 May 1892 Race:Caucasian (White)
Roll:1683856 DraftBoard:24 Date 5 June 1917 Wife & child

1920 Federal Census

1515 West Billon Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 155a, 5 January 1920, line 50, house 1515, dwelling 109, family 110
BRANDT, Reginald head w m 26; [page 155b]Grace wife w f 24; Beatrice dau w f 3; Charles son w m 2; Yale son w m 6/12
[Reginald born in Missouri, his father at sea and his mother in Germany. The rest born in Missouri as was their parents. Reginald is a locomotive engineer for a steel company and is renting.]

1930 Federal Census

6841 Southwest Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 74a, 7 April 1930, line 6, house 6841, dwelling 27, family 28
BRANDT, Reginald head w m 36; Grace wife w f 34; Beatrice dau w f 13; Charles son w m 12; Yale son w m 10; Morris son w m 11/12; **SHIPP**, Waron lodger w m 69
[All born at Missouri including parents except Reginald's father born at sea. Warren was born in Kentucky as was his mother his father born in the US. Reginald was first married at age 22, Grace was first married at age 20. Reginald is a machinist for a steel mill. They are renting.]

1955 Death

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Reginald M. Brandt died August __, 1955 at St. Louis , Missouri death certificate #28481

1955 Burial

Forever Oak Hill Cemetery, 10305 Big Bend Road, Kirkwood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

Reginald married **Grace Mae Kimbrell**, daughter of **Unknown** and **Molly Dickerson**, from 1915 to 1917. Grace was born on 5 October 1895 in Missouri, United States and died on 20 May 1991 at age 95.

1896 Birthblock for Grace May ()

Date from the 1900 census states she was born

Date from the 1910 census states she was born

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1896 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1896 in Missorui.

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1920 Federal Census

1515 West Billon Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 155a, 5 January

1920, line 50, house 1515, dwelling 109, family 110

BRANDT, Reginald head w m 26; [page 155b]Grace wife w f 24; Beatrice dau w f 3; Charles son w m 2; Yale son w m 6/12

[Reginald born in Missouri, his father at sea and his mother in Germany. The rest born in Missouri as was their parents. Reginald is a locomotive engineer for a steel company and is renting.]

1930 Federal Census

6841 Southwest Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 74a, 7 April 1930, line 6, house 6841, dwelling 27, family 28

BRANDT, Reginald head w m 36; Grace wife w f 34; Beatrice dau w f 13; Charles son w m 12; Yale son w m 10; Morris son w m 11/12; **SHIPP**, Waron lodger w m 69

[All born at Missouri including parents except Reginald's father born at sea. Warren was born in Kentucky as was his mother his father born in the US. Reginald was first married at age 22, Grace was first married at age 20. Reginald is a machinist for a steel mill. They are renting.]

Social Security Death Index

Name:Grace M. Brandt **SSN:**488-34-4683 **Born:**5 Oct 1895 **Died:**20 May 1991 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (Before 1951)

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Children from this marriage were:

- + 368 F i. **Beatrice Brandt** was born in 1917 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.
- + 369 M ii. **Charles Brandt** was born in 1918 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.
- + 370 M iii. **Yale Brandt** was born in 1919 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.
- + 371 M iv. **Morris Brandt** was born in 1929 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

156. John Brandt (*Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in January 1895 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

1900 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 191b, 25 June 1900, line 58, house 204, family 207 **BRANDT**, Charles head w m born March 1850 age 50; Nancy wife w f born March 1858 age 41; Walter son w m born July 1882 age 17; Bertha dau w f born August 1883 age 16; William son born May 1886 age 14; Albert son w m born April 1888 age 12; Reginald son w m born May 1892 age 8; John son w m born January 1895 age 5 [Charles was born in Illinois, his parents in Germany. Nancy was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children born in Missouri, their father in Illinois their mother in Missouri. Nancy says this is their first marriage and they have been married for 19 years. She has had 7 children born and 6 are living. Charles works as farm laborer and they are renting.]

157. Phoebe E. Simmons (*Mary Ellen Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in September 1887 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Phoebe married **White**.

158. William Seth Simmons (*Mary Ellen Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in September 1889 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 18 October 1911 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 22, and was buried on 20 October 1911 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

William Simmons October 18, 1911 Franklin 34286

159. Carl Herbert Simmons (*Mary Ellen Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 7 August 1894 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in December 1981 in Belleville, Belleville Twp, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States at age 87.

1894 Birthblock for Carl Herbert Simmons

Date from the 1900 census states he was born August 1893 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1895 in Missouri.

Date from the 1917 WWI draft registration states he was born 7 August 1894 in Sullivan, Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1895 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1895 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the SSDI states he was born 7 August 1894. _

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1900 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 9a, 6 June 1900, line , house 163, family

SIMMONS, Mary E. head w f born January 1861 age 39; Phebe E. dau w f born September 1887 age 12; W.[William] Seth son w m born September 1889 age 10; Carl son w m born August 1893 age 6;

[All born in Missouri including parents except Mary's parents born in Tennessee. Mary is a widow and she says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living.]

1910 Federal Census

Springfield Road, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 249a, 19 & 20 April 1910, line 39, house 47, family 48

FRASUER, Albert W. head w m 49; Ellen wife w f 50; **SIMMONS**, William sson w m 19; Carl sson w m 15; **BLANTON**, Albert S. fnlw w m 79

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Ellen father was born in Tennessee and Albert Blanton was born in Tennessee as was his parents adn he is a widower. Albert and Ellen say they have been married twice and they have been married for 2 years. Ellen say this is her second marriage and she has been married 6 years and she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Albert Frasuer is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1915 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Carl H Simmons Marriage Date:15 Aug 1915 Marriage Location:Spring Bluff, Franklin, MO Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Maude Campbell

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Carl Herbert Simmons City:Not Stated County:Franklin State:Missouri Birthplace:Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri;United States of America Birth Date:7 August 1894 Race:Caucasian (White) Roll:1683213 has Wife Date: 5 June 1917

1920 Federal Census

3649 Laclede Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 51b, 13 & 14 January 1920, line 32, house 3642, dwelling 149, family 250

SIMMONS, Carl head w m 25; Maud wife w f 24; Wilma dau w f 1 3/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Maude's father born in Illinois. Carl is a machinist for a dairy company and is renting.]

1930 Federal Census

3416 Vista Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 42a, 15 April 1930, line 5, house 3415, dwelling 284, family 411

SIMMONS, Carl H. head w m 35; Maud wife w f 34; Wilma dau w f 11; Paul son w m 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Carl was 21 when he was first married and Maude was 20 whne she was first married. Carl is a machinist for a dairy company and is renting.]

Social Security Death Index

Name:Carl Simmons SSN:490-01-3202 Last Residence:62221 Belleville, Saint Clair, Illinois, United States of America Born:7 Aug 1894 Died:Dec 1981 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

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Carl married **Maude Campbell**, daughter of **John A. Campbell** and **Aloretta "Ettie" Rock**, on 15 August 1915 in Spring Bluff, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Maude was born in October 1895 in Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1895 Birthblock for Maude (CAMPBELL)

Date from the 1900 census states she was born October 1895 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1896 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1896 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

1900 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 106b, 28 June 1900, line 89, house 318, family 219

CAMPBELL, John head w m born May 1870 age 30; Ettie wife w f born February 1880 age 20; Maudy dau w f born October 1895 age 4; Teddie dau w f born February 1899 age 1

[John born in Illinois as was his parents, Ettie born in Missouri her parents in Illinois, the children born in Missouri father in Illinois, mother in Missouri. They have been married for 5 years and Ettie says she has had 2 children born and 2 are living. John is a farmer and is renting.]

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1915 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Carl H Simmons Marriage Date: 15 Aug 1915 Marriage Location: Spring Bluff, Franklin, MO
Marriage County: Franklin Spouse Name: Maude Campbell

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Carl Herbert Simmons City: Not Stated County: Franklin State: Missouri Birthplace: Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri; United States of America Birth Date: 7 August 1894 Race: Caucasian (White)
Roll: 1683213 has Wife Date: 5 June 1917

1920 Federal Census

3649 Laclede Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 51b, 13 & 14 January 1920, line 32, house 3642, dwelling 149, family 250

SIMMONS, Carl head w m 25; Maud wife w f 24; Wilma dau w f 1 3/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Maude's father born in Illinois. Carl is a machinist for a dairy company and is renting.]

1930 Federal Census

3416 Vista Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, page 42a, 15 April 1930, line 5, house 3415, dwelling 284, family 411

SIMMONS, Carl H. head w m 35; Maud wife w f 34; Wilma dau w f 11; Paul son w m 8

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Carl was 21 when he was first married and Maude was 20 when she was first married. Carl is a machinist for a dairy company and is renting.]

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Children from this marriage were:

+ 372 F i. **Wilma Simmons** was born in 1918 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

+ 373 M ii. **Paul Simmons** was born in 1922 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

160. James Martin Dace (*Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 16 April 1894 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 26 January 1976 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in January 1976 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1894 Birthblock for James Martin Dace

Date from the 1900 census states he was born April 1894 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1895 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 16 April 1894.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1895 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1895 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born 16 April 1894.

Date from the SSDI states he was born 16 April 1894.

CENSUS: 1900 Franklin Co., MO., Meramec Twsp., Sullivan, Page193A, House 67, 6 Jun 1900:

DACE, Edward head w m 34 born: Oct 1865 mar 7yrs born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Sarah wife w f 35 born: Nov 1864 mar 7yrs born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN

James M. son w m 6 born: Apr 1894 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Eugene son w m 5 born: Nov 1894 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Nima dau w f 3 born: Mar 1897 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Elizabeth mother w f 59 born: Jan 1844 WD born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

William D. brother w m 17 born: Apr 1883 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

(Sarah has had 3 children born and 3 are living. Elizabeth has had 11 children born and 8 are living.)

CENSUS: 1910 Franklin Co., MO., Boone Twsp., page 131B, house 241, 10th & 11th May 1910:

DACE, Michael E. head w m age 48 mar1 16yrs born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Sarah A. wife w f age 44 mar1 16yrs born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN

James M. son w m age 15 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Oscar E. son w m age 14 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Mary E. dau w f age 8 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Ellen dau w f age 6 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

(Sarah say she has had 6 children born and 4 are living)

1915 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:James M Dase Marriage Date:15 September 1915 Marriage Location:Washington, MO

Marriage County:Washington Spouse Name:Aldelia G Hill

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:James Martin Dace City:Anthonies Mill County:Washington State:Missouri

Birthplace:Missouri;United States of America Birth Date:16 April 1894 Race:American

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Roll:1683936

Wife & child date June 5, 1917

CENSUS: 1920 Washington Co., MO, Johnson Twsp., 2 Jan 1920, House 17, page 1B:

DACE, James M. head w m age:25 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Genevieve wife w f age: 20 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Cyrus son w m age: 3 1/12 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Stanley son w m age: 1 4/12 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

(next door to father, Michael E. Dace.)

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri

Name:James M Dace **Home in 1930:** **Age:**35 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1895

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's Name:**Genevieve A

Race:White

DACE, James M 35 **Genevieve A** 30 **Cyrus J** 13 **Quentin A** 9 **Randell E** 7

Anna J 5 **Darlene M** 3 3/12 **Elaine R** 7/12

1976 Death

1976 Burial

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Dace, James M. 16 April 1894-26 January 1976 husband of Genevieve A.

Dace, Genevieve A. 27 September 1899-6 November 1988

Social Security Death Index

Name:James Dace **SSN:**496-14-9538 **Last Residence:**63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**16 Apr 1894 **Died:**Jan 1976 **State (Year) SSN**

issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

James married **Ardelia Genevieve Hill**, daughter of **Fredrick "Fred" Eugene Hill** and **Mary Anna Pinson**, on 15 September 1915 in Kimberlin Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Ardelia was born on 27 September 1899 in Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 6 November 1988 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 89, and was buried in November 1988 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1899 Birthblock for Genevieve Ardelia (HILL)

Date from the 1900 census states she was born

Date from the 1910 census states she was born

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born _

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1900 Federal Census

Liberty Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 207a, 4 June 1900, line 73, house 34, family 34

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HILL, Fred E. head w m born November 1874 age 25; Mary A. wife w f born December 1868 age 31; Ardelia G. dau w f born September 1899 age 8.12; **POLLARD**, Benjamin H. boarder w m born Febraury 1892 age 8

Children from this marriage were:

- + 374 M i. **Cyrus J. Dace** was born in 1916 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 375 M ii. **Stanley W. Dace** was born in 1918 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 376 M iii. **Randall E. Dace**.
- + 377 M iv. **James L. Dace**.
- + 378 F v. **Anna Jean Dace**.
Anna married **Vedder**.
- + 379 F vi. **Darlene Dace**.
Darlene married **Schatz**.
- + 380 F vii. **Elaine Dace**.
Elaine married **Weekes**.

161. Oskar Eugene Dace (*Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 2 November 1895 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 8 November 1975 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 80, and was buried in November 1975 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

CENSUS: 1900 Franklin Co., MO., Meramec Twsp., Sullivan, Page193A, House 67, 6 Jun 1900:
DACE, Edward head w m 34 born: Oct 1865 mar 7yrs born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Sarah wife w f 35 born: Nov 1864 mar 7yrs born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN
James M. son w m 6 born: Apr 1894 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Eugene son w m 5 born: Nov 1894 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Nima dau w f 3 born: Mar 1897 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Elizabeth mother w f 59 born: Jan 1844 WD born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
William D. brother w m 17 born: Apr 1883 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

(Sarah has had 3 childrern born and 3 are living. Elizabeth has had 11 children born and 8 are living.)

CENSUS: 1910 Franklin Co., MO., Boone Twsp., page 131B, house 241, 10th & 11th May 1910:
DACE, Michael E. head w m age 48 mar1 16yrs born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Sarah A. wife w f age 44 mar1 16yrs born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN
James M. son w m age 15 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Oscar E. son w m age 14 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Mary E. dau w f age 8 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Ellen dau w f age 6 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

(Sarah say she has had 6 children born and 4 are living)

moved to Brazil, Washington Co., in the year 1911

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1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Osker Eugene Dace **City:**Anthones Mill **County:**Washington **State:**Missouri
Birthplace:Missouri;United States of America **Birth Date:**2 Nov 1895 **Race:**American
Roll:1683936 **DraftBoard:**0 Single, Date June 5, 1917

CENSUS: 1920 Washington Co., MO, Johnson Twsp., 2 Jan 1920, House 15, page 1B:

DACE, Michael E. head w m age: 57 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Sarah A. wife w f age: 55 born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN
Oscar E. son w m age: 24 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Ellen dau w f age: 16 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

(next door to son, James M. Dace.)

1925 Marriage

1930 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page

Name:Oscar E Dace **Home in 1930:**Johnson, Washington, Missouri **Age:**35 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1895 **Birthplace:**Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's Name:**Minerva A **Race:**White **DACE, Oscar E.** 35 **Minerva A.** 39

1975 Death

1975 Burial

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Dace, Oscar E. 2 November 1895-8 November 1975 husband of Minerva, USA Verteran of WWI

Dace, Minerva A. 13 July 1889-17 August 1966 wife of Oscar E.

Social Security Death Index

Name:Oscar Dace **SSN:**487-20-8121 **Last Residence:**63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**2 Nov 1895 **Died:**Nov 1975 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (Before 1951)

Oskar married **Minerva Ann Record**, daughter of **Thomas Hargis "Toby" Record** and **Melzenia "Mellie" Ann Pinson**, on 11 April 1925. Minerva was born on 13 July 1889 near Vilander, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 17 August 1966 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried in August 1966 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1889 Birthblock for Minerva Ann (RECORD)

CENSUS: 1900 Crawford Co., MO, Liberty Twsp., Page 55, House 10, taken 2 June 1900:

RECCORD, Thomas	head Jan 1847	MO	TN	MO
Melzina	wife May 1851	MO	SC	KY
Susan E.	dau Nov 1877	MO	MO	MO
Melly C.	dau Aug 1884}twin	MO	MO	MO
Delly E.	dau Aug 1884}twin	MO	MO	MO

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Minerva A.	dau	Jul 1889	MO	MO	MO
Charles T.	son	Aug 1891	MO	MO	MO
Linnie E.	dau	Aug 1895	MO	MO	MO

(Both say they have been married 28 years.)

CENSUS: 1910 Crawford Co., MO., Liberty Twsp., House 19, Page 58B, taken 16 Apr 1910:

RECORD, Thomas H. 62 head MO MO TN

Mlezina 58 wife MO SC KY

Mollie C. 25 dau MO MO MO

Minerva 20 dau MO MO MO

Charles 18 son MO MO MO

Linnie 14 dau MO MO MO

(They have been married 37 years and 11 children have been born and 8 are living.)

CENSUS: 1920 Crawford Co., MO., Liberty Twsp., page 213B, house 38, taken 6 Jan 1920:

RECORD, Thomas male 73 MO TN MO

Melzina wife 68 MO SC KY

Minerva dau 30 MO MO MO

(They were living on Vilander to Anthonies Mill Road.)

1930 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page

Name:Oscar E Dace **Home in 1930:**Johnson, Washington, Missouri **Age:**35 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1895 **Birthplace:**Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's Name:**Minerva A **Race:**White **DACE, Oscar E** 35 **Minerva A** 39

1966 Burial

I.O.O.F. Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Dace, Oscar E. 2 November 1895-8 November 1975 husband of Minerva, USA Verteran of WWI

Dace, Minerva A. 13 July 1889-17 August 1966 wife of Oscar E.

162. Neoma Dace (*Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in March 1897 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 3 January 1903 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 5, and was buried in January 1903 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. She never married and had no children.

163. Mary Elizabeth Dace (*Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 April 1901 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in May 1981 in Cuba, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 80, and was buried in May 1981 in Meramec Hills Memory Lawn Cemetery, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1917 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Mary E Dace **Marriage Date:**20 May 1917 **Marriage Location:**Authonies Mill, Washington, Missouri **Marriage County:**Washington **Spouse Name:**William R Summers

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1920 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 221a, 3 January 1920, line 27, farm 26, family 26

SUMMERS, John F. head w m 60; Mary Y. wife w f 56; Benjamin H. son w m 25; William R. son w m 33; Mary E. daunlw w f 18; John R. son w m 12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary's father born in Ohio. John is a farmer and owns his home.]

Social Security Death Index

Name:Elizabeth Summers **SSN:**495-22-1099 **Last Residence:**63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**26 Apr 1901 **Last Benefit:**65453 Cuba, Crawford, Missouri, United States of America **Died:**May 1981 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (Before 1951)

1981 Death

1981 Burial

Meramec Hills Memory Lawn Cemetery, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States
Summers, William R. 21 December 1886-29 August 1971 Mo. Pfc. WWI
Summers, Elizabeth 1901-1981

Mary married **William Reuben Summers**, son of **John Franklin "Frank" Summers** and **Mary Young Harmon**, on 20 May 1917 in Kimberlin Cemetery, Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. William was born on 21 December 1886 in Anthonies Mill, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 29 August 1971 in Cuba, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 84, and was buried in August 1971 in Meramec Hills Memory Lawn Cemetery, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1886 Birthblock for William Ruben Summers

Date from the 1900 census states he was born December 1886 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1887 in Missouri.

Date fom the WWI draft registration states he was born 21 December 1886.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1887 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1887 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born _

1900 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 185a, 12 June 1900, line 67, house 97, family 99

SUMMERS, John F. head w m born March 1859 age 41; Mary wife w f born September 1864 age 35; Ruben W. son w m born December 1886 age 13; Mayonea dau w f born April 1890 age 10; Mira dau w f born October 1891 age 8; Headly son w m born October 1894 age 5;

GREENLEE, Lewis boarder w m born July 1890 age 19

[John was born in Missouri as was his mother, his father born in Kentucky. mary born in Missouri as was her mother her father born in Virginia, the rest born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 15 years and Mary says she has had 4 children born and 4 are living. John

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is a farmer and owns his home. Living next door to Greenlee, Harmon, Pratt and other families.]

1910 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 232b, 5 May 1910, line 89, house 172, family 181

SUMMERS, Jns F. head w m 51; Mary Y. wife w f 46; Ruben W. son w m 23; Oma M. dau w f 20; Myra V. dau w f 18; Headlie B. son w m 15; John R. son w m 3

[John was born in Missouri as was his mother, his father born in Kentucky. Mary born in Missouri as was her mother her father born in Illinois, the rest born in Missouri as was their parents. This is their first marriage they have been married for 24 years and Mary says she has had 5 children born and 5 are living. John is a farmer and owns his home.]

1917 Marriage

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Mary E Dace Marriage Date: 20 May 1917 Marriage Location: Anthonies Mill, Washington, Missouri Marriage County: Washington Spouse Name: William R Summers

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: William Ruben Summers City: Anthonies Mill County: Washington State: Missouri Birthplace: Missouri; United States of America Birth Date: 21 December 1886 Race: American Roll: 1683936

Date: 5 June 1917 has wife working for John Frank Summers.

1920 Federal Census

Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page 221a, 3 January 1920, line 27, farm 26, family 26

SUMMERS, John F. head w m 60; Mary Y. wife w f 56; Benjamin H. son w m 25; William R. son w m 33; Mary E. daunlw w f 18; John R. son w m 12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary's father born in Ohio. John is a farmer and owns his home.]

1930 Federal Census

Walton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, page

Name: William R Summers **Home in 1930:** **Age:** 43 **Estimated Birth Year:** abt 1887

Birthplace: Missouri **Relation to Head of House:** Head **Spouse's Name:** Mary E

Race: White **Occupation:** **Education:** **Military service:** **Rent/home value:** **Age at first marriage:**

SUMMERS, William R 43 Mary E 28 Marvin R 8 Dale W 3 5/12

1971 Death

1971 Burial

Meramec Hills Memory Lawn Cemetery, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Summers, William R. 21 December 1886-29 August 1971 Mo. Pfc. WWI

Summers, Elizabeth 1901-1981

Social Security Death Index

Name: William Summers **SSN:** 487-36-0290 **Last Residence:** 65453 Cuba, Crawford, Missouri, United States of America **Born:** 21 Dec 1886 **Died:** Aug 1971 **State (Year) SSN**

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issued: Missouri (Before 1951)

Children from this marriage were:

+ 381 M i. **Marvin R. Summers** was born in 1922 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

+ 382 M ii. **Dale W. Summers** was born in 1926 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

164. Ellen Dace (*Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born on 24 June 1903 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 3 February 1923 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 19, and was buried on 4 February 1923 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. She never married and had no children.

CENSUS: 1910 Franklin Co., MO., Boone Twsp., page 131B, house 241, 10th & 11th May 1910:

DACE, Michael E.	head w m age 48 mar1 16yrs born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Sarah A.	wife w f age 44 mar1 16yrs born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN
James M.	son w m age 15 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Oscar E.	son w m age 14 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Mary E.	dau w f age 8 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Ellen	dau w f age 6 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

(Sarah say she has had 6 children born and 4 are living)

moved to Brazil, Washington Co., in the year 1911

CENSUS: 1920 Washington Co., MO, Johnson Twsp., 2 Jan 1920, House 15, page 1B:

DACE, Michael E.	head w m age: 57 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Sarah A.	wife w f age: 55 born: MO Fa: TN Mo: TN
Oscar E.	son w m age: 24 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO
Ellen	dau w f age: 16 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

(next door to son, James M. Dace.)

1923 Death

Ellen Dace February 03, 1923 Franklin 4478

165. Lora Grace Blanton (*Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 25 May 1907 in Leslie, Lyon Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 15 October 1995 in Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 88, and was buried in October 1995 in Crow Cemetery, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1907 Birthblock for Lora Grace (BLANTON)

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1908 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1907 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1907 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born 25 May 1907.

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1910 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 29a, 4 May 1910, line 8, house 272, family 275

BLANTON, Martin V. head w m 42; Anna wife w f 28; Lora G. dau w f 2; Minnie E. dau w f 10/12

[All born in Missouri except Anna born in Illinois, Martin's parents born in Tennessee. Anna's father born in Tennessee her mother born in the US. The children's father born in Missouri, their mother in Illinois. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 5 years. Anna says she had had 2 children born 2 are living. Martin is a farmer and is renting.]

1920 Federal Census

Stanton Town, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 194a, 13 January 1920, line 31, dwelling 40, family 40

BLANTON, M.[Martin] V.[Van Buren] head w m 39; Anna wife w f 38; Grace dau w f 13; Minnie dau w f 10; Daisy dau w f 7; Walter son w m 2 2/12

[All born in Missouri except Anna born in Illinois, Martin's parents born in Tennessee. Anna's father born in Tennessee her mother born in the Illinois. The children's father born in Missouri, Grace, Minnie and Daisy's mother born in Tennessee and Walter's mother born in Illinois. Martin is a laborer in the mines and is renting. Living a few doors down from the George & Lula Mae (**WEST**) Doyle family, Grace's future husband George Edward Doyle Jr.]

1923-1924 Marriage

1930 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page

Name:George Doyle **Home in 1930:**Meramec, Franklin, Missouri **Age:**29 **Estimated**

Birth Year:abt 1901 **Birthplace:**Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head

Spouse's Name:Grace L **Race:**White

DOYLE, George 29 Grace L 23 Tracy H 5 Mary M 3 5/12 Dorothy J 2 3/12

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about Lora G. Doyle

Name:Lora G. Doyle **SSN:**486-20-9848 **Last Residence:**63069 Pacific, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**25 May 1907 **Died:**15 Oct 1995 **State (Year)** **SSN issued:**Missouri (Before 1951)

FAG# 59667970

Lora Grace (BLANTON) Doyle {FAG# 59667970} was born 25 May 1907 - Leslie, Lyon Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 15 October 1995 - Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried October 1995 - Crow Cemetery, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Martin Van Buren Blanton {FAG# 53688871} (1868-1935) Mother: Anna (BURTON) (1887-1962). Spouse: George Edward Doyle Jr. {FAG# 59667934} (7 March 1901 - 16 July 1969) Marriage: 1924-1925. Children: (not inclusive) Tracy H. Doyle (1925-) Mary M. (DOYLE) (1927-) Dorothy J. (DOYLE) (1928-)

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Lora married **George Edward Doyle Jr.**, son of **George Edward Doyle Sr.** and **Lula Mae West**, from 1924 to 1925. George was born on 7 March 1901 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 16 July 1969 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 68, and was buried in July 1969 in Crow Cemetery, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1902 Birthblock for George Edward Doyle Jr.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1902 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 8 June 1893.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1903 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1901 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born _

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1910 Federal Census

Meramec, Franklin, Missouri

Name:George E Doyle **Age in 1910:**34 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1876

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Father's Birth Place:**England

Mother's Birth Place:Missouri **Spouse's Name:**Lulu **Home in 1910:** **Marital Status:**Married

Race:White **Gender:**Male

DOYLE, George E 34 **Lulu** 33 **William M** 12 **Shelby** 11 **John** 9 **George**

8 **Myrtle** 7 **Tommy** 5 _

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1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:George Edward Doyle **City:**Stanton **County:**Franklin **State:**Missouri

Birthplace:Missouri;United States of America **Birth Date:**8 June 1893 **Race:**Caucasian

(White) **Roll:**1683213 **Date:** 5 June 1917

Single Born: Spring Bluff, Mo.

[It appears he may have misrepresented his birthdate so he could get drafted or join up. We know by the 1910 census is is 8 years old. In the 1920 census he was born in 1903 and in the 1930 census he was born in 1901, therefore he was born 1901-1903.]

1920 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States _

Name:George Doyle [George Soyle] **Home in 1920:**Meramec, Franklin, Missouri

Age:17 years **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1903 **Birthplace:**Missouri **Relation to Head of**

House:Son **Father's Name:**George **Father's Birth Place:**Missouri **Mother's**

Name:Lula **Mother's Birth Place:**Missouri **Marital Status:**Single **Race:**White

Sex:Male **Able to read:**Yes **Able to Write:**Yes **Image:**392

DOYLE, George 45 **Lula** 40 **Wetlie** 22 **Chelba** 20 **John** 19 **George** 17 **Myrtle** 16 **Thomas**

14 **Agnes** 4 **Albert** 9 **Frances** 4 **Ray** 5 **Lula May** 2 10/12

1923-1924 Marriage

1930 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page

Name:George Doyle **Home in 1930:**Meramec, Franklin, Missouri **Age:**29 **Estimated**

Birth Year:abt 1901 **Birthplace:**Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's**

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Name: Grace L **Race:** White

DOYLE, George 29 **Grace L** 23 **Tracy H** 5 **Mary M** 3 5/12 **Dorothy J** 2 3/12

Social Security Death Index

Name: George Doyle **SSN:** 489-18-3006 **Last Residence:** 65441 Bourbon, Crawford, Missouri, United States of America **Born:** 7 Mar 1901 **Died:** Jul 1969 **State (Year) SSN issued:** Missouri (Before 1951)

George Edward Doyle Jr. {FAG# 59667934} was born 7 March 1901 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 16 July 1969 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United and was buried July 1969 - Crow Cemetery, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: George Edward Doyle Sr. {FAG# 25428139} (1874-1966) Mother: Lula Mae (WEST) {FAG# 25428153} (1876-1945). Spouse: Lora Grace (BLANTON) {FAG# 59667970} (25 May 1907 - 15 October 1995) Marriage: 1924-1925. Children: (not inclusive) Tracy H. Doyle (1925-) Mary M. (DOYLE) (1927-) Dorothy J. (DOYLE) (1928-)

Children from this marriage were:

- + 383 M i. **Tracy H. Doyle** was born in 1925 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 384 F ii. **Mary M. Doyle** was born in 1927 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 385 F iii. **Dorothy J. Doyle** was born in 1928 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

166. Minnie Etta Blanton (*Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 7 June 1909 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 7 February 1986 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 76, and was buried in February 1986 in Stanton Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1909 Birthblock for Minnie Etta (BLANTON)

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1909 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1910 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1910 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born 7 June 1909.

Date from the SSDI states she was born _

1910 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 29a, 4 May 1910, line 8, house 272, family 275

BLANTON, Martin V. head w m 42; Anna wife w f 28; Lora G. dau w f 2; Minnie E. dau w f 10/12

[All born in Missouri except Anna born in Illinois, Martin's parents born in Tennessee. Anna's father born in Tennessee her mother born in the US. the children's father born in Missouri, their mother in Illinois. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 5 years. Anna says she had had 2 children born 2 are living. Martin is a farmer and is renting.]

1920 Federal Census

Stanton Town, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 194a, 13 January 1920, line 31, dwelling 40, family 40

BLANTON, M.[Martin] V.[Van Buren] head w m 39; Anna wife w f 38; Grace dau w f 13; Minnie dau w f 10; Daisy dau w f 7; Walter son w m 2 2/12

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[All born in Missouri except Anna born in Illinois, Martin's parents born in Tennessee. Anna's father born in Tennessee her mother born in the Illinois. The children's father born in Missouri, Grace, Minnie and Daisy's mother born in Tennessee and Walter's mother born in Illinois. Martin is a laborer in the mines and is renting. Living a few doors down from the George & Lula Mae (WEST) Doyle family, Grace's future husband George Edward Doyle Jr.]

1924-1925 Marriage

1930 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States _

Name: Tomas E Doyle **Home in 1930:** Meramec, Franklin, Missouri **Age:** 25 **Estimated Birth Year:** abt 1905 **Birthplace:** Missouri **Relation to Head of House:** Head **Spouse's Name:** Minnie E **Race:** White

DOYLE, Tomas E 25 **Minnie E** 20 **Virginia R** 5 **Tomas E** 2 9/12 **Clifton E** 2/12

1940 Federal Census age 53

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 4a,

DOYLE, Thomas E. head w m 36; Minnie wife w f 30; Virginia R. dau w f 14; Thomas E. son w m 12; Earl C. son w m 10; Minnie dau w f 8; **BURTON**, Anna mother-in-law w f 57

1986 Death

Date of 7 February 1986 from headstone.

1986 Burial

Stanton Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Doyle, Thomas E. 1 November 1904-29 April 1954

Doyle, Minnie Calvin 7 June 1909-7 February 1986

FAG# 46064751

Minnie Etta (BLANTON) Doyle Calvin {FAG# 46064751} was born 7 June 1909 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 7 February 1986 - Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried February 1986 - Stanton Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Martin Van Buren Blanton {FAG# 53688871} (1868-1935) Mother: Anna (BURTON) (1887-1962). Spouses: 1st spouse Thomas "Tommy" Everett Doyle {FAG# 46064826} (1 November 1904 - 29 April 1954) Marriage: 1923-1924. Children: (not inclusive) Virginia Ruth (DOYLE) Hamby {FAG# 29806667} (1925-1995) Thomas Everett Doyle Jr. (1927-) Clifton Earl Doyle (1930-) Possible second marriage _____ Calvin

Minnie married **Thomas "Tommy" Everett Doyle Sr.**, son of **George Edward Doyle Sr.** and **Lula Mae West**, from 1923 to 1924. Thomas was born on 1 November 1904 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 29 April 1954 in Stanton, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 49, and was buried on 30 April 1954 in Stanton Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1904 Birthblock for Thomas "Tommy" Everett Doyle

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1905 in Missouri.

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Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1906 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1905 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 1 November 1904 in Sullivan, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states he was born 1 November 1904.

Date from the SSDI states he was born _

1910 Federal Census

Meramec, Franklin, Missouri

Name:George E Doyle **Age in 1910:**34 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1876

Birthplace:Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Father's Birth Place:**England

Mother's Birth Place:Missouri **Spouse's Name:**Lulu **Home in 1910:** **Marital Status:**Married

Race:White **Gender:**Male

DOYLE, George E 34 Lulu 33 William M 12 Shelby 11 John 9 George

8 Myrtle 7 Tommy 5

1920 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States _

Name:George Doyle [George Soyle] **Home in 1920:**Meramec, Franklin, Missouri

Age:17 years **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1903 **Birthplace:**Missouri **Relation to Head of**

House:Son **Father's Name:**George **Father's Birth Place:**Missouri **Mother's**

Name:Lula **Mother's Birth Place:**Missouri **Marital Status:**Single **Race:**White

Sex:Male **Able to read:**Yes **Able to Write:**Yes **Image:**392

DOYLE, George 45 Lula 40 Wetilie 22 Chelba 20 John 19 George 17 Myrtle 16 Thomas

14 Agnes 4 Albert 9 Frances 4 Ray 5 Lula May 2 10/12

1930 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States _

Name:Tomas E Doyle **Home in 1930:**Meramec, Franklin, Missouri **Age:**25 **Estimated**

Birth Year:abt 1905 **Birthplace:**Missouri **Relation to Head of House:**Head **Spouse's**

Name:Minnie E **Race:**White

DOYLE, Tomas E 25 Minnie E 20 Virginia R 5 Tomas E 2 9/12 Clifton E

2/12

1940 Federal Census age 53

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 4a,

DOYLE, Thomas E. head w m 36; Minnie wife w f 30; Virginia R. dau w f 14; Thomas E. son w m 12; Earl C. son w m 10; Minnie dau w f 8; **BURTON,** Anna mother-in-law w f 57

1954 Death

Thomas E. Doyle April __, 1954 Franklin 11691

1954 Burial

Stanton Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Doyle, Thomas E. 1 November 1904-29 April 1954

Doyle, Minnie Calvin 7 June 1909-7 February 1986

FAG# 46064826

Thomas "Tommy" Everett Doyle Sr. {} was born 1 November 1904 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp,

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Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 29 April 1954 - Stanton, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried 30 April 1954 - Stanton Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: George Edward Doyle Sr. {FAG# 25428139} (1874-1966) Mother: Lula Mae (**WEST**) {FAG#+ 25428153} (1876-1945). Spouse: Minnie Etta (**BLANTON**) {FAG# 46064751} (7 June 1909 - 7 February 1986) Marriage: 1923-1924 Children: (not inclusive) Virginia Ruth (**DOYLE**) Hamby {FAG# 29806667} (1925-1995) Thomas Everett Doyle Jr. (1927-) Clifton Earl Doyle (1930-)- Floyd Thomas Pratt, F.H.C., M.A.G.I.
Added: Sep. 17, 2012

Children from this marriage were:

- + 386 F i. **Virginia Ruth Doyle** was born on 6 May 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 April 1995 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 69, and was buried in April 1995 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Virginia married **Max Leroy Hamby** (d. 15 November 2000) on 26 February 1946 in Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.
- + 387 M ii. **Thomas Everett Doyle Jr.** was born on 25 August 1927 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 18 November 1981 at age 54, and was buried in November 1981 in Stanton Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 388 M iii. **Clifton Earl Doyle** was born in 1930 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

167. Leo Franklin Blanton (*Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 15 September 1910 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 6 October 1916 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 6, and was buried on 6 October 1916 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. He never married and had no children.

1910 Birthblock for Leo Franklin Blanton

Date from death certificate states he was born 15 September 1910 in Crawford County, Missouri.
Date from headstone states he was born 15 October 1910

1916 Death

Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics File #34004

Leo Franklin Blanton was born 15 September 1910 at Crawford County, Missouri to Martin V.B. Blanton born Washington County, Missouri and Anna Burton born Dhalgreen, Illinois. He died 6 October 1916 at Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri and was buried on 6 October 1916 at Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Missouri. The informant was M.V.B. Blanton, Sullivan, Missouri.

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Leo Franklin Blanton October 06, 1916 Franklin 34004

1916 Burial

Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Blanton, Leo F. 15 October 1910-6 October 1916 aged 5 years, 11 months son of M.V. & Anna Blanton buried next to father

168. Daisy Meriel Blanton (*Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 1 September 1912 in Stanton, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1912 Birthblock for Daisy Meriel (BLANTON)

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1913 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born _

1920 Federal Census

Stanton Town, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 194a, 13 January 1920, line 31, dwelling 40, family 40

BLANTON, M.[Martin] V.[Van Buren] head w m 39; Anna wife w f 38; Grace dau w f 13; Minnie dau w f 10; Daisy dau w f 7; Walter son w m 2 2/12

[All born in Missouri except Anna born in Illinois, Martin's parents born in Tennessee. Anna's father born in Tennessee her mother born in the Illinois. The children's father born in Missouri, Grace, Minnie and Daisy's mother born in Tennessee and Walter's mother born in Illinois. Martin is a laborer in the mines and is renting. Living a few doors down from the George & Lula Mae (WEST) Doyle family, Grace's future husband George Edward Doyle Jr.]

Daisy married **Homer Woodcock**, son of **John Franklin Woodcock** and **Estelle "Stella" Manion**,. Homer was born in 1908 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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1910 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 239a, 22 & 23 April 1910, line 54, house 237, family 256

WOODCOCK, John head w m 36; Estella wife w f 34; Claud son w m 11; Alfred son w m 10; Opal dau w m 6; Homer son w m 1 9/12

[All born in Missouri including parents except Estella's father born in Arkansas and her mother born in Pennsylvania. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 12 years. Estella says she has had 5 children born and 4 are living. John is a farmer and owns his farm.]

1920 Federal Census

Spring Bluff Road, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 190a, 2 & 3 January 1920, line 20, farm 5, family 5

WOODCOCK, John head w m 46; Claude son w m 21; Alfred son w m 20; Opal dau w f 16; Homer son w m 10; Vieman son w m 27

[All born in Missouri including parents except John's mother born in Illinois. John is a widower and a farmer and owns his farm.]

169. Walter Sanford Blanton (*Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 18 December 1917 near Stanton Town, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 January 1974 in Searcy, White, Arkansas, United States at age 56, and was buried in January 1974 in Searcy, White, Arkansas, United States.

1917 Birthblock for Walter Sanford Blanton

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1917 in Missouri.

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Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1918 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the SSDI states he was born

1920 Federal Census

Stanton Town, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 194a, 13 January 1920, line 31, dwelling 40, family 40

BLANTON, M.[Martin] V.[Van Buren] head w m 39; Anna wife w f 38; Grace dau w f 13; Minnie dau w f 10; Daisy dau w f 7; Walter son w m 2 2/12

[All born in Missouri except Anna born in Illinois, Martin's parents born in Tennessee. Anna's father born in Tennessee her mother born in the Illinois. The children's father born in Missouri, Grace, Minnie and Daisy's mother born in Tennessee and Walter's mother born in Illinois. Martin is a laborer in the mines and is renting. Living a few doors down from the George & Lula Mae (WEST) Doyle family, Grace's future husband George Edward Doyle Jr.]

1930 Federal Census

Meramec Twsp., Franklin Co., MO., page 284B, house 69, 12 Apr 1930:

BLANTON, Martin V. head w m age: 68 mar at 36 born: MO Fa: US Mo: TN Brakeman mine railroad

Anna wife w f age: 48 mar at 22 born: IL Fa: TN Mo: IL

Walter S. son w m age: 12 sng born: MO Fa: MO Mo: IL

Social Security Death Index

Name:Walter Blanton **SSN:**495-18-0739 **Last Residence:**72143 Searcy, White, Arkansas, United States of America **Born:**18 Dec 1917 **Died:**Jan 1974 **State (Year)**

SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Walter married **Fern Marie Herron**, daughter of **Worley Abner Herron** and **Orpha Catherine Brown**, on 15 July 1939 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Fern was born on 16 July 1921 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 277a, 18 April 1930, line 89, house 358, family 371

Name:Fern M Herron **Home in 1930:**Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri **Age:**8 **Estimated Birth Year:**abt 1922 **Relation to Head of House:**Daughter **Father's Name:**Worley A **Mother's Name:**Orpha C

HERRON, Worley A. head w m 45; Orpha C. wife w f 36; Walter L. son w m 17; Harold E. son w m 15; Nellie I. dau w f 13; Fern M. dau w f 8

[Worley was born in Missouri, his parents in Indiana, Orpha was born in Illinois as was her parents, Walter, Harold & Nellie born in Illinois, Fern born in Missouri the children's father was born in Missouri, their mother was born in Illinois. Worley was first married at age 25, Orpha was first married at age 17. Worley is a house painter and he owns his home.]

Children from this marriage were:

+ 389 M i. **Troy Blanton** was born on 4 May 1941 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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Troy married **Hilda Ann Hilliard** on 15 August 1960 in San Antonio, Bexar, Texas, United States.

- + 390 F ii. **Judith Ann Blanton** was born on 19 December 1944 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

Judith married **George Melvin Wilkinson** on 25 July 1964 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

- + 391 M iii. **David Eugene Blanton** was born on 20 October 1950 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

David married **Debra Ann Hare** on 30 June 1973 in Rose Bud, White, Arkansas, United States.

David next married **Karen Sue Cooper** on 28 July 1989.

170. Edna Souders (*Delila Catherine Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in September 1893 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

171. Caric C. Souders (*Delila Catherine Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in April 1896 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

172. Earl Robert Souders (*Delila Catherine Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 23 December 1898 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1918 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Earl Robert Souders **City:** Leslie **County:** Searcy **State:** Arkansas **Birth Date:** 23 December 1899 **Race:** White **Roll:** 1530578 nearest relative: Chalres Souders [brother], Leslie, Searcy, Arkansas Date: 12 September 1918

173. Pearl Souders (*Delila Catherine Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 23 December 1898 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 July 1902 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 3, and was buried in July 1902 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. She never married and had no children.

174. Charles "Charley" L. Souders (*Delila Catherine Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1902 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

175. William Ellsworth Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Jr.*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 15 July 1894 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died after 1917.

1894 Birthblock for William Elsworth Blanton

Date from the 1900 census states he was born July 1894 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1895 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 15 July 1894 in Sullivan, Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

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Date from the SSDI states he was born

1900 Federal Census

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186a, 2
June 1900, line 32, house 31, family 32

BLANTON, Albert head w m born May 1872 age 28; Alice wife w f born June 1876 age 24;
William son w m born July 1894 age 5; Mary dau w f born March 1897 age 3; Annie dau w f born
September 1899 age 8/12

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. They have
been married 6 years and Alice says she has had 3 children born 3 are living. Albert is a day
laborer and they are renting.]

1910 Federal Census

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 19 & 20
April 1910, line 90, house 171, family 174

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 37; Alice wife w f 34; Willie son w m 15; Addie dau w f 13; Annie
dau w f 11; James son w m 5; Eva dau w f 2

[All born in Missouri including parents except Elbert's parents born in Tennessee and Alice's
parents born in Indiana. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 16 years. Alice
say she had 6 children born and 5 are living. Elbert is a laborer Alice is a washerwoman and they
are renting.]

1917 Marriage of William Ellsworth Blanton and Mary (KING)

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:William Blanton of Sullivan Marriage Date:22 Apr 1917 Marriage Location:Sullivan,
Franklin, MO Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Mary King of Sullivan

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:William Ellsworth Blanton City:Sullivan County:Franklin State:Missouri

Birthplace:Sullivan, Missouri Birth Date:15 Jul 1894 Race:Caucasian (White) Roll:1683213
wife date 5 June 1917

William married **Mary King** on 22 April 1917 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United
States. Mary died after 1917.

1917 Marriage of William Ellsworth Blanton and Mary (KING)

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:William Blanton of Sullivan Marriage Date:22 Apr 1917 Marriage Location:Sullivan,
Franklin, MO Marriage County:Franklin Spouse Name:Mary King of Sullivan

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:William Ellsworth Blanton City:Sullivan County:Franklin State:Missouri

Birthplace:Sullivan, Missouri Birth Date:15 Jul 1894 Race:Caucasian (White) Roll:1683213 wife
date 5 June 1917

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The child from this marriage was:

+ 392 F i. **Wilma L. Blanton** was born in 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

176. Mary Addie Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Jr.* ³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born in March 1897 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died after 1930.

1897 Birthblock for Mary Addie (BLANTON) son of Elbert "Albert" Sevier Jr. & Mary Alice (GARNER) Blanton

Mary Addie (**BLANTON**) was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States in March 1897.

Date from the 1900 census states she was born March 1897 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1897 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1898 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1898 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

1900 Federal Census

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186a, 2

June 1900, line 32, house 31, family 32

BLANTON, Albert head w m born May 1872 age 28; Alice wife w f born June 1876 age 24;

William son w m born July 1894 age 5; Mary dau w f born March 1897 age 3; Annie dau w f born September 1899 age 8/12

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. They have been married 6 years and Alice says she has had 3 children born 3 are living. Albert is a day laborer and they are renting.]

1910 Federal Census

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 19 & 20

April 1910, line 90, house 171, family 174

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 37; Alice wife w f 34; Willie son w m 15; Addie dau w f 13; Annie dau w f 11; James son w m 5; Eva dau w f 2

[All born in Missouri including parents except Elbert's parents born in Tennessee and Alice's parents born in Indiana. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 16 years. Alice say she had 6 children born and 5 are living. Elbert is a laborer Alice is a washerwoman and they are renting.]

1916 Marriage of Floyd Prather and Mary Addie (BLANTON)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name: Addie Blanton Marriage Date: 18 Dec 1916 Marriage Location: Potosi, Washington,

Missouri Marriage County: Washington Spouse Name: Floy Prather

1917 Husband's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: Floyd Prather City: Richwoods County: Washington State: Missouri Birthplace: Moselle, Missouri; United States of America Birth Date: 15 Aug 1893 Race: Caucasian (White)

Roll: 1683936

wife & child 5 June 1917

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1920 Federal Census

St Louis Ward 24, St Louis (Independent City), Missouri

PRATHER, Floyd 26; Addi 22; Paul 2 5/12

1930 Federal Census

St Louis (Independent City), Missouri

PRATHER, Floyd 36; Addie 32; Paul 12.11mos; Elnore 9 6/12

Mary married **Floyd Prather**, son of **James Alexander Prather** and **Fidelia Nancy Bay**, on 18 December 1916 in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Floyd was born on 15 August 1893 in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 September 1958 in Robert Koch Hospital, Koch, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 65, and was buried on 9 September 1958 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1892 Birthblock for Floyd Prather son of James Alexander & Fidelia Nancy (BAY) Prather

Floyd Prather was born in Moselle, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 15 August 1893._

Date from the 1900 census states he was born August 1892 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1894 in Missouri.

Date from the WWI draft registration states he was born 15 August 1893 in Moselle, Franklin, Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1894 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1894 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born 15 August 1893 in Moselle, Missouri.

Date from the headstone states he was born

1900 Federal Census

Union, Franklin, Missouri

PRATHER, James 36; Fidelia 30; Susan 11; Grover 9; Floyd 7; Essie 3

1910 Federal Census

Meramec Ward 1, Franklin, Missouri

PRATHER, James 44; Fidelia 39; Grover 20; Floyd 16; Essie 12; Edna 10; Myrtle 5; Walter 3

1916 Marriage of Floyd Prather and Mary Addie (BLANTON)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Addie Blanton Marriage Date:18 Dec 1916 Marriage Location:Potosi, Washington, Missouri

Marriage County:Washington Spouse Name:Floy Prather

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Floyd Prather City:Richwoods County:Washington State:Missouri Birthplace:Moselle, Missouri;United States of America Birth Date:15 Aug 1893 Race:Caucasian (White)

Roll:1683936

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wife & child 5 June 1917

1920 Federal Census

St Louis Ward 24, St Louis (Independent City), Missouri

PRATHER, Floyd 26; Addi 22; Paul 2 5/12

1930 Federal Census

St Louis (Independent City), Missouri

PRATHER, Floyd 36; Addie 32; Paul 12 .11mos; Elnore 9 6/12

1958 Death of Floyd Prather

Floyd Prather died at Robert Koch Hospital, Koch, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 5 September 1958.

Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #35116

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Floyd Prather September 05, 1958 St. Louis 35116

[<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>](http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search)

1958 Burial of Floyd Prather

Odd Fellows Cemetery(IOOF), Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Children from this marriage were:

+ 393 M i. **Paul Prather** was born in 1918.

+ 394 F ii. **Eleanor Prather** was born in 1921 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

177. Anna "Annie" G. Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Jr.*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in September 1899 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died after 1920.

1899 Birthblock for Anna "Annie" G. (BLANTON)

Date from the 1900 census states she was born September 1899 in Missouri.

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1899 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1901 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born _

1900 Federal Census

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186a, 2

June 1900, line 32, house 31, family 32

BLANTON, Albert head w m born May 1872 age 28; Alice wife w f born June 1876 age 24;

William son w m born July 1894 age 5; Mary dau w f born March 1897 age 3; Annie dau w f born September 1899 age 8/12

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. They have been married 6 years and Alice says she has had 3 children born 3 are living. Albert is a day laborer and they are renting.]

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1910 Federal Census

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 19 & 20 April 1910, line 90, house 171, family 174

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 37; Alice wife w f 34; Willie son w m 15; Addie dau w f 13; Annie dau w f 11; James son w m 5; Eva dau w f 2

[All born in Missouri including parents except Elbert's parents born in Tennessee and Alice's parents born in Indiana. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 16 years. Alice say she had 6 children born and 5 are living. Elbert is a laborer Alice is a washerwoman and they are renting.]

1920 Federal Census

Miller? Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 179b, 5 & 6 January 1920, line 69, house 118, family 133

BLANTON, Elbert S. head w m 48; Alice M. wife w f 43; Anna G. dau w f 19; James E. son w m 14; Eva A. dau w f 11; Wilma L. gdau 10/12

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. Elbert is a teamster on the railroad and they are renting.]

178. James E. Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Jr.* ³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 19 February 1905 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died in September 1985 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 80.

1905 Birthblock for James E. Blanton

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1905 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1906 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the SSDI states he was born

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1910 Federal Census

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 19 & 20 April 1910, line 90, house 171, family 174

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 37; Alice wife w f 34; Willie son w m 15; Addie dau w f 13; Annie dau w f 11; James son w m 5; Eva dau w f 2

[All born in Missouri including parents except Elbert's parents born in Tennessee and Alice's parents born in Indiana. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 16 years. Alice say she had 6 children born and 5 are living. Elbert is a laborer Alice is a washerwoman and they are renting.]

1920 Federal Census

Miller? Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 179b, 5 & 6 January 1920, line 69, house 118, family 133

BLANTON, Elbert S. head w m 48; Alice M. wife w f 43; Anna G. dau w f 19; James E. son w m 14; Eva A. dau w f 11; Wilma L. gdau 10/12

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. Elbert is a teamster on the railroad and they are renting. Wilma is the daughter of their son; William Ellsworth

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& Mary (**KING**) Blanton.]

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 271a, 11 April 1930, line 15, house 189, family 199

BLANTON, James E. head w m 25; Nora V. wife w f 17

[All born in Missouri including their parents. James was first married at age 24 and Nora at age 17. James is an inspetor at a shoe factory. They are renting.]

1985 Death

1985 Burial

Social Security Death Index

Name:James Blanton **SSN:**493-01-1290 **Last Residence:**63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**19 Feb 1905 **Last Benefit:**63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Died:**Sep 1985 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (Before 1951)

James married **Nora V.** from 1928 to 1929. Nora was born on 23 July 1912 in Missouri, United States and died on 28 March 2002 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 89.

Social Security Death Index

Name:Nora V. Blanton **SSN:**498-22-3156 **Last Residence:**63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**23 Jul 1912 **Died:**28 Mar 2002 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (Before 1951)

179. Eva A. Blanton (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Jr.* ³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born in 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1908 Birthblock for Eva A. (BLANTON)

Date from the 1910 census states she was born 1908 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born 1909 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born

Date from the obituary states she was born _

1910 Federal Census

Vine Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 235b, 19 & 20 April 1910, line 90, house 171, family 174

BLANTON, Elbert head w m 37; Alice wife w f 34; Willie son w m 15; Addie dau w f 13; Annie dau w f 11; James son w m 5; Eva dau w f 2

[All born in Missouri including parents except Elbert's parents born in Tennessee and Alice's parents born in Indiana. This is their first marriage and they have been married for 16 years. Alice say she had 6 children born and 5 are living. Elbert is a laborer Alice is a washerwoman and they

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are renting.]

1920 Federal Census

Miller? Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 179b, 5 & 6 January 1920, line 69, house 118, family 133

BLANTON, Elbert S. head w m 48; Alice M. wife w f 43; Anna G. dau w f 19; James E. son w m 14; Eva A. dau w f 11; Wilma L. gdau 10/12

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. Elbert is a teamster on the railroad and they are renting. Wilma is the daughter of their son; William Ellsworth & Mary (**KING**) Blanton.]

180. Bessie L. Moss (*Lucy Adeline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1905 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 32a, 9 & 10 May 1910, line 15, house 342, family 345

MOSS, George W. head w m 30; Lucy A. wife w f 31; Bessie L. dau w f 5; Daniel S. son w m 3; Samuel C. son w m 3/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Lucy's parents born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage they have been married for 9 years and Lucy says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. George is a laborer at odd jobs and is renting.]

1920 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 9 January 1920, line 50, farm 54, family 54

MOSS, George D. head w m 40; [page 178b] Lucy A. wife w f 42; Bessie L dau w f 15; Daniel S. son w m 12; Samuel C. son w m 10; Ollie A. dau w f 7

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. George is a woodsman and is renting.]

181. Daniel S. Moss (*Lucy Adeline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 28 April 1907 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 4 February 1989 in Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in February 1989 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1907 Burthblock for Daniel S. Moss

Date from the 1910 census states he was born 1907 in Missouri.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born 1908 in Missouri.

Date from the 1930 census states he was born

Date from the WWII military involvement states he was born

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the SSDI states he was born

Date from the obituary states he was born

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1910 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 32a, 9 & 10 May 1910, line 15, house

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342, family 345

MOSS, George W. head w m 30; Lucy A. wife w f 31; Bessie L. dau w f 5; Daniel S. son w m 3; Samuel C. son w m 3/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Lucy's parents born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage they have been married for 9 years and Lucy says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. George is a laborer at odd jobs and is renting.]

1920 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 9 January 1920, line 50, farm 54, family 54

MOSS, George D. head w m 40; [page 178b] Lucy A. wife w f 42; Bessie L. dau w f 15; Daniel S. son w m 12; Samuel C. son w m 10; Ollie A. dau w f 7

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. George is a woodsman and is renting.]

1927-1930 Marriage

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 281a, 22 April 1930, line 33, house 446, family 460

MOSS, Daniel S. head w m 22; Rose C. wife w f 22; June R. dau w f 10/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Daniel was first married at age 21, Rose at age 20. Daniel is a caster at a shoe factory. They are renting.]

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about Daniel S. Moss

Name:Daniel S. Moss **SSN:**493-01-1477 **Last Residence:**63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**28 Apr 1907 **Died:**4 Feb 1989 **State (Year)**

SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Daniel married **Rose C.** on 20 April 1928. Rose was born on 5 January 1908, died on 14 October 1996 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 88, and was buried in October 1996 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about Rose C. Moss

Name:Rose C. Moss **SSN:**493-01-1183 **Last Residence:**63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**5 Jan 1908 **Died:**14 Oct 1996 **State (Year)**

SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

The child from this marriage was:

+ 395 F i. **June R. Moss** was born in 1930 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

182. Samuel Ferris Compus Moss (*Lucy Adeline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*²,

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*Abraham Absalom*¹⁾ was born on 24 July 1909 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died in May 1983 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 73, and was buried in May 1983 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 32a, 9 & 10 May 1910, line 15, house 342, family 345

MOSS, George W. head w m 30; Lucy A. wife w f 31; Bessie L. dau w f 5; Daniel S. son w m 3; Samuel C. son w m 3/12

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Lucy's parents born in Tennessee. This is their first marriage they have been married for 9 years and Lucy says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. George is a laborer at odd jobs and is renting.]

1920 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 178a, 9 January 1920, line 50, farm 54, family 54

MOSS, George D. head w m 40; [page 178b] Lucy A. wife w f 42; Bessie L dau w f 15; Daniel S. son w m 12; Samuel C. son w m 10; Ollie A. dau w f 7

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. George is a woodsman and is renting.]

Social Security Death Index

Name:Samuel Moss SSN:488-01-6637 Last Residence:63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America Born:24 Jul 1909 Last Benefit:63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America Died:May 1983 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Samuel married **Wilma L.** Wilma was born in 1914, died in Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

183. Ollie A. Moss (*Lucy Adeline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹⁾ was born in 1913 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

184. William Blanton (*Austin Clark*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹⁾ was born on 22 April 1884 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 23 November 1915 in Robert Koch Hospital, Koch, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 31, and was buried on 1 December 1915 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

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185. Lillie Blanton (*Austin Clark*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹⁾ was born on 12 January 1896 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died in June 1968 in Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 72.

186. John Blanton (*Austin Clark*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹⁾ was born in February 1897 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

187. Rosa May Blanton (*Austin Clark*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹⁾ was born on 29 November 1898 in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States, died

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on 28 August 1951 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 52, and was buried on 30 August 1951 in Marvin Chapel Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Rosa married **William R. Byington** on 23 November 1916 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. William was born on 25 June 1874 in Missouri, United States, died on 1 March 1944 at age 69, and was buried in 1972 in Marvin Chapel Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

188. Eva Myrtle Blanton (*Austin Clark*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 5 July 1900 in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States, died on 10 July 1917 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 17, and was buried on 11 July 1917 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

1900 Childbirth of daughter; Eva Myrtle (BLANTON)

Eva Myrtle (**BLANTON**) was born in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States on 5 July 1900.

1900-1901 Death of spouse; Mary Jane (GREENWOOD) Blanton

Mary Jane (**GREENWOOD**) Blanton died in Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States after 5 July 1900, Eva's birth date and the 1910 census date.

1910 Federal Census age 47

County Road, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 46b, & 47a, 16 April 1910, line 3, house 31, family 33

BLANTON, Austin head w m 51; Lillie dau w f 14; John son w m 13; Rosa dau w f 11; Eva dau w f 9; Margaret mother w f 75; William brother w m 34

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Margaret's parents born in Tennessee. Living in his brother; Charles Henry Blanton's house. Austin is widowed and had been married 15 years. Margaret is widowed and has had 9 children born and 3 are living. Austin works in a lead mill and is renting.]

1917 Death of mother; Margaret Serice (BLANTON) Blanton

Margaret Serice (**BLANTON**) Blanton died in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 30 May 1917.

Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #26348

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Eva Myrtle Blanton July 10, 1917 St. Francois 26348
<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

Find A Grave Memorial# 94764831

Eva Myrtle Blanton Birth: Jul. 5, 1900 Missouri, USA Death: Jul. 10, 1917 Bonne Terre St. Francois County Missouri, USA Daughter of Austin Clark Blanton and Mary Jane Greenwood. Family links: Parents: Austin Clark Blanton (1863 - 1927) FAG#94764897 Burial: Bonne Terre Cemetery Bonne Terre St. Francois County Missouri, USA Created by: Dee Burris Blakley Record added: Aug 03, 2012

189. Cynthia Blanton (*Charles Henry*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in

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August 1892 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

190. Stella Blanton (*Charles Henry*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in October 1895 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

191. May Blanton (*Charles Henry*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in December 1897 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

May married **Baker**.

192. Della Blanton (*Charles Henry*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in December 1898 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

193. Charles "Charlie" Henry Blanton (*Charles Henry*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 11 October 1907 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 13 February 1963 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 55, and was buried on 16 February 1963 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. He never married and had no children.

FAG#* 97462349

Charles Henry "Charlie" Blanton {FAG#* 97462349} Birth: 11 October 1907 - Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Death: 13 February 1963 - City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States Burial: 16 February 1963 - Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States Parents Father: Charles Henry Blanton {FAG#* 97451323} (1869-1932) Mother: Mary Elizabeth (**PULLEN**) {FAG#* 97451470} (1869-1946)

1963 Obituary of Charles Henry "Charlie" Blanton

LEAD BELT NEWS, Flat River, St. Francois Co. MO, Wed. Feb. 20, 1963

CHARLES H. BLANTON

Charles Henry Blanton was born in Bonne Terre, Oct. 11, 1907, and died in the City Hospital, St. Louis, Wednesday, Feb. 13, 1963, aged 56 years 4 months 2 days. He was a son of the late Henry Blanton and Mary Pullen Blanton. Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon, Feb. 16, at the East Bonne Terre Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. Noel Johnson, assisted by the Rev. Everett C. Crites. Interment was in Bonne Terre Cemetery. C. Z. Boyer & Son Funeral Service of Bonne Terre. Surviving relatives are two sisters, Mrs. Fannie Baker of St. Louis and Mrs. Mildred Black of Bonne Terre. Mr. Blanton, who had never married, was a long-time member of the First Baptist Church in Bonne Terre.

194. Albertina Blanton (*Charles Henry*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 February 1907 in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 11 July 1930 in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 23, and was buried on 13 July 1930 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

1907 Birthblock of Albertina (BLANTON) daughter of Charles Henry and Mary Elizabeth (PULLEN) Blanton

Albertina (**BLANTON**) was born in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois,

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Missouri, United States on 10 February 1907. _

1910 Federal Census age 3

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 46b & 47a, 16 April 1910, house 31, **BLANTON**, C. Henry head w m 41; Mary E. wife w f 41; Stelle dau w f 15; May dau w f 13; Della dau w f 11; Charlie son w m 5; Ethel dau w f 3; Geraldine dau w f 7mos

[All born in Missouri as were their parents. They have been married for 18 years and this is their first marriage. Mary says she has had 9 children born and 7 are living. In the same house is Charles' brothers, Austin's family, William and his mother, Margaret.]

1920 Federal Census age 13

Second Street, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 54b, 5 February 1920, house 883

BLANTON, Henry C. head w m 52; Mary E. wife w f 50; Charles H. son w m 15; Albertine dau w f 12; Geraldine son w m 10; **HAVERSTICK**, Nellie gdau w f 10; **BLANTON**, Mildred G. dau w f 6

[All born in Missouri as were their parents except Henry and Mary state their parents were born in the US. Living next door to Hedgeman Asbridge family.]

1923-1924 Marriage of Edward Hayes and Albertina (BLANTON)

1925 Childbirth of daughter; Mary Ellen (HAYES)

Mary Ellen (**HAYES**) was born in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States in February 1935.

1930 Federal Census age 23

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 110a, 16 April 1930, house 19

BLANTON, Henry C. head w m 71; Mary wife w f 63; Charley son w m 35; Geraldine son w m 20; **HAYS**, Avateena dau w f 33; **BLANTON**, William J. brother w m 55; Mary E. granddau w f 5yrs 2mos

[Henry and William were born in Missouri, their father in Kentucky, their mother in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri as were their parents except Mary says her father was born in the US. Avateena is married.]

1930 Death of Albertina (BLANTON) Hayes

Albertina (**BLANTON**) Hayes died in East Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 11 July 1930..

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #24076

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Albertina Hayes July 11, 1930 St. Francois 24076

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

1930 Burial of Albertina (BLANTON) Hayes

Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

Albertina married **Edward Hayes** from 1923 to 1924.

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The child from this marriage was:

+ 396 F i. **Mary Ellen Hayes** was born in February 1925 in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

195. Geraldine Blanton (*Charles Henry*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 20 August 1909 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 10 May 1930 in Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 20, and was buried on 12 May 1930 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

1909 Birthblock of Geraldine Blanton son of Charles Henry and Mary Elizabeth (PULLEN) Blanton

Geraldine Blanton was born in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 20 August 1909. _

1910 Federal Census age 1

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 46b & 47a, 16 April 1910, house 31,

BLANTON, C. Henry head w m 41; Mary E. wife w f 41; Stelle dau w f 15; May dau w f 13;

Della dau w f 11; Charlie son w m 5; Ethel dau w f 3; Geraldine dau w f 7mos

[All born in Missouri as were their parents. They have been married for 18 years and this is their first marriage. Mary says she has had 9 children born and 7 are living. In the same house is Charles' brothers, Austin's family, William and his mother, Margaret.]

1920 Federal Census age 11

Second Street, East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 54b, 5 February 1920, house 883

BLANTON, Henry C. head w m 52; Mary E. wife w f 50; Charles H. son w m 15; Albertine dau w f 12; Geraldine son w m 10; **HAVERSTICK**, Nellie gdau w f 10; **BLANTON**, Mildred G.

dau w f 6

[All born in Missouri as were their parents except Henry and Mary state their parents were born in the US. Living next door to Hedgeman Asbridge family.]

1930 Federal Census age 21

Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 110a, 16 April 1930, house 19

BLANTON, Henry C. head w m 71; Mary wife w f 63; Charley son w m 35; Geraldine son w m 20; **HAYS**, Avateena dau w f 33; **BLANTON**, William J. brother w m 55; Mary E.

granddau w f 5yrs 2mos

[Henry and William were born in Missouri, their father in Kentucky, their mother in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri as were their parents except Mary says her father was born in the US. Avateena is married.]

1930 Death of Geraldine Blanton

Geraldine Blanton died in East Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States on 10 May 1930.

[1] Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #17154

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: Geraldine Blanton May 10, 1930 St. Francois 17154

<<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>>

1930 Burial of Geraldine Blanton

Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

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196. Ethel Irene Blanton (*Charles Henry*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 31 August 1909 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died in 1988 at age 79, and was buried in 1988 in Grandview Cemetery, Athens Twp, Gentry, Missouri, United States.

FAG# 18236488

Ethel Irene (**BLANTON**) Mock Wood {FAG# 18236488} was born 31 August 1909 - Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died 1988 and was buried 1988 - Grandview Cemetery, Athens Twp, Gentry, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Charles Henry Blanton {FAG#* 97451323} (1869-1932) Mother: Mary Elizabeth (**PULLEN**) {FAG#* 97451470} (1869-1946). Spouses: 1st spouse Robert Homer Mock {FAG#+ 18235004} (30 April 1901 - 1965) Marriage: 18 July 1928 - Kansas City, Kaw Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States 2nd spouse Charley Maurice Wood {FAG# 27376110} (11 June 1902 - 12 February 1982) Marriage: 9 August 1971 - Nodaway, Missouri, United States

Ethel married **Robert Homer Mock** on 18 July 1928 in Kansas City, Kaw Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States. Robert was born on 30 April 1901 in Martinsville, Dallas Twp, Harrison, Missouri, United States, died in 1965 at age 64, and was buried in 1965 in Grandview Cemetery, Athens Twp, Gentry, Missouri, United States.

Robert Homer Mock {FAG# 18235004} was born 30 April 1901 - Martinsville, Dallas Twp, Harrison, Missouri, United States and died 1965 and was buried 1965 - Grandview Cemetery, Athens Twp, Gentry, Missouri, United States. Spouse: Ethel Irene (BLANTON) {FAG# 18236488} (31 August 1909 - 1988) Marriage: 18 July 1928 - Kansas City, Kaw Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States

Ethel next married **Charley Maurice Wood** on 9 August 1971 in Nodaway, Missouri, United States. Charley was born on 11 June 1902, died on 12 February 1982 at age 79, and was buried in February 1982 in Miriam Cemetery, Maryville, Polk Twp, Nodaway, Missouri, United States.

197. Mildred Geneva Blanton (*Charles Henry*³, *John Allen*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 27 December 1912 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 9 April 1972 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 59, and was buried in April 1972 in Adams-Hillcrest Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

FAG# 15955618

Mildred Geneva (**BLANTON**) Black {FAG# 15955618} was born 27 December 1912 - Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died 9 April 1972 - Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and was buried April 1972 - Adams-Hillcrest Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Charles Henry Blanton {FAG#* 97451323} (1869-1932) Mother: Mary Elizabeth (**PULLEN**) {FAG#* 97451470} (1869-1946). Spouse: August Elvins Black {FAG# 15955309} (4 May 1907 - 19 April 1951) Marriage: 24 July 1927 - Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

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Mildred married **August "Gus" Elvin Black**, son of **Francis Nixon Black** and **Maggie Ellen Taylor**, on 24 July 1927 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. August was born on 4 May 1907 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 19 April 1951 in rural Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 43, and was buried on 22 April 1951 in Adams-Hillcrest Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

August E. Black April __, 1951 St. Francois 13705

198. Annie G. Blanton (*Henry W. A. ³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born in June 1882 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

Blanton

Annie

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St. Francois County

Edw. Boatright of Elvins, St. Francois Co., Mo. over 21; Annie Blanton of Elvins, St. Francois Co., Mo. over 18; 6 June 1908 license; married on 6 June 1908 by L. D. Nichol, ordained Preacher at Elvins, St. Francois Co., Mo.

Annie married **Edward Boatright**, son of **Thomas Boatright** and **Lucinda Coker**, on 6 June 1908 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. Edward was born in 1872 in Iron Twp, Iron, Missouri, United States.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 397 F i. **Susie Boatright** was born in 1900 in Homerville, Clinch, Georgia and died on 9 May 1988 at age 88.

199. Blanche L. Blanton (*Henry W. A. ³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born in March 1885 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

1910 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=7884&enc=1>>

about Blanch Levee

ntblName:Blanch Levee [Blanch Level] [Blanch Level] [Blanch Blanton] **ntbl Age in 1910:**25**ntbl Estimated birth year:** 1885**ntbl Birthplace:**Missouri**ntbl Relation to Head of House:**Daughter**ntbl Father's name:**Henry A Blanton**ntbl Father's Birth Place:**Missouri**ntbl Mother's name:**Martha Blanton **ntbl Mother's Birth Place:**Kentucky**ntbl Home in 1910:** St Francois, St Francois, Missouri**ntbl Marital Status:**Widowed**ntbl Race:**Whit**ntbl Gender:**Femal**ntbl Neighbors:**[View others on page](#) </cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&sin=C0000006&siv=31111 4330755-01039> **ntblHousehold Members: Name Agentbl** [Henry A Blanton](#)

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[53ntblMartha Blanton](#) <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=177605098>> 53**ntblHarry L Blanton**

[<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=177605099>](#) 22**ntblRoy F Blanton** <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=177605100>> 20**ntblHenry H Blanton**

[<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=177605101>](#)

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15ntblHomer Blanton <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=177605102>> *4ntblBlanch Levee* <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=14802384>> 25

Blanche married **Level**. Level died from 1900 to 1910 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

200. Harry Blanton (*Henry W. A.* ³, *Henry Hubert* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 30 July 1889 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

1910 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=7884&enc=1>>

about Harry L Blanton

ntblName:Harry L Blanton**ntbl Age in 1910:**22**ntbl Estimated birth**

year:1888**ntbl Birthplace:**Missouri**ntbl Relation to Head of House:** Son**ntbl**

Father's name:Henry A Blanton**ntbl Father's Birth Place:**Missouri**ntbl Mother's name:**Martha Blanton **ntbl Mother's Birth Place:**Missouri [Kentucky] **ntbl Home in**

1910:St Francois, St Francois, Missouri**ntbl Marital Status:** Single**ntbl**

Race:White**ntbl Gender:**Male**ntbl Neighbors:** [View others on page](#) </cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&sin=C0000006&siv=31111_4330755-01039>

ntblHousehold Members: Name Age ntbl*Henry A Blanton*

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53ntblMartha Blanton <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=177605098>>

53ntblHarry L Blanton <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=177605099>>

22ntblRoy F Blanton <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=177605100>>

20ntblHenry H Blanton <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=177605101>>

15ntblHomer Blanton <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=177605102>>

4ntblBlanch Levee <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1910USCenIndex&indiv=try&h=14802384>>

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World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Harry L Blanton **City:**Cartersville **County:**Jasper **State:**Missouri **Birthplace:**Salem, Missouri;United States of America **Birth Date:**30 July 1888 **Race:**Caucasian (White) **Roll:**1683222 5 june 1917

201. Roy Ernest Blanton (*Henry W. A.* ³, *Henry Hubert* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 5 August 1890 in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States and died on 30 January 1946 in Alameda, California, United States at age 55.

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Roy E Blanton **City:**San Francisco **County:**San Francisco **State:**California **Birthplace:**Sligo, Missouri;United States of America **Birth Date:**5 August 1890 **Race:**Caucasian (White) **Roll:**1544258 **DraftBoard:**10 5 June 1917

California Death Index, 1940-1997

ntblName:Roy Ernest Blanton**ntbl Social Security #:**550301638**ntbl Sex:**Male**ntbl Birth Date:**5 Aug 1890**ntbl Birthplace:**Missouri**ntbl Death Date:**30 Jan 1946**ntbl Death Place:**Alameda

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202. Minnie I. Blanton (*Henry W. A.³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 4 July 1894 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, died on 29 August 1959 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 65, and was buried on 1 September 1959 in Saint Paul's Churchyard, 7600 South Rock Hill Road, Afton, Saint Louis (county) Missouri, United States.

Minnie married **Albert Edward Nash**, son of **George Nash** and **Mary A. Flannery**, on 8 October 1909 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. Albert was born on 17 February 1891 in Doe Run, Pendleton Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 29 October 1954 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 63, and was buried on 1 November 1954 in Saint Paul's Churchyard, 7600 South Rock Hill Road, Afton, Saint Louis (county) Missouri, United States.

203. Henry H. Blanton (*Henry W. A.³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in June 1897 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States.

204. Effie J. Blanton (*James³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in November 1887 in Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 23 July 1930 in City Hospital #1, 1515 Lafayette Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 42, and was buried on 30 July 1930 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States. She never married and had no children.

1930 Death

Effie Blanton July 23, 1930 St. Louis St. Louis 25413

205. Ida Blanton (*James³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 26 December 1890 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 10 December 1937 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 46, and was buried on 11 December 1937 in Woodlawn Cemetery, Leadington, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. She never married and had no children.

! SEE OBIT in Irene Murdick file.

1937 Death

Ida Blanton December 10, 1937 St. Francois 46576

1937 Obituary

Ida Blanton

Ida Blanton, daughter of the late James Blanton and of Ada Hill Blanton, was born Jan. 26, 1890, at Sullivan, Mo., and died at the home of her brother, Irvin Blanton, in Flat River on December 10, 1937, at the age of 46 years, 11 months and 14 days, death being due to heart trouble. Funeral services were conducted at the Assembly of God Tabernacle in Elvins by Rev. J.O. Highfill, pastor. Interment was in Woodlawn in charge of Hood Undertakers. Miss Blanton had been a semi invalid since eight years of age, due to an attack of typhoid fever. She had been ill the past two weeks before her death of a heart complaint. Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Ada Hill Blanton, of Valles Mines; two brothers and a sister, Howard of Ray, Ariz.; Irvin of Flat River, with whom she made her home, and Mrs. Marie Cobb of St. Louis. A brother, Jesse died in the World War. Her father died about four years ago.

206. Jesse Blanton (*James³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in

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August 1893 in Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 9 October 1918 in during World War 1 at age 25, and was buried on 9 October 1918 in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States. He never married and had no children.

??World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Jesse Virgil Blanton **City:**Not Stated **County:**Franklin **State:**Missouri
Birthplace:Missouri;United States of America **Birth Date:**11 Jul 1894 **Race:**Caucasian
(White) **Roll:**1683213 5 June 1917

U.S. Veterans Gravesites, ca.1775-2006

Name:Jessie Blanton **Service Info.:**PVT US ARMY **Death Date:**9 Oct 1918
Cemetery:Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery **Cemetery Address:**2900 Sheridan Road
St. Louis, MO 63125 **Buried At:**Section 41 Site 12675

U.S. Veterans Gravesites, ca.1775-2006

Name:Jessie Blanton **Service Info.:**PVT US Army **Death Date:**9 Oct 1918 **Interment
Date:**9 Oct 1918 **Cemetery:**Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery **Cemetery
Address:**2900 Sheridan Road St. Louis , MO 63125 **Buried At:**Section 41 Site 12675

1937 Obituary of Ida (BLANTON)

Ida Blanton

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207. Howard Browning Blanton Sr. (*James³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*)

was born on 18 October 1894 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 8 September 1961 in Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, United States at age 66, and was buried on 12 September 1961 in Memory Lawn Memorial, Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, United States.

CENSUS: 1900

Crawford Co., MO., Courtois Twsp., page 33A, House 6, taken 1 Jun 1900:

BLANTON, James	head w m	born: Feb 1861	age:39	mar17	yrs	born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Ava	wife w f	born: Apr 1865	age:35	mar17	yrs	born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Effie J.	dau w f	born: Nov 1887	age 12			born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Ida	dau w f	born: Dec 1889	age 11			born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Jesse	son w m	born: Aug 1893	age 6			born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Howard	son w m	born: Sep 1895	age 4			born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Irvin	son wm	born Oct 1898	age 1			born: MO	Fa: MO	Mo: MO

1910 Federal Census

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Elvins City, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 133a, 20 April 1910, line 40, house 159, family 168

BLANTON, James head w m 49; Ada wife w f 44; Ida dau w f 20; Jesse son w m 18; Howard son w m 16; [page 133b] Irvan son w m 10; Esther dau w f 7

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married once for 25 years and Ada says she has had 7 children born and 6 are living. James is a fireman for the railroad. They are renting.]

1917 World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Howard Browning Blanton **City:**Elvins **County:**St Francois **State:**Missouri

Birthplace:Steelville, Missouri;United States of America **Birth Date:**18 Oct 1894

Race:Caucasian (White) **Roll:**1683565 **DraftBoard:**0 Date 5 June 1917 has wife

1961 Death

1961 Burial

Memory Lawn Memorial, Phoenix, Maricopia Co., AZ.

Howard married **Sarah Ann Coleman**, daughter of **Stephen Lawrence Coleman** and **Ruth May Elliott**, on 13 August 1915 in Sligo, Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States. Sarah was born on 26 September 1898 in Valle Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States, died on 11 November 1981 in Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, United States at age 83, and was buried on 14 November 1981 in Memory Lawn Memorial, Phoenix, Maricopa, Arizona, United States.

1900 Federal Census

Valle Township (Excl. Desoto City), Jefferson, Missouri

Name:Sarah Coleman **Home in 1900:**Valle, Jefferson, Missouri **Age:**2 **Birth Date:**Sep 1897

Birthplace:Missouri **Race:**White **Ethnicity:**American **Relationship to head-of-house:** Daughter

Father's Name:Lawrence **Father's Birthplace:**Missouri **Mother's Name:**Ruth **Mother's**

Birthplace:Missouri **Marital Status:**Single

COLEMAN, Lawrence 28 Ruth 23 Emma 3 Sarah 2 **ELLIOTT**, Edmon 22

ROACH, Minnie 22

Children from this marriage were:

+ 398 M i. **Baby Boy Blanton** was born on 9 September 1916 in Elvins, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died on 9 September 1916 in Elvins, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

+ 399 M ii. **Raymond Harold Blanton** was born on 1 September 1917 in Elvins, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Raymond married **Doris Irene Estabrook** on 5 March 1943.

+ 400 F iii. **Ada Ruth Blanton** was born on 12 February 1919 in Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

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Ada married **Howard Riley Myers** on 4 November 1938.

- + 401 M iv. **Loyd Glenwood Blanton** was born on 25 November 1920 in Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Loyd married **Dorotha Joy Klenke** on 25 June 1940.

- + 402 M v. **James Lawrence Blanton** was born on 31 October 1922 in Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

James married **Lillian Alta Williams** on 23 May 1947.

- + 403 M vi. **Howard Browning Blanton Jr.** was born on 9 June 1927 in Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Howard married **Dorothy Elizabeth Hall** on 1 August 1948.

- + 404 M vii. **Ralph Coleman Blanton** was born on 10 September 1929 in Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Ralph married **Shirley Ruth Randolph** on 18 January 1950 in Tempe, Maricopa, Arizona, United States.

- + 405 M viii. **William Irvin "Billy" Blanton** was born on 17 November 1931 in Ray, Pinal, Arizona, United States and died on 9 October 1993 at age 61.

William married **Darlyne Frances Eaklor** on 6 June 1956.

- + 406 M ix. **Charles Ray Blanton** was born on 17 June 1934 in Ray, Pinal, Arizona, United States.

Charles married **Carol Ann Richey** on 29 May 1953.

208. James Irvin Blanton (*James*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 12 October 1898 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 24 December 1976 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 78, and was buried in December 1976 in Herod-Haile Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

BIRTH:

Date from 1900 census states he was born Oct 1898.

Date from 1910 census states he was born 1900.

Date from 1920 census states he was born 1895.

Date from 1930 census states he was born 1895.

CENSUS: 1900 Crawford Co., MO., Courtois Twsp., page 33A, House 6, taken 1 Jun 1900:

BLANTON, James head w m born: Feb 1861 age:39 mar17 yrs born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Ava wife w f born: Apr 1865 age:35 mar17yrs born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Effie J. dau w f born: Nov 1887 age 12 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Ida dau w f born: Dec 1889 age 11 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Jesse son w m born: Aug 1893 age 6 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Howard son w m born: Sep 1895 age 4 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Irvin son wm born Oct 1898 age 1 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

1910 Federal Census

Elvins City, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 133a, 20 April 1910,

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line 40, house 159, family 168

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[All born in Missouri as was their parents. they have been married once for 25 years and Ada says she has had 7 children born and 6 are living. James is a fireman for the railroad. They are renting.]

MARRIAGE: around 1917/1918

CENSUS: 1920 Jefferson Co., MO., Valle Twsp., Desoto City, Larton Street, 3 Jan 1920, house 24, page 2A:

BLANTON, Irvin head w m 25 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

Cora N. wife w f 21 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

CENSUS: 1930 St. Francois Co., MO., Iron Twsp., Bismarck City, 7 Apr 1930, page 13A, house 149:

BLANTON, Irving head w m 35 mar at 23 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO Driller lead miner

Cora wife w f 30 mar at 18 born: MO Fa: MO Mo: MO

1976 Death

Date of 24 Dec 1976.

1976 Burial

Herod Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States

1976 Obituary

James Blanton

James Irvin Blanton, 78, of Flat River was born Oct. 18, 1898 in St. Louis and died Dec 24 at his residence. He was the son of the late James and Ada O'Neil Blanton. His wife, Margaret, preceded him in death. Surviving are: a stepson, Richard Wurst Sr., Ironton; a step-daughter, Joann Blanton, Bakersfield, Calif.; several grand-children and great grandchildren. Chapel services were Sunday at 2 p.m. at Caldwell Funeral Home in Flat River with the Rev. Ken Goff officiating. Interment was at Herrod Cemetery. (newspaper unknown)---Tom Pratt

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about Irvin Blanton

ntblName: *Irvin Blanton* <<https://secure.ancestry.com/VitalChek/selection.aspx?su=http%3a%2f%2fsearch.ancestry.com%2fcgi-bin%2fsse.dll%3fdb%3dssdi%26h%3d5214774%26ti%3d0%26indiv%3dtry%26gss%3dpt%26ssrc%3dgr%26t5773168%26p-1397624282%26ktidz0q3d5773168z0q26pidz0q3d-1397624282z0q26hidz0q3d40639797420z0q26dbidz0q3d3693z0q26rpidx0q3d5214774z0q26ssrcz0q3dgrz0q26pgz0q3d32768z0q252c32782z0q26pgPLz0q3dpidz0q252ctidz0q257cp>

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James married **Cora Margaret "Maggie"** from 1917 to 1918. Cora was born on 22 January 1900 in Dent, Missouri, United States, died on 7 January 1966 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 65, and was buried in January 1966 in Herod-Haile Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

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209. Esther Marie Blanton (*James³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 4 April 1902 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died on 22 June 1972 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 70.

1910 Federal Census

Elvins City, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, page 133a, 20 April 1910, line 40, house 159, family 168

BLANTON, James head w m 49; Ada wife w f 44; Ida dau w f 20; Jesse son w m 18; Howard son w m 16; [page 133b] Irvan son w m 10; Esther dau w f 7

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. they have been married once for 25 years and Ada says she has had 7 children born and 6 are living. James is a fireman for the railroad. They are renting.]

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002 <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=1171&enc=1>>

about Esther M Blanton

Name: Esther M Blanton **Age:** 21 **Birth Date:** abt 1900 **Marriage Date:** 3 Aug 1921

Marriage Location: Jackson, Missouri **Marriage County:** Jackson **Spouse Name:** Robert L Cobb **Spouse Age:** 22 **Spouse Birth Date:** abt 1899

Social Security Death Index

Name: Esther Mayhugh **SSN:** 499-03-5330 **Last Residence:** 63601 Park Hills, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States of America **Born:** 27 Oct 1901 **Died:** Jun 1972 **State (Year) SSN issued:** Missouri (Before 1951)

Esther married **Robert L. Cobb** on 3 August 1921 in 708 East Eighth Street, Kansas City, Kaw Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States.

Esther next married **Mayhugh**.

210. Evelin "Effie" Blanton (*Wesley Valentine "Val"³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 15 May 1891 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

1920 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6061&enc=1>>

about Eva Kelley

ntbl Name: Eva Kelley**ntbl Home in 1920:** Wichita Falls, Wichita, Texas**ntbl**

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Age:33**ntbl Estimated birth year:**abt 1887**ntbl Birthplace:**Mississippintbl
Relation to Head of House:Wifentbl **Spouse's name:**Thomas**ntbl Father's Birth Place:**Mississippintbl **Mother's Birth Place:**Mississippintbl **Marital Status:**Married**ntbl Race:**Whitentbl **Sex:**Femal**ntbl Able to read:**Yes**ntbl Able to Write:**Yes**ntbl Neighbors:**[View others on page </cgi-bin/sse.dll?viewrecord=1&ti=0&r=an&db=1920usfedcen&F2=4390957_00187>](http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?viewrecord=1&ti=0&r=an&db=1920usfedcen&F2=4390957_00187) ntbl**Household Members:** **Name Agent**blThomas Kelley <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1920usfedcen&indiv=try&h=13361370>> 37**ntbl**Eva Kelley <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1920usfedcen&indiv=try&h=13361371>> 33**ntbl**Thelma Kelley <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1920usfedcen&indiv=try&h=13361372>> 12**ntbl**Ray Kelley <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1920usfedcen&indiv=try&h=13361373>> 8**ntbl**Troy Kelley <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1920usfedcen&indiv=try&h=13361374>> 3 [3 8/12] ntblHenry Kelley <<http://search.ancestry.com/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1920usfedcen&indiv=try&h=13361375>> 0 [3/12]

Evelin married **Thomas "Tom" Kelly**.

211. Elba Blanton (Wesley Valentine "Val"³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹) was born on 15 May 1891 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

212. Bertha Ann Blanton (Jesse Van Buren³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹) was born on 28 October 1901 in Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 11 February 1902 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, and was buried in February 1902 in Edwards Cemetery, Pasty, Courtois Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. She never married and had no children.

Missouri Death Records, 1834-1910

Name:Bertha Blanton Death Date:11 Feb 1902 Birth Date:28 Oct 1901 County:St Louis

Race/Ethnicity:White Age:0 Gender:F

213. Lloyd Jesse Blanton (Jesse Van Buren³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹) was born on 27 January 1903 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died on 20 May 1956 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 53, and was buried on 23 May 1956 in Liberty Cemetery, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

CENSUS:

1910 Crawford Co., MO., Courtois Twsp., page 42A, house 184, 28 Apr 1910:

EDWARDS,

Julia A. head f w age: 60 widow born: AR Fa: KY Mo: KY

BLANTON,

Nellie E. dau f w age: 30 mar 9 yrs born: AR Fa: TN Mo: AR

Lloyd gson m w age: 7 born: MO Fa: MO Mo:AR

CENSUS:

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CENSUS:

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DEATH:

Missouri Division of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, File #15904

Lloyd Jesse Blanton was born on 27 Jan 1903 in St. Louis, Missouri and died on 20 May 1956 at 4 miles east of Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford, Missouri, USA.

His parents are Jesse Blanton and Nellie Edwards. His wife's name is Frances Blanton.

The informant was Roy Blanton, Steelville, MO.

BURIAL:

Date of burial was 23 May 1956 at Liberty Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Township, Crawford, Missouri, USA.

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Lloyd married **Frances Eliza "Fannie" Brown**, daughter of **John Richard Brown** and **Angeline "Angie" Susan Halbert**, on 9 October 1924 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. Frances was born on 17 April 1906 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 19 April 1963 in Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States at age 57, and was buried in April 1963 in Liberty Cemetery, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 407 M i. **Howard Jesse Blanton** was born on 26 January 1926, died on 12 April 1978 in House Springs, High Ridge Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 52, and was buried in April 1978 in Liberty Cemetery, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.
- + 408 M ii. **Thomas Howard Blanton** was born on 10 April 1929.
- + 409 M iii. **Harold T. Blanton** was born in 1930.
- + 410 M iv. **Roy Lewis Blanton** was born on 30 May 1931 in Maplewood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 22 December 2003 in Gibbs Care Center, 311 North Spring Street, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 72, and was buried on 24 December 2003 in Liberty Cemetery, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Roy married **Julia Mae Harmon** (d. 25 March 2005) on 2 March 1949 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

214. Dema G. Blanton (*Charles Edward "Eddy"*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*

¹) was born on 27 March 1904 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States and died on 24 October 2004 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 100.

Social Security Death Index

ntblName: Dema G. Williams **ntbl SSN:** 499-32-7286 **ntbl Last Residence:** 63109 Saint Louis, Saint Louis City, Missouri, United States of America **ntbl Born:** 27 Mar 1904 **ntbl Died:** 24 Oct

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2004ntbl State (Year) SSN issued: Missouri (Before 1951)

Dema married **John "Jack" Williams**, son of **Bern Williams** and **Mary Elizabeth "Mollie" Thomasson**,. John was born on 25 July 1905 in Jackson, Jackson, Missouri, United States and died on 25 August 1979 in Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 74.

215. Eva Pauline Blanton (*Charles Edward "Eddy"*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 15 January 1906 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States and died in May 1991 at age 85.

Social Security Death Index

ntblName: Pauline E. Blantonntbl SSN: 488-10-6747ntbl Born: 15 Jan 1906ntbl Died: May 1991ntbl State (Year) SSN issued: Missouri (Before 1951)

216. Della Mae Blanton (*Charles Edward "Eddy"*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1908 in Short Bend Twp, Dent, Missouri, United States, died in 1999 at age 91, and was buried in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

ntblName: Della Mae Blantonntbl Age: 26ntbl Birth Date: abt 1909ntbl Marriage Date: 8 Jun 1935ntbl Marriage Location: Hillsboro, Jefferson, Missouri ntbl Marriage County: Jeffersonntbl Spouse Name: Edmond Boyerntbl Spouse Age: 25

Della married someone **Edmond F. Boyér** on 8 June 1935 in Hillsboro, Central Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States. Edmond was born in 1910, died in 1981 at age 71, and was buried in Roselawn Memorial Gardens, Crystal City, River View Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

217. Bessie Mae Pullen (*Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *William Wesley*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 23 March 1907 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died on 10 May 1972 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 65.

Bessie married **Edgar Amiel Strahl** on 7 June 1940 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States. Edgar was born on 28 May 1904 in of, Perry, Indiana and died on 7 June 1941 at age 37.

218. William Monte Pullen (*Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *William Wesley*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 15 February 1910 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 2 May 1955 in Bonne Terre Hospital, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 45, and was buried on 4 May 1955 in Adams Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

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Fifth Generation (Great Great-Grandchildren)

219. Floyd Joseph Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 22 July 1909 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in June 1964 at age 54, and was buried in June 1964 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1909 Birthblock of Floyd Joseph Allen son of Walter Franklin and Pearlina "Pearl" (STUDDARD) Allen

Floyd Joseph Allen was born in Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States on 22 July 1909. Even though his parents says he was six months old in the 1910 census, some reserchers have stated he was born in July 1909. If you believe his parents he was born in September-October 1909.

1910 Federal Census age 6 months

Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 195a, 23 April 1910, line 46, house 69, family 74

ALLEN, Walter head w m 20; Pearl wife w f 17; Floyd son w m 6mos

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. They have been married for 1 year and this is their first marriage. Pearl says she has had 1 child born and 1 is living. Walter does odd jobs and they are renting.]

1913 Childbirth of sister; Zonagale "Zona" Maxine (ALLEN)

Zonagale "Zona" Maxine (**ALLEN**) was born in either Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, or in Crawford County, Missouri or someplace else on 18 March 1913.

1915 Childbirth of brother; Earl Edward Allen

Earl Edward Allen was born in either Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, or in Crawford County, Missouri or someplace else on 9 May 1915.

1917 Childbirth of brother; Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen

Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen was born in either Crawford County, Missouri or as other reserachers state in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri on 2 March 1917. However, the evidence states his family moved to Crawford County by the 5th of June 1917.

1917 Father's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name:Walter Franklin Allen City:Not Stated County:Crawford State:Missouri

Birthplace:Missouri;United States of America Birth Date:18 August 1890 Race:Caucasian (White) Roll:1683163 wife and 4 children Date: 5 June 1917

1918 Childbirth of sister; Dollie M. (ALLEN)

Dollie M. (**ALLEN**) was born in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 6 November 1918.

1920 Federal Census 10

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 180a, 13 January 1920, line 4, house 93, family 94

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STUDDARD, James F. fnlaw w m 61; Mary mnlaw w f 63

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1920-1930 Family Move

From Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

Research Note

Ordering the following children's birth certificate would reveal their birth date and location. Not knowing when Walter and Pearl left Boone Township, Crawford County, Missouri and moved into Saint Louis (City) forces the subsequent children's birth location to be purely speculation.

1921 Childbirth of brother; James William "Jiggs" Allen

James William "Jiggs" Allen was born in either Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 8 January 1921. Ordering his birth certificate would be absolute.

1922 Childbirth of brother; Paul Allen

Paul Allen was born in either Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 1922.

1925 Childbirth of brother; Robert Vernon Allen

Robert Vernon Allen was born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 4 November 1925.

1927 Childbirth of sister; Pearl (ALLEN) and brother; Murial Eugene Allen (twins)

Pearl (ALLEN) and Murial Eugene Allen (twins) were born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 18 December 1927.

1928 Death of grandmother; Mary Ellen (PRATT) Studdard

Mary Ellen (PRATT) Studdard died in Sullivan, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 12 January 1928.

1929 Childbirth of sister; Delores Lee (ALLEN)

Delores Lee (ALLEN) was born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 28 April 1929.

1930 Federal Census age 20

718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 112a, 18 April 1930, line 19, house 718, dwelling 242, family 246

ALLEN, Walter head w m 38; Pearl wife w f 37; Zona dau w f 18; Earl A. son w m 14; Fred son w m 13; Dolly dau w f 11; James A. son w m 9; Paul son w m 8; Robert son w m 4; Perl (twins) dau w f 2; Merl (twins) son w m 2; Delores dau w f 11mos

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1932 Childbirth of brother; David Gary Allen

David Gary Allen was born in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

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on 13 October 1932 and died on 29 October 1933 in Saint Louis County Hospital, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States.

1933 Death of father; Walter Franklin Allen

Walter Franklin Allen died at Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 23 December 1933.

Floyd married **Bertha Lorene Reed**, daughter of **Willard Marion Reed** and **Nancy Jane "Jani" Copeland**,. Bertha was born on 14 August 1909 in Iola, Allen, Kansas, United States and died on 26 July 1972 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 62.

220. Zonagale Maxine "Zona" Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 18 March 1913 in Carterville City, Joplin Twp, Jasper, Missouri, United States and died on 29 June 1984 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States at age 71.



1913 Birthblock of Zonagale "Zona" Maxine (ALLEN) daughter of Walter Franklin and Pearlina "Pearl" (STUDDARD) Allen

Zonagale "Zona" Maxine (**ALLEN**) was born in either Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, or in Crawford County, Missouri or someplace else on 18 March 1913.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born

Date from the 1940 census states she was born

Date from the death certificate states she was born

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1920 Federal Census 7

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 180a, 13 January 1920, line 4, house 93, family 94

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1935 Marriage of August Charles Tonn Jr. and Zonagale Maxine "Zona" (ALLEN)

[1] Missouri Marriage Records, 1805-2002

Name:Zona M Allenntbl Age:23 Birth Date:abt 1912 Marriage Date:15 Jul 1935 Marriage

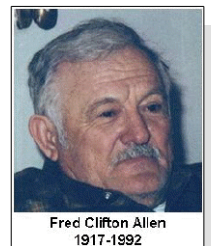
Location:De Peres, St Louis, Missouri Marriage County:St Louis Spouse Name:August C Tonn

Jr.Spouse Age:21 Spouse Birth Date:abt 1914

Zonagale married **August Charles Tonn Jr.** on 15 July 1935 in Des Peres, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. August was born on 13 December 1913 and died on 6 August 1994 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States at age 80.

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222. Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 2 March 1917 in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 7 April 1992 in Early, Brown, Texas, United States at age 75, and was buried in April 1992 in Rock Church Cemetery, Blanket, Brown, Texas, United States.



1917 Birthblock of Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen son of Walter Franklin & Pearlina (STUDDARD) Allen

Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen was born in either Crawford County, Missouri or as other researchers state in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri on 2 March 1917. However, the evidence states his family moved to Crawford County by the 5th of June 1917.

Date from the 1920 census states he was born March 1917 in Missouri. (calculated)

Date from the 1930 census states he was born 1817 in Missouri.

Date from the WWII military involvement states he was born 1917 in Missouri.

Date from the death certificate states he was born

Date from the headstone states he was born

Date from the SSDI states he was born 2 March 1917.

Date from the obituary states he was born

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Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 180a, 13 January 1920, line 4, house 93, family 94

ALLEN, Walter F. head w m 29; Pearl wife w f 26; Floyd J. son w m 10; Zona M. dau w f 8;
Earl E. son w m 3yrs 8mos; Freddie C. son w m 2yrs 10mos; Dollie M. dau w f 1yr 2mos;

STUDDARD, James F. fnlaw w m 61; Mary mnlaw w f 63

[All born in Missouri as was their parents. Walter is a laborer at the saw mill. James is a teamster and does tie hauling. They are renting.]

1920-1930 Family Move

From Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States to 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

1921 Childbirth of brother; James William "Jiggs" Allen

James William "Jiggs" Allen was born in either Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 8 January 1921.

1922 Childbirth of brother; Paul Allen

Paul Allen was born in either Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States or near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 1922.

1825 Childbirth of brother; Robert Vernon Allen

Robert Vernon Allen was born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 4 November 1925.

1827 Childbirth of sister; Pearl (ALLEN) and brother; Murial Eugene Allen (twins)

Pearl (ALLEN) and Murial Eugene Allen (twins) were born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 18 December 1927.

1928 Death of grandmother; Mary Ellen (PRATT) Studdard

Mary Ellen (PRATT) Studdard died in Sullivan, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States on 12 January 1928.

1929 Childbirth of sister; Delores Lee (ALLEN)

Delores Lee (ALLEN) was born near 718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 28 April 1929.

1930 Federal Census age 13

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718 Benton Avenue, Valley Park City, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, page 112a, 18 April 1930, line 19, house 718, dwelling 242, family 246

ALLEN, Walter head w m 38; Pearl wife w f 37; Zona dau w f 18; Earl A. son w m 14; Fred son w m 13; Dolly dau w f 11; James A. son w m 9; Paul son w m 8; Robert son w m 4; Perl (twins) dau w f 2; Merl (twins) son w m 2; Delores dau w f 11mos

[All born in Missouri as was their parents except Walter says his mother was born at sea. Walter was first married at age 17, Pearl at age 15. Walter is a flagman for the railroad. They are renting.]

1932 Childbirth of brother; David Gary Allen

David Gary Allen was born in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States on 13 October 1932 and died on 29 October 1933 in Saint Louis County Hospital, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States.

1933 Death of father; Walter Franklin Allen

Walter Franklin Allen died at Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 23 December 1933.

1935 Death of mother; Pearlina (STUDDARD) Allen

Pearlina "Pearl" (**STUDDARD**) Allen died in Mount Saint Rose Hospital, Carondelet Twp, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States on 21 September 1935.

1940 U.S. World War II Army Enlistment Records, 1938-1946

Name:Fred C Allen Birth Year:1917 Nativity State or Country:Missouri State of Residence:Missouri County or City:St Louis City Enlistment Date:14 Oct 1940 Enlistment State:Missouri Enlistment City:Jefferson Barracks Branch:Field Artillery Branch Code:Field Artillery Grade:Private Grade Code:Private Term of Enlistment:Enlistment for the Philippine Department Component:Regular Army (including Officers, Nurses, Warrant Officers, and Enlisted Men) Source:Civil Life Education:Grammar school Civil Occupation:Semiskilled chauffeurs and drivers, bus, taxi, truck, and tractor Marital Status:Single, without dependents Height:71 Weight:151

1940 Family Move

Apparently after discharge, Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen made his way to Cheyenne, Laramie, Wyoming, United States and married in 1941.

1941 Marriage of Fred "Freddie" Clifton and Lurley Frances (WHITMIRE)

Fred "Freddie" Clifton and Lurley Frances (**WHITMIRE**) were married in Cheyenne, Laramie, Wyoming, United States on 17 April 1941. [Their son; Walter Fred Allen is the source of data and location]

1941-1942 Family Move

From Cheyenne, Laramie, Wyoming, United States to Morton, Cochran, Texas, United States

1942 Childbirth of son; Walter Fred Allen

Walter Fred Allen was born in Morton, Cochran, Texas, United States on 4 January 1942.

1950 Death of father-in-law; Julian "July" Lonard "Lon" Whitmire

Julian "July" Lonard "Lon" Whitmire died in Brown, Texas, United States on 1 August 1950.

[1] Texas Death Index, 1903-2000

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Name: Julian Lonard Whitmire Death Date: 1 August 1950 Death County: Brown Certificate: 37107

1950 Death of mother-in-law; Mary Olive "Ollie" (MARLIN) Delaney Whitmire

Mary Olive "Ollie" (MARLIN) Delaney Whitmire died in Haskell, Haskell, Texas, United States on 28 October 1950.

1935-1993 U.S. Public Records Index, Volume 2

Name: Fred C Allen Birth Date: 2 Mar 1917 Address: 6652 Highway 84 E City: Early State: TX Zip Code: 76802-3846

1986 Death of spouse; Lurley Frances (WHITMIRE) Allen

Lurley Frances (WHITMIRE) Allen died in Brownwood, Brown, Texas, United States on 31 May 1986.

1992 Death of Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen

[1] 1992 Texas Death Index, 1903-2000

Name: Fred Allen Death Date: 7 Apr 1992 Death County: Brown Gender: Male

1992 Burial of Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen

Rock Church Cemetery, Blanket, Brown, Texas, United States

Social Security Death Index

Name: Fred C. Allen SSN: 311-01-3051 Born: 2 Mar 1917 Died: Apr 1992 State (Year) SSN issued: Indiana (Before 1951)

Fred married **Lurley Frances Whitmire**, daughter of **Julian "July" Lonard "Lon" Whitmire** and **Mary Olive "Ollie" Marlin**, on 17 April 1941 in Cheyenne, Laramie, Wyoming, United States. Lurley was born on 27 August 1912 in Justice Precinct 3, Brown, Texas, United States, died on 31 May 1986 in Brownwood, Brown, Texas, United States at age 73, and was buried in June 1986 in Rock Church Cemetery, Blanket, Brown, Texas, United States.



1912 Birthblock for Lurley Francess (WHITMIRE) daughter of Julia Lonard & Mary Olive "Ollie" (MARLIN) Whitmire

Lurley Francess (WHITMIRE) was born in Justice Precinct 3, Brown, Texas, United States on 27 August 1912.

Date from the 1920 census states she was born

Date from the 1930 census states she was born 1913 in Texas.

Date from the death certificate states she was born

Date from the headstone states she was born

Date from the SSDI states she was born 27 August 1912.

Date from the obituary states she was born

1914 Childbirth of brother; William Doyle Whitmire

William Doyle Whitmire was born in Justice Precinct 3, Brown, Texas, United States on 17 September 1914.

1917 Childbirth of sister; Bernice (WHITMIRE)

Bernice (WHITMIRE) was born in Justice Precinct 3, Brown, Texas, United States on 14 January 1917.

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1919 Father's World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918

Name: July Lonard Whitmire RR2, Blanket, Brown County, Texas Birth Date: 26 Oct 1877
Race: White FHL Roll Number: 1952491 Draft Board: 0 Wife: Ollie Whitmire, same address Date:
12 September 1919

1920 Federal Census 8

1922 Death of grandmother; Martha Caroline (POTTER) Marlin

Martha Caroline (POTTER) Marlin died in Blanket, Brown, Texas, United States on 7
December 1922.

1926 Death of grandmother; Julia Ann (GILLESPIE) Phillips Whitmire

Julia Ann (GILLESPIE) Phillips Whitmire died in Midland, Midland, Texas, United States on 29
June 1926.

1930 Federal Census age 18

Precinct 3, Brown, Texas, United States, page 180b, 26 April 1930, line 58, house 199, family
200

WHITMIRE, Lon head w m 52; Oliva V. wife w f 51; Lane son w m 19; Lurley dau w f 17;
Doyle son w m 15; Bernice dau w f 13

[Julian was born in North Carolina as was his parents. Mary was born in Texas, her father in
Missouri, her mother in Texas, the children born in Texas, their father in North Carolina their
mother in Texas. Lon was first married at age 29 and Olivia at age 28. Julian is a farmer and owns
his farm.]

1936 Death of grandfather; Thomas Jefferson "Tom" Marlin

Thomas Jefferson "Tom" Marlin died in Midland, Midland, Texas, United States on 14 May 1936.

1941 Marriage of Fred "Freddie" Clifton and Lurley Frances (WHITMIRE)

Fred "Freddie" Clifton and Lurley Frances (WHITMIRE) were married in Cheyenne, Laramie,
Wyoming, United States on 17 April 1941. [Their son; Walter Fred Allen is the source of data and
location]

1941-1942 Family Move

From Cheyenne, Laramie, Wyoming, United States to Morton, Cochran, Texas, United States _

1942 Childbirth of son; Walter Fred Allen

Walter Fred Allen was born in Morton, Cochran, Texas, United States on 4 January 1942.

1950 Death of father; Julian "July" Lonard "Lon" Whitmire

Julian "July" Lonard "Lon" Whitmire died in Brown, Texas, United States on 1 August 1950.

[1] Texas Death Index, 1903-2000

Name: Julian Lonard Whitmire Death Date: 1 August 1950 Death County: Brown Certificate: 37107

1950 Death of mother; Mary Olive "Ollie" (MARLIN) Delaney Whitmire

Mary Olive "Ollie" (MARLIN) Delaney Whitmire died in Haskell, Haskell, Texas, United States
on 28 October 1950.

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Lurley Frances (**WHITMIRE**) Allen died in Brownwood, Brown, Texas, United States on 31 May 1986.

[1] Texas Death Index, 1903-2000

Name:Lurley Allen Death Date:31 May 1986 Death County:Brown Gender:Female

1986 Burial of Lurley Francess (WHITMIRE) Allen

Rock Church Cemetery, Blanket, Brown, Texas, United States

Social Security Death Index

Name:Lurley Allen SSN:459-10-0544 Last Residence:76801 Brownwood, Brown, Texas, United States of America Born:27 Aug 1912 Last Benefit:76801 Brownwood, Brown, Texas, United States of America Died:May 1986 State (Year) SSN issued:Texas (Before 1951)

The child from this marriage was:

+ 411 M i. **Walter Fred Allen** was born on 4 January 1942 in Morton, Cochran, Texas, United States.

223. Dollie Mae Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 6 November 1918 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 13 September 1970 in Fontana, San Bernardino, California at age 51, and was buried on 16 September 1970 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California.

Dollie married **Brooner** on 9 March 1936 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Dollie next married **Robert "Bob" Howard** on 21 May 1941 in Manchester, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Dollie next married **Charles Wayman Kerr**, son of **Earl Walker Kerr** and **Mayme Katherine Berry**, in 1949 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States. Charles was born on 25 August 1920 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, died on 25 May 2007 in San Diego, San Diego, California, United States at age 86, and was buried on 7 June 2007 in Riverside National Cemetery, Riverside, Riverside, California, United States.

CHARLES W. KERR, 86, born in Springfield, MO on Aug. 25, 1920, died at his home in Oceanside on May 25, 2007 surrounded by family. Charles is survived by his wife Leona of 34 years. He also leaves behind his daughter Crystal and her husband Mike, and 4 stepchildren; Teresa, Jeff, Onal, and Ken, as well as 8 grandchildren. Charles retired from the San Bernardino Post Office in 1986. Charles served as a Sgt in the Army in WWII. Memorial Services will be held on Thur. June 7, 2007 at 1pm at the Riverside National Cemetery 22495 Van Buren Blvd. Published in the San Bernardino Sun on 6/3/2007.

224. James William "Jiggs" Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 8 January 1921 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 16 January 2009 at age 88, and was buried in January 2009 in Saint Johns United Church of Christ Cemetery, Manchester, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

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James married **Patricia Burdett**.

James next married **Dorothy Pauline Anderson** on 21 June 1941 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. Dorothy was born on 27 September 1922 in Corridon, Reynolds, Missouri, United States and died on 31 May 1985 in Chesterfield, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 62.

225. Paul Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1922 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

226. Robert Vernon Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 4 November 1925 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 23 November 1977 in Sterling City, Sterling, Texas, United States at age 52, and was buried in November 1977 in Sterling City Cemetery, Sterling City, Sterling, Texas, United States.



Robert married **Joe Florence Goodwin** on 17 January 1980 in Val Verde, Texas, United States. Joe was born on 23 February 1944 in Carrizo Springs, Dimmit, Texas, United States and died on 24 July 2000 in San Angelo, Texas, United States at age 56.



227. Pearl Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 18 December 1927 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

228. Murial Eugene Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 18 December 1927 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 31 August 1942 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 14, and was buried on 4 September 1942 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

229. Delores Lee Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 28 April 1929 in Valley Park, Bonhomme Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 1 June 2009 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 80, and was buried Cremated.



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Delores married **James William Fitzgerald**, son of **James Louis Fitzgerald** and **Ethel Armentie Farley**, in 1949. James was born on 21 March 1927 in Imboden, Iron, Missouri, United States, died on 23 July 1993 in Middlebrook, Iron Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 66, and was buried in July 1993 in J. L. Fitzgerald Cemetery, Iron, Missouri, United States.

Delores next married **David E. Thompson** in Mexico City, Distrito Federal, Mexico. David was born on 22 June 1946 in Niagra Falls, New York, United States and died on 17 November 1984 in Cincinnati, Hamilton, Ohio, United States at age 38.

230. David Gary Allen (*Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 14 October 1932 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 29 October 1933 in Saint Louis County Hospital, Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 1, and was buried on 31 October 1933 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. He never married and had no children.

Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #34367

As it is listed at the S.O.S. website: David G. Allen October 29, 1933 St. Louis 34367

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/#search>

231. Ruth Clara Carter (*Etta Viola Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 9 June 1910 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 27 March 1956 in 20 Blackburn Avenue, Ferguson, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 45, and was buried on 30 March 1956 in Valhalla Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Ruth Clara (CARTER) Barnhart {FAG#* 97856036}

Birth: 9 June 1910 - Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Death: 27 March 1956 - 20 Blackburn Avenue, Ferguson, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

Burial: 30 March 1956 - Valhalla Cemetery, 7600 St. Charles Rock Road, Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

Parents

Father: Pinkney "Pink" Albert Carter {FAG#* 97851048} (1879-1962)

Mother: Etta Viola (SITES) {FAG# 72424756} (1887-1950)

Spouse:

Elwood Barnhart {FAG# 5283068} (10 December 1906 - 20 May 1975)

Marriage: 1931-1933

Children:

Theora Lee (BARNHART) Dust (1933-

Ruth married **Elwood Adelbert Barnhart**, son of **Frank L Barnhart** and **Minnie Lee Ratliff**, on 17 March 1928 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Elwood was born on 10 December 1906 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 20 May 1975 in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 68, and was buried in May 1975 in Sunset Hill Cemetery, Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

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The child from this marriage was:

+ 412 F i. **Theora Leigh Barnhart** was born on 22 January 1933.

Theora married **Theodore William Dust** on 19 September 1953 in Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

232. Russell Albert Carter (*Etta Viola Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 20 April 1913, died on 27 January 1978 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried in January 1978 in Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Russell married **Juanita Lucille Dobkins** on 4 September 1919. Juanita was born on 9 April 1919, died on 16 November 2004 at age 85, and was buried in November 2004 in Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

233. Elise Evelyn Carter (*Etta Viola Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 30 July 1915 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 17 December 1957 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 42, and was buried on 19 December 1957 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Elise married **Herman F. Hoerath**. Herman was born on 7 July 1912, died on 12 April 1979 at age 66, and was buried in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

234. James Wesley Carter (*Etta Viola Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 1 September 1917 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 3 July 1944 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 26, and was buried on 5 July 1944 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

James Wesley Carter {FAG#* 97950910}

Birth: 1 September 1917 - Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Death: 3 July 1944 - Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Burial: 5 July 1944 - New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States

Parents

Father: Pinkney "Pink" Albert Carter {FAG#* 97851048} (1879-1962)

Mother: Etta Viola (SITES) {FAG# 72424756} (1887-1950)

235. Ellen Louise Carter (*Etta Viola Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1920 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

236. Seymour William Carter (*Etta Viola Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 October 1921 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 26 September 1977 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 55, and was buried in September 1977 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Seymour married **Mary Lorine McCleary** on 5 November 1943. Mary was born on 20 December 1928.

237. Roy Louis Carter (*Etta Viola Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 30 January 1925 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United

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States, died on 23 November 1980 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 55, and was buried in November 1980 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Roy married **Ellen Jean Carroll**. Ellen was born on 30 November 1927, died on 30 November 1999 in Saint James, Saint James Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States at age 72, and was buried in November 1999 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

238. Benjamin William Bohnenkamp (*Minnie Myrtle Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 5 April 1912.

Benjamin married **Edith Fern Laurence** on 15 June 1946.

239. Vera Clara "Clair" Bohnenkamp (*Minnie Myrtle Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 29 October 1914, died on 7 November 1978 at age 64, and was buried in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Vera married **David Troutt** on 10 May 1936.

240. Wilber Bohnenkamp (*Minnie Myrtle Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 1 December 1916.

Wilber married **Bockwitz**.

241. Donald Lee Bohnenkamp (*Minnie Myrtle Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 July 1919.

Donald married **Mary Jenny**.

242. Bonnie Oneta Bohnenkamp (*Minnie Myrtle Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 4 June 1925 and died on 22 October 1961 at age 36.

Bonnie married **William Edward Reiner** on 12 March 1950.

243. Alice May Bohnenkamp (*Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 8 May 1914 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Alice married **Harry Summers** on 15 June 1941.

Children from this marriage were:

+ 413 F i. **Amy Ann Summers** was born on 27 April 1943.

Amy married **Ron Cox** on 1 April 1972.

+ 414 M ii. **Harry Samuel Summers** was born on 23 March 1946.

Harry married **Pam**.

+ 415 M iii. **Daniel Earl Summers** was born on 12 October 1947.

244. Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp (*Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 21 February 1916 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 8 February 1989 in Pine Island, Hernando, Florida, United States at age 72, and was buried in Memorial Park, Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau,

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Missouri, United States.

Mildred married **Coy Truman Statler**, son of **Miller Malachi Hasting Statler** and **Bertha Alice Statler**, on 9 October 1935 in Sedgewickville, Bollinger, Missouri, United States. Coy was born on 27 February 1915 in Bollinger, Missouri, United States, died on 28 January 1978 in Van Buren, Carter Twp, Carter, Missouri, United States at age 62, and was buried in Memorial Park, Cape Girardeau, Cape Girardeau, Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 416 F i. **Mary Alice Statler** was born on 1 August 1936 in Bollinger, Missouri, United States.
Mary married **Donald Ray Blaylock** on 5 June 1954 in Sedgewickville, Bollinger, Missouri, United States.
- + 417 M ii. **Paul Truman Statler** was born on 11 July 1938 in Bollinger, Missouri, United States.
Paul married **Mildred Arlene Blansett** on 22 February 1959 in Cardwell, Dunklin, Missouri, United States.

Mildred next married **Jefferson Grant Sellers** on 19 November 1982.

245. Earl Austin Bohnenkamp (*Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 September 1917 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 9 May 1969 in Morganfield, Union, Kentucky, United States at age 51.

Earl married **Viola Gertrude Randall** on 28 September 1946.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 418 F i. **Twyla Beth Bohnenkamp** was born on 26 September 1953.
- + 419 M ii. **David Wayne Bohnenkamp** was born on 16 July 1955.
David married **Sarah Ann Duncan**.

246. Clara Amy Bohnenkamp (*Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 9 October 1919 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Clara married **Samuel Thomas Raines Jr.** on 26 August 1955.

247. Henry Edward Bohnenkamp (*Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 November 1921 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 6 June 1990 in Desloge Village, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 68.

Henry married **Juanita Bernice Eaton**, daughter of **Vernon Lee Eaton** and **Alta Verlina Davis**, on 24 April 1945 in Missouri, United States. Juanita was born on 20 August 1924 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died on 5 February 1995 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 70.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 420 M i. **Edward Lee Bohnenkamp** was born on 26 January 1947.
- + 421 F ii. **Linda Sue Bohnenkamp** was born on 26 February 1949.

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Linda married **Michael Reed** on 13 July 1968.

+ 422 F iii. **Cynthia Ann Bohnenkamp** was born on 1 December 1951.

Cynthia married **Ralph Tisher** on 23 January 1971.

+ 423 F iv. **Stephen Henry Bohnenkamp** was born on 25 November 1960.

+ 424 M v. **John Alan Bohnenkamp** was born on 26 June 1964.

John married **Patricia Barton** on 26 May 1984.

248. Marvin Herman Bohnenkamp (*Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 October 1923 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died on 30 November 1974 in Flat River City, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 51.

Marvin married **Davalee Pettus** on 11 June 1944.

Children from this marriage were:

+ 425 M i. **Marvin Hamilton Bohnenkamp** was born on 19 October 1948.

+ 426 M ii. **Kenneth Avery Bohnenkamp** was born on 18 August 1952.

+ 427 F iii. **Robin Marie Bohnenkamp** was born on 17 April 1956.

+ 428 M iv. **Robert Scott Bohnenkamp** was born on 6 May 1959.

+ 429 M v. **Tracy Lynne Bohnenkamp** was born on 16 June 1966.

249. Lucy Thelma Bohnenkamp (*Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 22 October 1926 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Lucy married **Andrew Jackson Fowler Jr.** on 8 June 1946 in Desloge Village, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

+ 430 F i. **Beverly Ann Fowler** was born on 16 June 1952.

Beverly married **Mark Kasten** on 26 April 1975.

+ 431 F ii. **Brenda Kay Fowler** was born on 14 May 1956.

Brenda married **William Straussner** on 30 April 1983.

250. Winnie W. Otto (*Frances "Fannie" B. Boles*⁴, *Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 29 March 1894 in Little River, Arkansas, United States and died on 14 April 1965 at age 71.

251. Emmett Cartwright (*Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles*⁴, *Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 August 1902 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 28 April 1984 in Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in April 1984 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

BIRTH: Date from tombstone.

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CENSUS: 1910 Franklin Co., MO., Prairie Twsp., page 6B, house 78, 36 & 27 Apr 1910:

CARTWRIGHT, John I.	head w m age: 38 mar 9yrs	born: MO Fa: NY	Mo: MO
Nannie M.	wife w f age: 29 mar 9yrs	born: MO Fa: Ireland	Mo: MO
Emet	son w m age: 7	born: MO Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Jim L.	son w m age: 6	born: MO Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Louise E.	dau w f age: 4	born: MO Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Charley	son w m age: 3	born: MO Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Nellie M.	dau w f age: 2	born: MO Fa: MO	Mo: MO
Samuel	father w m age: 69 wd	born: NY Fa: NY	Mo: Germany

(Nannie say she had had 5 children born 5 are living.)

CENSUS: 1920

CENSUS: 1930

DEATH: Date from tombstone of 1984.

BURIAL: Prospect Cemetery, Prairie Twsp., Franklin Co., MO

Emmett Cartwright Mahala (PHILLIPS)
born 19 Aug 1902 26 Feb 1903
died 28 Apr 1984 11 Jan 1928

Emmett married **Mahala Phillips**, daughter of **William Russell Phillips** and **Mary Matilda Arnold**, in September 1921 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Mahala was born on 26 February 1903 in Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 11 January 1928 in Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 24, and was buried in January 1928 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 432 F i. **Virginia Ellen Cartwright** was born on 12 June 1925 in Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Virginia married **Benjamin William Burt II** (d. 17 April 1995) on 22 November 1972 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Emmett next married **Mabel Huff**.

252. James L. "Jim" Cartwright (*Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles⁴, Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton³, Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in 1904 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in 1979 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried in Midlawn Memorial Gardens, Union, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

253. Louise E. Cartwright (*Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles⁴, Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton³, Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 24 December 1905 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 June 1986 at age 80, and was buried in June 1986 in United Methodist Church of Saint Clair Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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Louise married **Harold R. Crow**, son of **Samuel Jasper Crow** and **Clarissa Ann Jennings**,. Harold was born on 26 November 1901 in Missouri, United States and died on 13 February 1964 at age 62.

254. Charles "Charley" Cartwright (*Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles ⁴, Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 4 May 1907 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 10 October 1985 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 78, and was buried in October 1985 in Midlawn Memorial Gardens, Union, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

255. Nellie M. Cartwright (*Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles ⁴, Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 16 June 1907 in Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 8 October 1987 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 80, and was buried in October 1987 in Elmwood Church Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Nellie married **Patrick Phillips**, son of **Lafayette Phillips** and **Elizabeth Huff**,. Patrick was born on 18 January 1898, died on 27 October 1981 at age 83, and was buried in October 1981 in Elmwood Church Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

256. Sidney E. Cartwright (*Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles ⁴, Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 4 February 1911, died on 17 February 1986 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 75, and was buried in February 1986 in Prospect Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

257. Hallie C. Cartwright (*Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles ⁴, Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born in 1914, died in 1983 at age 69, and was buried in Midlawn Memorial Gardens, Union, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Hallie married **Jerry Brown**.

258. Harry F. Cartwright (*Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles ⁴, Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born in 1916, died in 1940 at age 24, and was buried in Virginia Mines Baptist Cemetery, Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

259. Lucille Graham (*Rilla Ethel Blanton ⁴, Alexander A. Jr. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born in November 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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Lucille married **Reed**.

260. John "Johnny" Alexander Graham (*Rilla Ethel Blanton ⁴, Alexander A. Jr. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 16 January 1921 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 23 November 1945 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 24, and was buried on 25 November 1945 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

John A. Graham November __, 1945 Franklin 37106

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1941 Burial

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, (Odd Fellows) Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Graham, Harry H. Sr. 1874-1952

Graham, Rilla E. 1894-1963

Graham, Harry H. Jr. 9 Sep 1925-20 Sep 1925 son of Harry H. & Rilla E.

Graham, Jessie L. 12 Apr 1922-[no date] s/s Thetis D.

Graham, John A. 16 January 1921-23 Nov 1941 MO Pvt 1 CT 2520 AAF Base Unit

Graham, Thetis O. 10 Dec 1927-10 Jan 1987

261. Harry Herman Graham Jr. (*Rilla Ethel Blanton*⁴, *Alexander A. Jr.*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 9 September 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 20 September 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried in September 1925 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1925 Burial

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, (Odd Fellows) Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Graham, Harry H. Sr. 1874-1952

Graham, Rilla E. 1894-1963

Graham, Harry H. Jr. 9 Sep 1925-20 Sep 1925 son of Harry H. & Rilla E.

Graham, Jessie L. 12 Apr 1922-[no date] s/s Thetis D.

Graham, John A. 16 January 1921-23 Nov 1941 MO Pvt 1 CT 2520 AAF Base Unit

Graham, Thetis O. 10 Dec 1927-10 Jan 1987

262. Ralph McDonald Blanton Jr. (*Ralph McDonald Sr.*⁴, *Alexander A. Jr.*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 4 July 1928 in Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 6 September 1989 at age 61, and was buried on 11 September 1989 in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States.

1928 Birthblock of Ralph McDonald Blanton Jr. son of Ralph McDonald Sr. & Annabell Alcey (BATES) Blanton

1930 Federal Census age 2

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 185, 29 April 1930, house 227,

BLANTON, Ralph M. head w m 31; Annabelle wife w f 23; Ralph Jr. son w m 1 ?/12; Alcy Jane dau w f 2; Guss uncle w m 78 widowed

[All born in Missouri including parents except Gus' father born in Kentucky. Ralph was first married at age 29, Annabelle at age 21.]

1950 Military Involvement

Enlisted 30 November 1950 in US Army Korea conflict

1935-1993 U.S. Public Records Index, Volume 2

Name:Ralph M Blanton Jr Birth Date:4 Jul 1928 Address:7446 Gravois Rd, Saint Louis, MO, 63123-4739

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1989 Death of Ralph McDonald Blanton Jr.

1989 Burial of Ralph McDonald Blanton Jr.

Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States

[1] U.S. Veterans Gravesites, ca.1775-2006

Name:Ralph McDonald Jr Blanton Service Info.:SGT US ARMY KOREA Birth Date:4 Jul 1928

Death Date:6 Sep 1989 Service Start Date:30 Nov 1950 Interment Date:11 Sep 1989

Cemetery:Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery Cemetery Address:2900 Sheridan Road St. Louis, MO 63125 Buried At:Section Aa Site 7

Find A Grave Memorial# 93279221

Social Security Death Index

Name:R. M. Blanton SSN:495-28-2237 Born:4 Jul 1928 Died:15 Sep 1989 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

263. Alcie Jane Blanton (*Ralph McDonald Sr.* ⁴, *Alexander A. Jr.* ³, *Alexander A. Sr.* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 28 January 1930 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 21 April 1930 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried on 21 April 1930 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

BIRTH:

Date from death certificate states she was born 28 Jan 1930 in Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, USA

1930 Federal Census

Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 185, 29 April 1930, house 227,

BLANTON, Ralph M. head w m 31; Annabelle wife w f 23; Ralph Jr. son w m 1 ?/12; Alcy Jane dau w f 2; Guss uncle w m 78 widowed

[All born in Missouri including parents except Gus' father born in Kentucky. Ralph was first married at age 29, Annabelle at age 21.]

1930 Death

Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, File Number #12239

Alcie Jane Blanton w f 2mos 24 days, born 28 Jan 1930 died 21 Apr 1930.

Father: Ralph McDonald Blanton Mother: Annabell A. Bates

Place of Death: Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, USA

Alcie Jane Blanton April 21, 1930 Franklin 12239

1930 Burial

Sullivan Community I.O.O.F. Cemetery, (Odd Fellows) Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States

Blanton, Ralph M. Sr. 11 July 1898-10 October 1967 husband of Annabell A.

Blanton, Annabell A. 8 June 1907-21 October 1992

Blanton, Alcy Jane 1930-1930

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264. Arthur B. Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 25 December 1925 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1930 FEDERAL CENSUS:

Bourbon, Boone Township, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 171b, 3 April 1930, house 56, family 57;

BLANTON, Arthur head w m 43; Mary E. wife w f 23; Arthur J. son w m 4 3/12; Walter L. son w m 3 2/12; Nadine dau w f 1 11/12; Magdalene dau w f 11/12

[All born in Missouri including parents except Mary's mother was born in Oklahoma. Arthur and Mary are married and Arthur's first marriage was at the age of 37, Mary's at the age of 17. Arthur owns his home and he is a carpenter. They are living next door to his parents; Albert B. & Ellen (**JACKSON**) Blanton.]

Arthur married **Vicky**.

265. James Lee Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 28 February 1927 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 9 August 2001 in Lookout, Pike, Kentucky, United States at age 74, and was buried in August 2001 in Camp Nelson National Cemetery, Nicholasville, Jessamine, Kentucky, United States.

Social Security Death Index

<<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

Name:James Blanton SSN:498-22-5030 Last Residence:41542 Lookout, Pike, Kentucky, United States of America Born:28 Feb 1927 Died:9 Aug 2001 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

266. Nadine Emily Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 22 May 1928 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1930 FEDERAL CENSUS:

Bourbon, Boone Township, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 171b, 3 April 1930, house 56, family 57;

BLANTON, Arthur head w m 43; Mary E. wife w f 23; Arthur J. son w m 4 3/12; Walter L. son w m 3 2/12; Nadine dau w f 1 11/12; Magdalene dau w f 11/12

[All born in Missouri including parents except Mary's mother was born in Oklahoma. Arthur and Mary are married and Arthur's first marriage was at the age of 37, Mary's at the age of 17. Arthur owns his home and he is a carpenter. They are living next door to his parents; Albert B. & Ellen (**JACKSON**) Blanton.]

Nadine married **Custer R. Walters**. Custer was born on 23 July 1924, died on 6 February 2001 in Cuba, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 76, and was buried in February 2001 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about Custer R. Walters

Name:Custer R. Walters **SSN:**492-22-9045 **Last Residence:**65453 Cuba, Crawford, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**23 Jul 1924 **Died:**6 Feb 2001 **State (Year)**

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SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

267. Magdeline "Tootsie" Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 17 May 1929 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 5 February 1990 in New Hartford, Pike, Missouri, United States at age 60, and was buried in February 1990 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

1930 FEDERAL CENSUS:

Bourbon, Boone Township, Crawford, Missouri, United States, page 171b, 3 April 1930, house 56, family 57;

BLANTON, Arthur head w m 43; Mary E. wife w f 23; Arthur J. son w m 4 3/12; Walter L. son w m 3 2/12; Nadine dau w f 1 11/12; Magdalene dau w f 11/12

[All born in Missouri including parents except Mary's mother was born in Oklahoma. Arthur and Mary are married and Arthur's first marriage was at the age of 37, Mary's at the age of 17. Arthur owns his home and he is a carpenter. They are living next door to his parents; Albert B. & Ellen (**JACKSON**) Blanton.]

1990 DEATH:

1990 BURIAL:

Bourbon Cemetery, Crawford Co., MO Submitted April 18, 2005 by Jeff Mitchell

<jemumr@yahoo.com> <<http://www.rootsweb.com/~usgenweb/copyright.htm>>

Crider, Magdalene Toots, 17-May-1929, 5-Feb-1990

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about Magdalene Crider

Name:Magdalene Crider **SSN:**500-28-8278 **Last Residence:**63364 New Hartford, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**17 May 1929 **Died:**5 Feb 1990 **State (Year)**

SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Magdeline married **Charles Edwin Crider**. Charles was born on 30 October 1919 and died on 24 December 1980 at age 61.

268. Stella Mae "Polly" Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 11 August 1930 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Stella married **Woodrow Coffman**.

269. Myrtle Ellen Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 3 March 1932 and died on 22 March 1998 at age 66.

Myrtle married **William Overlay**. William was born on 3 January 1949 and died on 26 March 1998 at age 49.

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270. Audrain Absalom Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 10 September 1933.

Audrain married **Reva Jane Bova**. Reva was born in 1944 and died in 1964 at age 20.

271. Robert "Bob" Donald Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 23 May 1934.

272. Shirley Jean Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 4 May 1935.

Shirley married **Melton**.

273. Edna Jane "Inkie" Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 30 June 1937.

Edna married **Lee Beck**.

274. Lottie Belle Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 22 January 1940 in Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 17 October 2004 in Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 64, and was buried on 22 October 2004 in Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

2004 OBITUARY:

Steelville Star-Crawford Mirror, Steelville, Crawford Co. MO Local Obituaries for the Week of October 27, 2004

Lottie Belle Blanton

Lottie Belle Blanton of Cuba, Missouri was born on January 22, 1940 in Bourbon, Missouri to the union of Arthur Blanton and Mary Elizabeth Fenton Blanton and passed away on October 17, 2004 at her home near Cuba, Missouri at the age of 64 years, 8 months and 25 days.

Lottie was preceded in death by her father Arthur Blanton, mother, Mary Elizabeth, by Arlie Hensely, who raised her and was like a father, one brother, Bud Blanton and two sisters, Tootsie (Magdaline) Crider and Ellen Overbey.

Those who survive to mourn her passing from this life are her two sons, Torben Jacobsen and wife Lou Anne and Rudy Jacobsen; three daughters, Mona Halligan, Eyvonna Kapsis and husband Tony and Kittie South and husband George; dear friend Charlie Williams; three brothers, Bob (Robert) Blanton, Adrain Blanton and wife Jane and Arthur Blanton and wife Vicky; six sisters, Nadine Walters, Shirley Melton, Inkie (Elda Jane) Beck, Polly (Stella May) Coffman and husband Woodrow, Carol Brewer and husband George and Ruth Lankford and husband Dean; 11 grandchildren; one great granddaughter; nieces; nephews; other relatives and many friends.

Lottie was a loving mother, grandmother, great grandmother, good friend to all who knew her and will be sadly missed. Lottie Belle Blanton was in state at the Britton Funeral Home of Cuba, Missouri where funeral services were held on Friday, October 22, 2004 at 2 p.m. with Rev. Bob Coleman officiating. Interment was in the Bourbon Cemetery, Bourbon, Missouri. All arrangements were under the direction of the Britton Funeral Home of Cuba, Missouri.

Lottie married **Rudyard Lugburg Jacobsen**.

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275. Carol Yvonne Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 2 October 1941.

Carol married **George Brewer**.

276. Ruth Elaine Blanton (*Arthur "Joker" ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 10 August 1945.

Ruth married **William "Bill" Dale Poertner**.

Ruth next married **Harold Dean Langford** on 6 November 1993.

277. Mildred Keyes (*Lottie Blanton ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 8 January 1907 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died 12 Dec 1996 in Arlington, Tarrant, Texas, United States at age 89, and was buried in December 1996 in Parkdale Cemetery, Arlington, Tarrant, Texas, United States.

Mildred married **Asher Richardson Bell Sr.** Asher was born on 22 May 1907 in Carrizo Springs, Dimmit, Texas, USA and died on 10 October 1984 in San Antonio, Bexar, Texas, United States at age 77.

278. Vernon E. Keyes (*Lottie Blanton ⁴, Absalom B. ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 8 December 1916 in Springfield, Capital Twp, Sangamon, Illinois, United States.

279. Jewell Reed (*Rosie May Keys ⁴, Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 10 June 1906 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 8 May 1907 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried in May 1907 in Green Mound Cemetery, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

280. William Enos Reed (*Rosie May Keys ⁴, Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 2 April 1908 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 25 November 1986 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 78.

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about William Reed

Name: William Reed **SSN:** 492-07-1082 **Last Residence:** 63109 Saint Louis, Saint Louis City, Missouri, United States of America **Born:** 2 Apr 1908 **Died:** Nov 1986 **State (Year) SSN issued:** Missouri (Before 1951)

281. Marshall Reed (*Rosie May Keys ⁴, Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 5 July 1910 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 July 1996 in House Springs, High Ridge Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 86, and was buried on 9 July 1996 in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, 2900 Sheridan Road, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States.

282. Mathew Reed (*Rosie May Keys ⁴, Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton ³, Alexander A. Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 5 July 1910 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 February 1995 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United

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States at age 84, and was buried in February 1995 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

283. Douglas Reed (*Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 18 January 1912 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 March 1994 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 82, and was buried in March 1994 in Bonne Terre Cemetery, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

284. Wilda E. Reed (*Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 12 March 1914 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 February 2008 at age 93, and was buried in February 2008 in Park Lawn Cemetery, Lemay, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Wilda married **Wilbert Howard Barks**, son of **Howard Aure Barks** and **Dora Ethel Whybark**,. Wilbert was born on 22 November 1913, died on 24 July 1998 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 84, and was buried in July 1998 in Park Lawn Cemetery, Lemay, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

285. Sherwood Reed (*Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 June 1916 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 13 June 2005 in Long Beach, Harrison, Mississippi, United States at age 88, and was buried in June 2005 in Biloxi National Cemetery, P.O. Box 4968 Pass Road Biloxi, Mississippi, United States.

286. Helen L. Reed (*Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 21 March 1918 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 14 July 2002 in Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 84, and was buried in July 2002 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

287. Harvey John Reed (*Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 August 1919 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 3 July 1991 in Desloge Village, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 71, and was buried in July 1991 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Harvey married **Geraldine Mabel Miller**, daughter of **George Henry Miller** and **Mamie Ethel Sebastian**, on 13 May 1942 in Irondale, Concord Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States. Geraldine was born on 12 October 1924 in Leadwood, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 25 August 2010 in St. Joe Manor, 10 Lake Drive, Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 85, and was buried in August 2010 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

U.S. Cemetery and Funeral Home Collection

ntblName: Gertrude Mabel Reed **ntbl Gender:** Female **ntbl Age at Death:** 85 **ntbl Residence:** Desloge, Missouri, USA **ntbl Date of Birth:** 12 Oct 1924 **ntbl Birth Place:** Leadwood, Missouri, USA **ntbl Date of Death:** 25 Aug 2010 **ntbl Source Location:** Leadwood, Missouri, USA **ntbl Spouse:** Harvey John Reed **ntbl Children:** Chapel; Diana N. Clements; Stephen Peter Reed **ntbl Parents:** George Henry [Mamie Sebastian Miller] **ntbl Brothers and Sisters:** Doris LeClare of Maryland Heights.

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Alsonbtbl Full Obituary: Geraldine Mabel Reed, age 85, of Desloge passed away August 25, 2010 at St. Joe Manor in Bonne Terre. She was born October 12, 1924 in Leadwood, MO. She was a member of the First Church of God in Leadwood; Missouri Historical Society, a charter member of the Missouri Mines Museum Society; and was politically active. She was preceded in death by her parents, George Henry & Mamie (Sebastian) Miller; husband Harvey John Reed; son, Stephen Peter Reed; daughter, Diana N. Clements, and granddaughter, Amy Clements. Mabel is survived by three children; Michael Reed and wife Linda Sue of Viburnum, Thomas Reed and wife Deborah of Festus, Barry Reed and wife Jessy of Lancaster, CA; grandchildren, Scott, Bradley, Todd, Christopher, Julie, Tara, Kendra, Sarah; fourteen great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild; sister, Doris LeClare of Maryland Heights. Also survived by nieces and nephews. Visitation will be Friday 5 to 9 PM at C. Z. Boyer & Son Funeral Home in Desloge. Services will be Saturday at 11 AM at C. Z. Boyer & Son Chapel in Desloge with Rev. Kendall Hughes officiating. Interment will be at St. Francois Memorial Park. Memorials may be directed to St. Louis Association for Retarded Citizens, First Church of God in Leadwood, or Missouri Mines Museum. **ntbl**

United States Obituary Collection

ntblName of Deceased: Mabel Reed**ntbl Gender:** F (Female)**ntbl Age at Death:** 85**ntbl Death Date:** 25 Aug 2010**ntbl Obituary Date:** 28 Aug 2010**ntbl Newspaper Title:** Daily Journal Online**ntbl Newspaper Location:** Park Hills, MO, US**ntbl Birth Date:** 12 Oct 1924**ntbl Birth Place:** US**ntbl Spouse's Name:** Harvey John Reed**ntbl Parents' Names:** George Henry & Mamie (Sebastian) Miller**ntbl Childrens' Names:** Chapel; Diane N. Clements; Stephen Peter Reed**ntbl Siblings' Names:** Doris LeClair of Maryland Heights. Also**ntbl Number of Grandchildren:** 7

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Tribute to Our Pre-1975 Family History Pioneers

by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 8 August 2008

When I began my research in 1975 there were very few people who knew anything about the Pratt and Blanton families. Of all the hundreds of people I had talked to, only three distinct individuals were knowledgeable about these families.

[1] Geraldine Mabel (MILLER) Reed married to Harvey John Reed of Saint Francois

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County, Missouri. She was knowledgeable concerning the Blanton, Pratt, Carter & Harmon families of Tennessee. I had driven to Desloge and visited with Mabel many times and shared research material. She was a pioneer in our family history research.

[2] Malinda Irene (HULSEY) Murdick married William "Bill" George Murdick of Saint Francois County, Missouri. She was knowledgeable concerning the Blanton, somewhat on the Pratt and a great deal on the Hulsey families. I had driven to Farmington and visited with Irene and shared research material with her before she got sick and moved into St. Louis with her daughter.

[3] Julia Mae (HARMON) Blanton married Roy Lewis Blanton of Steelville, Crawford, Missouri. She knew a great deal about Blanton, Harmon family connections. She was not very knowledgeable concerning the Pratt families. I can't recall visiting with her other than a few phone calls. I obtained some of her research which was given freely to me by her and the others.

These three ladies were and are responsible for 90% of what is known about the Blanton, Hulsey, Harmon families of Missouri that you now find on the internet. If you notice, there were no Pratt family historians in the 1970's other than the information Mabel had...that was it.

These ladies researched the old fashion way...by leg work and digging in old courthouses for information. They interviewed relatives and researched cemeteries and obtained their information the hard way.

When I came along to fulfill the requirements of my church, all this information they shared with me had to be documented and "proven" with reliable sources, which up until my time was not really a priority for family history researchers.

My tribute to these remarkable ladies is the fact that they pointed me in the right directions and I was able to dig and prove their research and take it up to a professional level. I was able to accomplish this because, I was young and had the time and monetary resources to go to the cemeteries, libraries, courthouses and visit with relatives to fill in the blanks.

Without their help, 90% of what you have found on the internet would not be there because I would not have been able to validate their research and make my findings available to the public. This is a tribute to them and their lifelong dedication for a great sacrifice endured, and in the process they have provided us with a legacy for future generations. Thank you ladies, see you soon.

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Children from this marriage were:

+ 433 F i. **Diane N. Reed** was born on 25 December 1943 and died on 21 July 1996 at age 52.

Diane married **Clements**.

+ 434 M ii. **Michael Rueban Reed** was born on 27 September 1947 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

+ 435 M iii. **Thomas Keys Reed** was born on 10 September 1953 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

+ 436 M iv. **Stephen Peter Reed** was born on 19 December 1959 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 24 June 1979 in Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 19, and was buried in June 1979 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

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+ 437 M v. **Barry Lynn Reed** was born on 6 January 1962 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

288. Waldo "Toe" B. Reed (*Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 23 July 1922 in Leadwood, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 21 October 2003 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in October 2003 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

289. Orin S. Asbridge (*Birdie Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1912 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

290. James Stanley Asbridge (*Birdie Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 23 March 1914 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died on 6 April 1970 at age 56.

291. Iona C. Asbridge (*Birdie Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1917 in Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

292. Monroe Keys (*Thomas "Tom" Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 28 January 1923 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 14 November 1975 in Washington, Ohio, United States at age 52, and was buried in November 1975 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Monroe married **Joan Edwards**.

293. Hilda Marie Keys (*Thomas "Tom" Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 21 January 1925 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 11 January 1992 in Washington, Ohio, United States at age 66, and was buried in January 1992 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Hilda married **Leonard Hudson**, son of **Edgar William Hudson** and **Sophie Elizabeth Gertrude Dring**, from 1944 to 1946. Leonard was born on 10 February 1926 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died on 4 April 2008 in Wappapello, Wayne, Missouri, United States at age 82, and was buried in April 2008 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

+ 438 M i. **Leonard Thomas Hudson** was born on 3 April 1946 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

+ 439 M ii. **John Gary Hudson** was born on 23 April 1947 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

+ 440 F iii. **Lissa Lee Hudson** was born on 7 May 1949 in Kirkwood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Lissa married **McKenna**.

+ 441 F iv. **Felicia Dee Hudson** was born on 17 November 1959 in Washington, Ohio, United States.

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States.

294. Katherine Leona "Kitty" Keys (*Thomas "Tom" Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 17 February 1927 in Kirkwood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 12 October 2002 in Arco, Butte, Idaho, United States at age 75, and was buried in October 2002 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Katherine married **Willis Ranson Newby**, son of **Nicholas Francis Newby Jr** and **Emily Lorinda Barber**, in April 1964 in Idaho, United States. Willis was born on 18 November 1914 in Herbert, Madison, Idaho, United States, died on 6 March 1967 in Shoshone, Lincoln, Idaho, United States at age 52, and was buried in March 1967 in Shoshone Cemetery, Shoshone, Lincoln, Idaho, United States.

295. Wilma Faye "Wink" Keys (*Thomas "Tom" Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 3 October 1930 in Morris Mills, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died after 1982, and was buried in Crestview Memorial Park, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Wilma married **Andrew Frederick Weirich**, son of **Oscar Gustave Weirich** and **Addie Francis Caldwell**, on 5 November 1948 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Andrew was born on 12 September 1910 in Champion City, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 July 1961 in Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 50, and was buried on 2 August 1961 in Wildey's 100F Cemetery, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Andrew F. Weirich July 30, 1961 FRANKLIN 24703

Wilma next married **Edwin Joseph Schoenfeld**. Edwin was born on 25 December 1910 in Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in November 1982 in Washington, Ohio, United States at age 71, and was buried in November 1982 in Crestview Memorial Park, Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. They had no children.

296. Betty Jean Keys (*Thomas "Tom" Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 May 1932 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 23 October 2009 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried on 27 October 2009 in United Methodist Church of Saint Clair Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Betty married **Reuban Jordan Deaton** on 24 June 1955.

297. Nellie Fern Keys (*Thomas "Tom" Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 March 1936 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Nellie married **Ray Suiter**. Ray died from 1980 to 1990 in Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

298. LuLa Bell Hogan (*Eva Maxine Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 9 April 1932, died on 7 July 2003 at age 71, and was buried on 9 July 2003 in Anaconda Cemetery, Morrelton, Central Twp, Franklin,

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Missouri, United States.

LuLa Bell Hogan Brown Steel

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ntbl Birth: Apr. 9, 1932ntbl Death: Jul. 7, 2003ntbl Mrs. Steele was born April 9, 1932, the daughter of John W. Hogan and wife Eva. As a young woman she was united in marriage and blessed with two children. She was then united in marriage Oct. 1, 1953 to Walter Junior Steele. They were blessed with four children. Mrs. Steele was of the Baptist faith. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Steele was preceded in death by her parents, John and Eva Hogan; by two sons, Stanley Steele and Robert Brown; and by five sisters. She is survived by her husband, Walter Steele, St. Clair; four sons, Jerry Steele and wife Peggy, Villa Ridge, Richard Brown and wife Ardell, Washington, Paul Steele, St. Clair, and Mark Steele and wife Sherry, Lonedell; two daughters, Tracy Wright and Stacy Steele, both of St. Clair; one brother, Ralph Miller, St. Clair; 13 grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; brothers- and sisters-in-law; nieces; nephews; great-nieces; great-nephews; great-great-nieces; great-great-nephews; cousins; other relatives and many friends. Memorial services were held Wednesday, July 9, at the Russell Colonial Funeral Home, St. Clair, with the Rev. Glenn Hammond officiating. Private committal services will take place at a later date. Memorials to Unity Health Hospice, Washington, are preferred. The Steele family is being served by Russell Colonial Funeral Home, St. Clair. Family links: Parents: [John Wesley Hogan <fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=33556738>](#) [Eve Maxine Key Hogan \(1898 - 1963\) <fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=33556748>](#) Spouse: [Robert M Brown \(1924 - 1969\) <fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=25773251>](#) Children: [Robert W Brown \(1949 - 1974\) <fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=27696587>](#) * * Reverse Relationships:" boBDY="This relationship was not directly added to this memorial. Rather, it is calculated based on information added to the related person's memorial. For example: if Joe Public is linked to Jane Public as a spouse, a reciprocal link will automatically be added to Jane Public's memorial. " boCSSBDY boCSSHDR IDebugfix="false" fixX="NaN" fixY="NaN" absX="NaN" absY="NaN" offY="10" offX="10" fade="true" fadespeed=".09" delay="0" windowLock="true"Calculated relationship ntblntbl Burial: [Anaconda Cemetery </cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=cr&GRid=33556630&CRid=379033&>](#) Saint Clair Franklin County Missouri, USAntbl [Edit Virtual Cemetery info <fg.cgi?page=editVclInfo&vclntld=33556630>](#) [Virtual Cemetery:] body=[**What is a Virtual Cemetery?** A Find A Grave Virtual Cemetery is essentially a collection of names from the Find A Grave database. As a Find A Grave contributor, you can build Virtual Cemeteries to group listings in whatever way you would like. For example, you might make a 'Smith Family Virtual Cemetery' where you would place all of the members of your Smith family tree. Other examples: 'My Favorite Actors' or 'Memorials I Visit Often'. Be creative! A VIRTUAL CEMETERY HAS NO RELATION TO A REAL CEMETERY! People listed in your VIRTUAL cemeteries can be buried in many different REAL cemeteries. You can add any name in the Find A Grave database to the Virtual Cemeteries you create. You can choose to make your Virtual Cemeteries visible to the visitors of your Find A Grave contributor page so that others can view the collections you have created.] fade=[on] fadespeed=[.09]"?ntbl Created by: [Diane <fg.cgi?page=mr&MRid=47064130>](#) Record added: Feb 04, 2009 Find A Grave Memorial# 33556630 ntbl </cgi-bin/fg.cgi?page=pv&GRid=33556630&Plpi=17053207>Hogan Brown Steel" src="http://image1.findagrave.com/photos250/photos/2009/109/33556630_124025886540.jpg"

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299. James Alvin Cain Caine (*Maudie Ann Eads*⁴, *Isabelle "Belle" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 3 September 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 22 February 1983 in Sparta, Sparta Precinct, Randolph, Illinois, United States at age 74, and was buried on 26 February 1983 in Caladonia Cemetery Sparta, Randolph, Illinois, USA.

300. Leslie Wesley Andrew Cain (*Maudie Ann Eads*⁴, *Isabelle "Belle" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1910 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 29 July 1979 in Collinsville, St Clair, Illinois, United States at age 69.

301. Alice Cain (*Maudie Ann Eads*⁴, *Isabelle "Belle" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1912 in Potosi, Breton Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died in 1960 in Sacramento, Sacramento, California, United States at age 48.

302. Jesse Ray Bigley (*Andrew Lauren Bigley*⁴, *Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1919 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.

303. Andrew L. Bigley (*Andrew Lauren Bigley*⁴, *Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1922 in Oklahoma, United States.

304. Melvin Lawn Bigley (*Andrew Lauren Bigley*⁴, *Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 27 June 1922, died on 4 November 1990 in Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 68, and was buried in Crestview Cemetery, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

305. Ethel Ellen Bigley (*Andrew Lauren Bigley*⁴, *Susan "Susie" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 11 April 1909 in Leadwood, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 4 November 1927 in Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 18, and was buried on 6 November 1927 in United Methodist Church of Saint Clair Cemetery, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Ethel Ellen Bigley November 04, 1927 Franklin 33162

306. Gladys Marie Dyle (*Samuel James Tilden Dyle*⁴, *Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 16 August 1902 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 28 February 1904 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 1, and was buried in February 1904 in

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Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Gladys Marie (DYLE) {FAG# 11053242} was born 16 August 1902 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 28 February 1904 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried February 1904 - Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Samuel James Tilden Dyle {FAG# 62442617} (1877-1949) Mother: Johanna Crawford (LAHMANN) {FAG# 62442593} (1883-1948).

307. Lizzie Frances Dyle (*Samuel James Tilden Dyle*⁴, *Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 1 April 1905 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 October 1992 in Ellis, Ellis, Kansas, United States at age 87, and was buried in October 1992.

Lizzie married **Charles Leonard Pennock**, son of **Ambrose Michael Pennock** and **Martha "Mattie" Lucinda Sites**, on 17 June 1924. Charles was born on 22 February 1900 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 9 June 1992 in rural Bourbon, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 92, and was buried on 12 June 1992 in New Rock Cemetery, Boone Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Obituary for Charles Leonard Pennock

"Charles L. Pennock of Bourbon passed away Tuesday, June 9, 1992 at the age of 92 years. Charles was born February 22, 1900 at Bourbon, Mo. to Ambrose M. and Martha L. Pennock, nee Sites. He lived in the Dowler Mill area near Bourbon. He was married to Lizzie F. Dyle on June 17, 1924 at Sullivan, Mo. and to this marriage of 67 years, four children were born. Mr. Pennock started farming in 1936 and continued farming until 1954 when he was employed by Paco Carburetor Co. as a utility man until he retired in 1965. Charles was baptized into the Assembly of God faith. He was a kind man, simple yet strong, devoted to his family and one who would always give a helping hand to this friend and neighbors, or anyone needing his help. They knew they could count on Charles and he never let them down. He is survived by his wife, Lizzie Pennock of Bourbon, one son Leonard Pennock of Ellis, Kansas, to daughters, Lenora Adams of Bourbon and Loraine Ayub of El Paso Texas, one brother, Frank Pennock of Yuma, Arizona, two sisters, Lillie Pennock and Marie Wilson, both of Bourbon, 13 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grandchild, other relatives and friends. Along with his parents, he was preceded in death by other brothers and sisters and two grandchildren. Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday, June 12, 1992 from the Eaton Chapel, Bourbon with Pastor John Wolfe officiating. Interment was in New Rock Cemetery, Bourbon, Mo."

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308. Harry Carter Dyle Sr. (*Samuel James Tilden Dyle*⁴, *Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 May 1907 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 19 January 1959 in Bexar, Texas, United States at age 51, and was buried in January 1959 in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery, 1520 Harry Wurzbach Road, San Antonio, Bexar, Texas, United States.

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Harry married **Edith Elizabeth Linthicum**, daughter of **Jacob Leslie Linthicum** and **Katie Elizabeth Adams**, on 11 December 1935 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Edith was born on 4 June 1915 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 26 May 1962 at age 46, and was buried in May 1962 in Crow Cemetery, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 442 M i. **Martin Conrad Dyle** was born on 25 July 1941 in Fort Leavenworth, Leavenworth, Kansas, United States, died on 29 April 2008 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 66, and was buried in Crow Cemetery, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

309. Samuel "Sam" J. Tilden Dyle (*Samuel James Tilden Dyle*⁴, *Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 27 April 1909 in Cuba City, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 18 May 1965 at age 56, and was buried in May 1965 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Samuel "Sam" J. Tilden Dyle {FAG# 62442641} was born 27 April 1909 - Cuba City, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States and died 18 May 1965 he was buried May 1965 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Samuel James Tilden Dyle {FAG# 62442617} (1877-1949) Mother: Johanna Crawford (LAHMANN) {FAG# 62442593} (1883-1948). Spouses: 1st Helen L. (____) Campbell (1898 - 1940-1949) Marriage:1923-1930 2nd Olive Agnes (SEAGO) {FAG# 82411283} (13 December 1912 - 9 February 2000) Marriage: 17 August 1949 - Fulton, Arkansas, United States

Samuel married **Helen L.** from 1923 to 1930. Helen was born in 1898 in Missouri, United States and died from 1940 to 1949 at age 42.

1930 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6224&enc=1>>

about Helen L Dyle

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Dyle**ntbl Father's Birthplace:**Michigan**ntbl Mother's Birthplace:**Missouri**ntbl**

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Samuel next married **Olive Agnes Seago**, daughter of **John Thomas Seago** and **Cora Rebecca Crawford**, on 17 August 1949 in Fulton, Arkansas, United States. Olive was born on 13 December 1912 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died on 9 February 2000 in Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 87, and was buried on 12 February 2000 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Olive Agnes (SEAGO) Dyle {FAG# 82411283} was born 13 December 1912 - Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States and died 9 February 2000 - Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried 12 February 2000 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: John Thomas Seago (1883-1964) Mother: Cora Rebecca (CRAWFORD) {FAG# 95593429} (1894-1918). Spouse: Samuel J. Tilden Dyle {FAG# 62442641} (27 April 1909 - 18 May 1965) Marriage: 17 August 1949 - Fulton, Arkansas, United States.

310. Mary Jane Dyle (*Samuel James Tilden Dyle*⁴, *Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 21 January 1911 in Cuba City, Benton Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States, died on 2 December 1918 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 7, and was buried on 2 December 1918 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

311. Sarah Lovina Dyle (*Samuel James Tilden Dyle*⁴, *Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 December 1913 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 3 September 1958 in Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 44, and was buried on 6 September 1958 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Sarah Louina Dyle, daughter of Samuel T. Dyle & Johannah Lahmann
wife of Edward S. Palmer
Occupation: Shoe Factory/machine operator
Cause of Death: Cardiac Arrest

Information from MO Death Certificate

Sarah Lovina (DYLE) Palmer {FAG# 63541711} was born 13 December 1913 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 3 September 1958 - Saint Francis Hospital, Washington, Saint John's Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried 6 September 1958 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Samuel James Tilden Dyle {FAG# 62442617} (1877-1949) Mother: Johanna Crawford (LAHMANN) {FAG# 62442593} (1883-1948). Spouse: Edward Sylvester Palmer (20 December 1909 - 28 March 2001) Marriage: 1934-1935.

Sarah married **Edward Sylvester Palmer Sr.**, son of **David Franklin Palmer** and **Mary Francis Heckman**, from 1934 to 1935. Edward was born on 20 December 1909 in Boone Twp, Maries, Missouri, United States and died on 28 March 2001 in Union, Union Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 91.

312. Ella M. Dyle (*Samuel James Tilden Dyle*⁴, *Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1916 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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313. Rose Madeline Dyle (*Samuel James Tilden Dyle*⁴, *Nancy Catherine Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 11 September 1918 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 29 December 1987 at age 69.

314. Alice May Campbell (*David Garfield Campbell* ⁴, *Malinda Jane Pratt* ³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 16 October 1919 in Morrellton, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 29 December 1921 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 2, and was buried in December 1921 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

315. Andrew Campbell (*Andrew Jackson "Jack" Campbell* ⁴, *Malinda Jane Pratt* ³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born in 1912 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

316. Hazel Loretta West (*Laura Jane Campbell* ⁴, *Malinda Jane Pratt* ³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born on 22 June 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died in July 1995 in Louisiana, United States at age 76, and was buried in Louisiana, United States.

317. Arthur A. West (*Laura Jane Campbell* ⁴, *Malinda Jane Pratt* ³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born in 1914 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1920 United States Federal Census <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=6061&enc=1>>

about Arthur A West

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Place:Missouri**ntbl** **Mother's Birth Place:Missouri****ntbl** **Marital Status: Single****ntbl**

Race:Whiten**tbl** **Sex:**Malen**tbl** **Able to read:**Yesn**tbl** **Able to Write:**Yesn**tbl**

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318. James D. West (*Laura Jane Campbell* ⁴, *Malinda Jane Pratt* ³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton* ², *Abraham Absalom* ¹) was born in 1916 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

319. Mary A. West (*Laura Jane Campbell*⁴, *Malinda Jane Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline*

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*Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1918 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

320. Eliza Welch (*Mary Caroline Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1904 in Missouri, United States.

321. Charles H. "Charlie" Welch (*Mary Caroline Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1905 in Missouri, United States.

1910 Federal Census

Denning Town, Hogan Twp, Franklin, Arkansas, United States, page 85a, 16 April 1910, line 16, house 43, family 43,

WILCH, W.[William] H. head w m 29; Mary wife w f 24; Eliza dau w f 6; Charlie son w m 5; Otis son w m 2

[William was born in Illinois, his parents in Indiana. Mary was born in Missouri as was her parents. The children were born in Missouri as was their mother and their father was born in Illinois. This is their first marriage they have been married for 8 years and Mary says she has had 3 children born and 3 are living. William is a coal miner and is renting.]

1912-1915 Move

From Denning Town, Hogan Twp, Franklin, Arkansas, United States to Oklahoma between 1912-1915.

1916-1920 Move

From Oklahoma to 1201 Calhoun, Springfield City, North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States between 1916-1920.

1920 Federal Census

1201 Calhoun, Springfield City, North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 167b, 12 January 1920, line 83, house 1201, dwelling 219, family 229

WELCH, William H. head w m 38; Mary C. wife w f 34; Charles H. son w m 14; Wallis O.[Otis] son w m 11; George W. son w m 8 11/12; Mary L. dau w f 4 7/12

[William born in Illinois as was his father, his mother in Indiana. All the rest born in Missouri as was their parents except George was born in Arkansas and Mary was born in Oklahoma. William is a boiler washer at the Frisco Shop and is renting.]

1920 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186b, 22 & 23 January 1920, line 68, house 298, family 312

PRATT, John A. head w m 39; Christina M. wife w f 22; Alice L. dau w f 6; James F. son w m 4 2/12; **HENSON**, James L. fanlaw w m 59; Margret E. monlaw w f 45; **WELCH**, Charles H. nephew w m 15

[All born in Missouri including parents with the following exceptions, John says his mother was born in Illinois, James Henson was born in Indiana, Charles says his father was born in Illinois. Charles is the son of William & Mary Caroline (**PRATT**) Welch. James is a farmer and renting. Living next door to brother, Francis & Fannie E. (**HENSON**) Pratt family. Also, Charles' brother, Willie is living with Francis and Fannie.]

322. Willie Otis Welch (*Mary Caroline Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1908 in Missouri, United States.

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1920 Federal Census

Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 186b, 22 & 23 January 1920, line 63, house 297, family 311

PRATT, Francis C. head w m 25; Fannie E. wife w f 22; Francis S. son w f 9/12; **WELCH**, Willie C. nephew w m 11; **HENSON**, Grace L. sisnlaw w f 11

[All born in Missouri including parents. Willie is the son of William & Mary Caroline (**PRATT**) Welch. Francis is a farmer and renting. Living next door to brother, John A. & Christine M. (**HENSON**) Pratt family. Also, Willie's brother, Charles is living with the Pratts. On the next page is his brother; Alexander & Mary (**HENSON**) Pratt family]

323. George W. Welch (*Mary Caroline Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1912 in Arkansas, United States.

324. Mary L. Welch (*Mary Caroline Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 15 April 1915 in Oklahoma, United States, died on 27 September 1922 in North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States at age 7, and was buried on 29 September 1922 in Eastlawn Cemetery, Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States. She never married and had no children.

1920 Federal Census

1201 Calhoun, Springfield City, North Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States, page 167b, 12 January 1920, line 83, house 1201, dwelling 219, family 229

WELCH, William H. head w m 38; Mary C. wife w f 34; Charles H. son w m 14; Wallis O.[Otis] son w m 11; George W. son w m 8 11/12; Mary L. dau w f 4 7/12

[William born in Illinois as was his father, his mother in Indiana. All the rest born in Missouri as was their parents except George was born in Arkansas and Mary was born in Oklahoma. William is a boiler washer at the Frisco Shop and is renting.]

1922 Death

Missouri Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, death certificate #26055-c

Mary L. Welch died September 27, 1922 in Greene County, Missouri death certificate #26055-c

325. Alice L. Pratt (*John Absalom Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1914 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

326. James Frank Pratt (*John Absalom Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1916 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

327. Annie Pratt (*John Absalom Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1921 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

328. Charles William Pratt (*John Absalom Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 23 May 1923 in Washington, Missouri, United States, died on 3 November 1925 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 2, and was buried on 5 November 1925 in Meramec Camp Ground.

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329. James A. Pratt (*Alexander Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1922 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

James married someone.

330. Pearly V. Pratt (*Alexander Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1925 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

331. Kenneth L. Pratt (*Alexander Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1926 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

332. Lewis Francis Pratt (*Francis Columbus Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 9 May 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 22 January 2012 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States at age 92, and was buried on 25 January 2012 in Humansville Cemetery, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

Lewis Francis Pratt
(May 9, 1919 - January 22, 2012)

Lewis Francis Pratt, 92, passed away Sunday morning, January 22, 2012, at his home in Humansville. The son of Francis Columbus and Fanny Evelyn (Henson) Pratt, he was born in Sullivan, Missouri, May 9, 1919. He married Elizabeth June Bolander and she preceded him in death December 16, 1994, after 57 years of marriage.

Lewis was of the Baptist faith and a member of the Santa Fe Baptist Church, Boonville, Missouri.

He was a truck driver for the Farmers Exchange, Humansville, and managed a poultry farm for Crawford Oil before moving to central Missouri where he retired from the University of Missouri, Columbia, after 17 years of employment. During this time the family lived in New Franklin and Columbia, Missouri.

He was preceded in death by his parents; wife Elizabeth; son Charles Pratt of Amarillo, Texas in 2009; and only sister, Mabel Root, in 1999.

Lewis is survived by sons Roger Pratt and wife Cynthia, of Washington, Indiana; Dennis Pratt and wife Sharon, of Espanola, New Mexico; Ernest Pratt and wife Nancy, of New Franklin, Missouri; Val Pratt and wife Amy, of Humansville; daughter Lori Nelson and husband Ron, of Boonville, Missouri; numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held 2:00 PM Wednesday, January 25, 2012, at Murray Funeral Home, Humansville, with son Roger Pratt officiating. Burial will follow at the Humansville Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 1:00 to 2:00 PM prior to the service on Wednesday.

Family links:

Parents:

[Francis C Pratt \(1896 - 1962\) <fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=44799815>](#)

[Fannie Evelyn Henson Pratt \(1899 - 2000\) <fg.cgi?page=gr&GRid=37427709>](#)

Mr. Pratt,

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

I just want to clarify something you have on Ancestry.com concerning the Pratt's. You state that you want accurate info and that you have accurate info, well I beg to differ with you. Lewis Francis Pratt was born on May 9, 1919, but he is alive and well and will be 90 years old this May. He did not die May 20, 1956 as you state. His wife Elizabeth June Bolender did not die April 19, 1963 either. She died December 16, 1994. Also they did not have two girls either. They had 5 boys and adopted a granddaughter in 1983 which happened to be my husbands daughter. Please correct your information as assumption is not an option. Accuracy is. I am correct and accurate with this as I am a daughter-in-law to Lewis and Elizabeth. Thank you.
Sharon Pratt

Lewis married **Elizabeth June Bolender**, daughter of **Noah Bolender** and **Gertrude "Gertie" Frampton**, on 27 October 1937 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States. Elizabeth was born on 13 June 1920 in Wray, Yuma, Colorado, United States, died on 16 December 1994 in New Franklin, Howard, Missouri, United States at age 74, and was buried in December 1994 in Humansville Cemetery, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 443 M i. **Charles Lewis Pratt** was born on 27 October 1938 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.
- + 444 M ii. **Roger Lee Pratt** was born on 3 August 1944 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.
- + 445 M iii. **Dennie Allen Pratt** was born on 10 April 1947 in Grandview, Jackson, Missouri, United States.
- + 446 M iv. **Ernest Francis Pratt** was born on 28 February 1951 in Lee's Summit, Unity Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States.
- + 447 F v. **Val Jean Pratt** was born on 16 July 1955 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.
- + 448 F vi. **Lori Anne Lea Pratt** was born on 24 August 1967 in Topeka, Shawnee, Kansas, United States.
- + 449 M vii. **Boy Pratt** was born from 1938 to 1944.

333. Mabel Irene Pratt (*Francis Columbus Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 21 October 1921 in Chadwick, Chadwick Twp, Christian, Missouri, United States, died on 20 June 1999 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried on 25 June 1999 in Humansville Cemetery, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

Mable I. Root

Mabel Irene Root, 76, Humansville, died Sunday, June 20, 1999, at her home. The daughter of Francis Columbus "Lum" and Fannie Henson Root, she was born Oct. 21, 1922, near Chadwick.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Francis W. Root, on Nov. 20, 1975, and her father, Columbus "Lum" Root. Survivors include her mother, Fannie Pratt of Humansville; a brother, Lewis Pratt, New Franklin; two maternal aunts, Lea Hale and Pearl Must, both of Springfield; five nephews, Charles Pratt and his wife, Nora, Amarillo, Texas, Roger Pratt and his wife, Cynthia,

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

Washington, Ind., Dennis Pratt and his wife, Sharon, and Val J. Pratt, all of Conjon, N.M., and Ernest Pratt and his wife, Nancy, New Franklin; a niece, Lori Pratt, New Franklin; eight great-nephews, four great-nieces and numerous cousins.

Services will be at 11 a.m. Friday, June 25, in Murray Chapel, Humansville, with the Rev. Roger Pratt officiating. Pallbearers will be Lowell Myers, David Acuna, Ted Nichols, Tempton Hall, Charley York and Jesse Davis. Interment will be in Humansville Cemetery. Friends may call at their convenience in the funeral home after 9 a.m. Thursday, June 24.

Inscription:
Christian Cross

Mabel married **Francis Wesley Root**. Francis was born on 3 July 1909, died on 20 November 1975 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States at age 66, and was buried in November 1975 in Humansville Cemetery, Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

PFC, US Army, WWII

334. Bertha Pratt (*Francis Columbus Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born about 1926 and died about 1926.

335. Gertha Pratt (*Francis Columbus Pratt*⁴, *Henry Absalom Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born about 1926 and died about 1926.

336. Robert A. Blanton (*Homer Clarence Blanton Sr.*⁴, *Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 8 March 1916 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States and died in November 1981 in Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 65.

Social Security Death Index

Name:Robert Blanton SSN:492-09-6429 Last Residence:63143 Saint Louis, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States of America Born:8 Mar 1916 Last Benefit:63143 Saint Louis, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States of America Died:Nov 1981 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

337. Florence Mary Blanton (*Homer Clarence Blanton Sr.*⁴, *Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1918 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

338. Homer Clarence Blanton Jr. (*Homer Clarence Blanton Sr.*⁴, *Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 22 February 1921 in Clayton, Central Twp, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 4 October 1989 in Ballwin, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States at age 68, and was buried in October 1989 in Bellefontaine Cemetery, 4947 West Florissant Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

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U.S. World War II Army Enlistment Records, 1938-1946

Name:Homer C Blanton Birth Year:1921 Race:White, citizen (White) Nativity State or Country:Missouri State:Missouri County or City:St Louis Enlistment Date:24 Sep 1942 Enlistment State:Missouri Enlistment City:Jefferson Barracks Branch:Branch Immaterial - Warrant Officers, USA Branch Code:Branch Immaterial - Warrant Officers, USA Grade:Private Grade Code:Private Term of Enlistment:Enlistment for the duration of the War or other emergency, plus six months, subject to the discretion of the President or otherwise according to law Component:Selectees (Enlisted Men) Source:Civil Life Education:3 years of high school Civil Occupation:Automobile Serviceman Marital Status:Single, without dependents Height:68 Weight:154

Social Security Death Index

Name:Homer C. Blanton SSN:497-07-7870 Last Residence:63011 Ballwin, Saint Louis, Missouri, United States of America Born:22 Feb 1921 Died:4 Oct 1989 State (Year) SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Homer married **Patricia A. Warner**. Patricia was born on 17 February 1925, died on 12 October 1993 at age 68, and was buried in Bellefontaine Cemetery, 4947 West Florissant Avenue, Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

339. Mary Jones (*Grace "Gracie" Blanton ⁴, Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt ³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born in October 1917.

340. Hildagard Jones (*Grace "Gracie" Blanton ⁴, Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt ³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born in December 1919.

341. Laverne Blanton (*Orville Lewis Blanton Sr. ⁴, Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt ³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born in 1928 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

342. Wesley Allen Blanton (*Orville Lewis Blanton Sr. ⁴, Matilda Ellen "Tilda" Pratt ³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born on 31 December 1931 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States, died on 28 January 1967 in Youngstown, Mahoning, Ohio, United States at age 35, and was buried in January 1967 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

343. Phoebe M. Pratt (*William A. Pratt ⁴, John Absalom Pratt Jr. ³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton ², Abraham Absalom ¹*) was born in 1923 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

BIRTH:

Date from the 1930 census states she was born in 1923 in Missouri.

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 273a, 14 April 1930, house 248, family 260

PRATT, William head w m 32; Thelma L. wife w f 29; Phoebe M. dau w f 7; Thelma L. dau w f 5; William B. son w m 2; Emma A. dau w f ?; John A. father w m 55

[All born in Missouri except Thelma born in Oklahoma, her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri.

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John's parents born in Kentucky. William was first married at age 21 Thelma was first married at age 19. William works in a shoe factory. John A. is a widower.]

Phoebe married **Stevens**.

344. Thelma L. Pratt (*William A. Pratt*⁴, *John Absalom Pratt Jr.*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 273a, 14 April 1930, house 248, family 260

PRATT, William head w m 32; Thelma L. wife w f 29; Phoebe M. dau w f 7; Thelma L. dau w f 5; William B. son w m 2; Emma A. dau w f ?; John A. father w m 55

[All born in Missouri except Thelma born in Oklahoma, her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri. John's parents born in Kentucky. William was first married at age 21 Thelma was first married at age 19. William works in a shoe factory. John A. is a widower.]

345. William B. Pratt Jr. (*William A. Pratt*⁴, *John Absalom Pratt Jr.*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 20 July 1927 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 31 May 2009 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 81, and was buried in May 2009 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 273a, 14 April 1930, house 248, family 260

PRATT, William head w m 32; Thelma L. wife w f 29; Phoebe M. dau w f 7; Thelma L. dau w f 5; William B. son w m 2; Emma A. dau w f ?; John A. father w m 55

[All born in Missouri except Thelma born in Oklahoma, her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri. John's parents born in Kentucky. William was first married at age 21 Thelma was first married at age 19. William works in a shoe factory. John A. is a widower.]

FAG# 55474135

William B. Pratt Jr. {FAG# 55474135} was born 20 July 1927 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 31 May 2009 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried May 2009 - Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: William A. Pratt Sr. {FAG# 32226643} (1897-1985) Mother: Thelma Lydia (BLACKBURN) {FAG# 32226505} (1900-1970)

346. Emma Anna Pratt (*William A. Pratt*⁴, *John Absalom Pratt Jr.*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 October 1929 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 5 July 1933 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 3, and was buried on 6 July 1933 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1930 Federal Census

Sullivan, Meremac Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 273a, 14 April 1930, house 248, family 260

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PRATT, William head w m 32; Thelma L. wife w f 29; Phoebe M. dau w f 7; Thelma L. dau w f 5; William B. son w m 2; Emma A. dau w f ?; John A. father w m 55
[All born in Missouri except Thelma born in Oklahoma, her father in Illinois her mother in Missouri. John's parents born in Kentucky. William was first married at age 21 Thelma was first married at age 19. William works in a shoe factory. John A. is a widower.]

Emma A. Pratt July 05, 1933 Franklin 22796

347. Rose Ruth Pratt (*William A. Pratt*⁴, *John Absalom Pratt Jr.*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 January 1932 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 26 June 1933 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 1, and was buried on 27 June 1933 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

348. Edward Rodney Lahmann (*Paul Lahmann*⁴, *Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" Pratt*³, *Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹).

Edward married someone.

His child was:

+ 450 F i. **Brenda Lahmann.**

349. Helen G. Claspill (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill*⁴, *Susan Jane Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1908 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

350. Gilbert Alonzo Claspill (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill*⁴, *Susan Jane Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 6 July 1910 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 9 May 1911 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried on 10 May 1911 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. He never married and had no children.

Gilbert Alonzo Claspill May 09, 1911 Franklin 20850

351. Mabel J. Claspill (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill*⁴, *Susan Jane Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1913 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

352. Robert S. Claspill (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill*⁴, *Susan Jane Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in October 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

353. Catherine Claspill (*Elbert "Albert" Sevier Claspill*⁴, *Susan Jane Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1922 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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354. Roland "Rella" E. Light (*Mary Elizabeth Claspill*⁴, *Susan Jane Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born Devenber 1918 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1920 Federal Census

Enslot Avenue, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 182a, 17 & 18 January 1920, line 28, house 193, family 204

CLASPILL, Susan J. head w f 65; **LIGHT**, James E. snlw w m 33; Mary E. dau w f 29; Rella E. gson w m 1yr 1month

[Susan was born in Missouri her parents in Tennessee, the rest born in Missouri as was their parents except Mary's father born in Kentucky. Susan is a widow. James and Mary are married and they are renting. James is a teamster.]

355. Gladys M. Brandt (*Walter Scott Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1909 in Missouri, United States.

356. James Brandt (*Walter Scott Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1911 in Missouri, United States.

357. Minnie Brandt (*Walter Scott Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1915 in Missouri, United States.

Social Security Death Index <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=3693&enc=1>>

about Minnie Brandt

Name:Minnie Brandt **SSN:**551-23-6334 **Last Residence:**92405 San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California, United States of America **Born:**11 Dec 1915 **Died:**Jun 1977
State (Year) SSN issued:California (1973)

358. Beryl Brandt (*Walter Scott Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1920 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

359. Helen Brandt (*Walter Scott Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1924 in Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States.

360. Raymond Charles Moss (*Bertha Ellen Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1902 in Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died in 1914 in Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States at age 12.

361. Gwenith Christabelle Moss (*Bertha Ellen Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 13 October 1913 in Sullivan, Johnson Twp, Washington, Missouri, United States and died on 23 February 1986 in Rolla, Meramec Twp, Phelps, Missouri, United States at age 72.

362. Victor Emanuel Moss (*Bertha Ellen Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 17 November 1916, died on 7 April 1968 at age 51, and was buried in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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363. Lavinia Wilhelmina Brandt (*William Carl Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 21 June 1914 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 2 January 1979 at age 64.

364. William Calvert Brandt (*William Carl Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 December 1916 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died on 19 December 1978 at age 62.

365. Bertha Bernice Brandt (*Albert Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 30 September 1910 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 30 October 1910 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried on 30 October 1910 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Bertha Bernis Brandt October 30, 1910 Franklin 30334

366. Reginald Brandt (*Albert Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 29 March 1913 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 1 May 1913 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, and was buried on 2 May 1913 in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Reginald Brandt May 01, 1913 Franklin 16206

367. Marion Brandt (*Albert Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1916 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

368. Beatrice Brandt (*Reginald McKinley Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1917 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

369. Charles Brandt (*Reginald McKinley Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1918 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

370. Yale Brandt (*Reginald McKinley Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1919 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

371. Morris Brandt (*Reginald McKinley Brandt*⁴, *Nancy Caroline Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1929 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

372. Wilma Simmons (*Carl Herbert Simmons*⁴, *Mary Ellen Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1918 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

373. Paul Simmons (*Carl Herbert Simmons*⁴, *Mary Ellen Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1922 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

374. Cyrus J. Dace (*James Martin Dace*⁴, *Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1916 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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375. Stanley W. Dace (*James Martin Dace*⁴, *Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1918 in Franklin, Missouri, United States.

376. Randall E. Dace (*James Martin Dace*⁴, *Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹).

377. James L. Dace (*James Martin Dace*⁴, *Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹).

378. Anna Jean Dace (*James Martin Dace*⁴, *Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹).

Anna married **Vedder**.

379. Darlene Dace (*James Martin Dace*⁴, *Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹).

Darlene married **Schatz**.

380. Elaine Dace (*James Martin Dace*⁴, *Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹).

Elaine married **Weekes**.

381. Marvin R. Summers (*Mary Elizabeth Dace*⁴, *Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1922 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

382. Dale W. Summers (*Mary Elizabeth Dace*⁴, *Sarah Ann Blanton*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1926 in Washington, Missouri, United States.

383. Tracy H. Doyle (*Lora Grace Blanton*⁴, *Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1925 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

384. Mary M. Doyle (*Lora Grace Blanton*⁴, *Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1927 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

385. Dorothy J. Doyle (*Lora Grace Blanton*⁴, *Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1928 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

386. Virginia Ruth Doyle (*Minnie Etta Blanton*⁴, *Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 6 May 1925 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 2 April 1995 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 69, and was buried in April 1995 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Social Security Death Index

Name:Virginia R. Hamby **SSN:**487-20-8391 **Last Residence:**63080 Sullivan, Franklin, Missouri, United States of America **Born:**6 May 1925 **Died:**2 Apr 1995 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (Before 1951)

Virginia Ruth (DOYLE) Hamby {FAG# 29806667} was born 6 May 1925 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp,

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Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 2 April 1995 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and was buried April 1995 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Thomas "Tommy" Everett Doyle Sr. {FAG#+ 46064826} (1904-1954) Mother: Minnie Etta (BLANTON) {FAG#+ 46064751} (1909-1986). Spouse: Max Leroy Hamby {FAG# 29806635} (13 February 1923 - 15 November 2000) Marriage: 26 February 1946 - Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Virginia married **Max Leroy Hamby**, son of **Wesley Fulton Hamby Jr.** and **Ruth Emelle Cain**, on 26 February 1946 in Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. Max was born on 13 February 1923 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 15 November 2000 in Everett, Snohomish, Washington, United States at age 77, and was buried in November 2000 in Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Social Security Death Index

Name:Max L. Hamby **SSN:**500-16-2759 **Last Residence:**98201 Everett, Snohomish, Washington, United States of America **Born:**13 Feb 1923 **Died:**15 Nov 2000 **State (Year)**
SSN issued:Missouri (Before 1951)

Max Leroy Hamby {FAG# 29806635} was born 13 February 1923 - Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States and died 15 November 2000 - Everett, Snohomish, Washington, United States and was buried November 2000 - Sullivan IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Parents: Father: Wesley Fulton Hamby Jr. {FAG# 54120642} (1867-1948) Mother: Ruth Emeline (CAIN) {FAG# 55320399} (1884-1968). Spouse: Virginia Ruth (DOYLE) {FAG# 29806667} (6 May 1925 - 2 April 1995) Marriage: 26 February 1946 - Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States

387. Thomas Everett Doyle Jr. (*Minnie Etta Blanton*⁴, *Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 25 August 1927 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 18 November 1981 at age 54, and was buried in November 1981 in Stanton Cemetery, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

388. Clifton Earl Doyle (*Minnie Etta Blanton*⁴, *Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1930 in Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

389. Troy Blanton (*Walter Sanford*⁴, *Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 4 May 1941 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Troy married **Hilda Ann Hilliard** on 15 August 1960 in San Antonio, Bexar, Texas, United States. Hilda was born in 1945.

390. Judith Ann Blanton (*Walter Sanford*⁴, *Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 December 1944 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

Judith married **George Melvin Wilkinson** on 25 July 1964 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

391. David Eugene Blanton (*Walter Sanford*⁴, *Martin Van Buren*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 20 October 1950 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri,

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United States.

David married **Debra Ann Hare** on 30 June 1973 in Rose Bud, White, Arkansas, United States. The marriage ended in divorced no children. Debra was born on 25 December 1953 in Rose Bud, White, Arkansas, United States.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 451 M i. **Troy Christopher Blanton** was born on 25 December 1982 in Little Rock, Big Rock Twp, Pulaski, Arkansas, United States.

David next married **Karen Sue Cooper** on 28 July 1989. Karen was born on 16 July 1957 in Searcy, White, Arkansas, United States.

392. Wilma L. Blanton (*William Ellsworth*⁴, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Jr.*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1919 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

1920 Federal Census

Miller? Street, Sullivan City, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, page 179b, 5 & 6 January 1920, line 69, house 118, family 133

BLANTON, Elbert S. head w m 48; Alice M. wife w f 43; Anna G. dau w f 19; James E. son w m 14; Eva A. dau w f 11; Wilma L. gdau 10/12

[All born in Missouri including their parents except Alice's parents born in Indiana. Elbert is a teamster on the railroad and they are renting.]

393. Paul Prather (*Mary Addie Blanton*⁴, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Jr.*³, *Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born in 1918.

Korean War Casualties, 1950-1957 <<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=1033&enc=1>>

about Paul E Prather

ntblName: Paul E Prather **ntbl Birth Date:** 1917 **ntbl Race:** White **ntbl Home**

State: Missouri **ntbl Casualty Date:** 8 Sep 1950 **ntbl Casualty Country:** South Korea **ntbl**

Casualty Type: Killed in Action OR Missing in Action, KIA **ntbl Group:** KIA or Missing in Action, KIA **ntbl Branch:** Infantry **ntbl Component:** USA - RA (Reg Army) **ntbl**

Rank: Sergeant First Class **ntbl Pay Grade:** Sergeant First Class **ntbl Disposed Date:** 8

Sep 1950 **ntbl Disposed Place:** South Korea **ntbl Organization:** In Div - 2nd **ntbl Element**

Sequence: Cv Div Cav Regt Inf **ntbl Unit #:** 0038 **ntbl Service Occupation:** Light

Weapons Assault Infantryman

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about Paul E Prather

ntblName: Paul E Prather **ntbl Birth Date:** 1917 **ntbl Gender:** Male **ntbl**

Race: Caucasian (White) **ntbl Home City:** Jackson **ntbl Home State:** Missouri **ntbl**

Citizen Status: US Citizen **ntbl Death Date:** 8 Sep 1950 **ntbl Processed**

Date: Nov 1979 **ntbl Casualty Country:** Korea **ntbl Casualty Type:** Hostile -

Killed **ntbl Casualty Cause:** US Army - No Information Available **ntbl Casualty Air:** US

Army - No Information Available **ntbl Service Branch:** US Army **ntbl**

Component: Reserve (USAR, USNR, USAFR, USMCR, USCGR) **ntbl Rank:** Sergeant

First Class **ntbl Pay Grade:** Specialist Seventh Class (U.S. Army) Or Sergeant First Class

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(U.S. Army) Or Master Sergeant (U.S. Air Force) Or Gunnery Sergeant (U.S. Marine Corps) Or Grade/Rate Abbreviations With First Column: Any Entry; Second Column: Any Entry; Third Column: C;

394. Eleanor Prather (Mary Addie Blanton ⁴, Elbert "Albert" Sevier Jr. ³, Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹) was born in 1921 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

395. June R. Moss (Daniel S. Moss ⁴, Lucy Adeline Blanton ³, Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr. ², Abraham Absalom ¹) was born in 1930 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

396. Mary Ellen Hayes (Albertina Blanton ⁴, Charles Henry ³, John Allen ², Abraham Absalom ¹) was born in February 1925 in East Bonne Terre Village, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

397. Susie Boatright (Annie G. Blanton ⁴, Henry W. A. ³, Henry Hubert ², Abraham Absalom ¹) was born in 1900 in Homerville, Clinch, Georgia and died on 9 May 1988 at age 88.

398. Baby Boy Blanton (Howard Browning Sr. ⁴, James ³, Henry Hubert ², Abraham Absalom ¹) was born on 9 September 1916 in Elvins, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States and died on 9 September 1916 in Elvins, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States. He never married and had no children.

399. Raymond Harold Blanton (Howard Browning Sr. ⁴, James ³, Henry Hubert ², Abraham Absalom ¹) was born on 1 September 1917 in Elvins, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Raymond married **Doris Irene Estabrook**, daughter of **Charles Martin Estabrook** and **Sylvia Mae Brandel**, on 5 March 1943. Doris was born on 16 February 1918 in Neligh, Antelope, Nebraska, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

+ 452 F i. **Andrea Blanton** was born on 2 January 1948 in Spokane, Spokane, Washington, United States.

Andrea married **Gary Lee Ott** on 2 September 1979.

+ 453 M ii. **David Lee Blanton** was born on 19 February 1949 in Spokane, Spokane, Washington, United States.

David married **Lynn Suzanne Sherbohn** on 12 December 1969.

400. Ada Ruth Blanton (Howard Browning Sr. ⁴, James ³, Henry Hubert ², Abraham Absalom ¹) was born on 12 February 1919 in Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Ada married **Howard Riley Myers** on 4 November 1938.

401. Loyd Glenwood Blanton (Howard Browning Sr. ⁴, James ³, Henry Hubert ², Abraham Absalom ¹) was born on 25 November 1920 in Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

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Loyd married **Dorotha Joy Klenke** on 25 June 1940.

402. James Lawrence Blanton (*Howard Browning Sr.*⁴, *James*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 31 October 1922 in Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

James married **Lillian Alta Williams** on 23 May 1947.

403. Howard Browning Blanton Jr. (*Howard Browning Sr.*⁴, *James*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 9 June 1927 in Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Howard married **Dorothy Elizabeth Hall** on 1 August 1948.

404. Ralph Coleman Blanton (*Howard Browning Sr.*⁴, *James*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 September 1929 in Rivermines, Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Ralph married **Shirley Ruth Randolph** on 18 January 1950 in Tempe, Maricopa, Arizona, United States. Shirley was born on 6 July 1932 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 454 M i. **Larry Ralph Blanton** was born on 11 February 1951 in Mesa, Maricopa, Arizona, United States.
- + 455 F ii. **Terry Ruth Blanton** was born on 4 December 1952 in Tempe, Maricopa, Arizona, United States.

405. William Irvin "Billy" Blanton (*Howard Browning Sr.*⁴, *James*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 17 November 1931 in Ray, Pinal, Arizona, United States and died on 9 October 1993 at age 61.

William married **Darlyne Frances Eaklor** on 6 June 1956.

406. Charles Ray Blanton (*Howard Browning Sr.*⁴, *James*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 17 June 1934 in Ray, Pinal, Arizona, United States.

Charles married **Carol Ann Richey** on 29 May 1953.

407. Howard Jesse Blanton (*Lloyd Jesse*⁴, *Jesse Van Buren*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 January 1926, died on 12 April 1978 in House Springs, High Ridge Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States at age 52, and was buried in April 1978 in Liberty Cemetery, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Social Security Death Index

Name:Howard Blanton **SSN:**490-20-4175 **Born:**26 Jan 1926 **Last Benefit:**63051 House Springs, Jefferson, Missouri, United States of America **Died:**Apr 1978 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (Before 1951)

408. Thomas Howard Blanton (*Lloyd Jesse*⁴, *Jesse Van Buren*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 April 1929.

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409. Harold T. Blanton (*Lloyd Jesse⁴, Jesse Van Buren³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in 1930.

410. Roy Lewis Blanton (*Lloyd Jesse⁴, Jesse Van Buren³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 30 May 1931 in Maplewood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States, died on 22 December 2003 in Gibbs Care Center, 311 North Spring Street, Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States at age 72, and was buried on 24 December 2003 in Liberty Cemetery, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Steelville Star-Crawford Mirror, Steelville, Crawford Co. MO Local Obituaries for the Week of December 31, 2003

Roy Lewis Blanton

Roy Lewis Blanton was born Saturday, May 3, 1931 at Maplewood, Missouri, a son to the late Lloyd Jesse Blanton and Fannie E. (Brown) Blanton. Roy departed this life Monday, December 22, 2003 at the Gibbs Care Center Steelville Star-Crawford Mirror, Steelville, Crawford Co. MO Local Obituaries for the Week of in Steelville, Missouri at the age of 72 years, 6 months, and 22 days. Roy was united in marriage to Julia Mae Harman on March 2, 1949 in Steelville, Missouri. They enjoyed over 54 years together at the time of his passing. From this union, one son and two daughters were born. In addition to his parents, Roy is preceded in death by his son Leonard Roy Blanton; his brother Howard Blanton; a grandson Jason Blanton; father-in-law Lee Roy Harmon; son-in-law Phillip Davis; brothers-in-law Eldon Harman and Gilbert Harman; and sisters-in-law Ruby Lee Hinkley and Ada Hall. Among those who remain to mourn his passing are wife Julia of the home in Steelville, Missouri; two daughters, Donna Kay Harper and husband Charles and Susie Joyce Blanton, all of Steelville, Missouri. One brother, Tom Blanton and wife Barbara of Springfield, Missouri; mother-in-law Cora Harman of Steelville, Missouri; brothers-in-law "Sonny" Roy Harman and wife Helen of Linn Creek, Missouri, John Harman and wife Jannette of Bourbon, Missouri; sister-in-law, Edna Pratt and husband Ken of Steelville, Missouri; daughter-in-law, Tina Skiles of Steelville, Missouri and grandchildren Mike and Carol Davis, Rebecca and Chad Barton, Erin and Robert Harmon, Jennifer Stevens and Roxanna Blanton; great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and many dear friends. Roy first got Julia's attention when he was only 13 years old. He was singing, "Bringing in the Sheaves," as loud as he could with the choir at the Liberty Methodist Church. When they were in their mid-teens, they finally started dating and later wed at the home of Rev. Sam L. Roper. Immediately after they were wed, Roy worked for Julia's father at his sawmill. Roy later took a job with the state highway department and then with Menafee Construction in St. Louis, Missouri where he retired in 1989 after 35 years in construction work. Roy has enjoyed raising cattle on the farm and he and Julia enjoyed a lot of traveling together. They would often travel in September to a four day Blanton convention in Kentucky. Roy enjoyed hunting, fishing, and talking with his friends. Roy loved his family and commented along with his wife Julia while celebrating their 50th anniversary that, "We believe these three things: love, trust and being equal partners in everything have helped us through the bad times and the good times better." Roy Lewis Blanton lay in state from 4-8 p.m. Tuesday, December 23, 2003 at the Britton Brothers Funeral Home in Steelville, Missouri. Funeral services were held at 11 a. m. Wednesday, December 24, 2003 in the Britton Chapel with Rev. Delmar Hutson officiating. Joy Collins provided musical selections among which was "Bringing in the Sheaves." Committal prayers and interment were in the Liberty Cemetery, rural Steelville, Missouri. Serving as pallbearers were Jesse L. Blanton, Van Blanton, John D. Harman, J.T. Ransom, Ronald Slowensky and Thomas R. Slovensky. Arrangements were entrusted to the Britton Brothers Funeral Home, Steelville, Missouri.

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Roy married **Julia Mae Harmon**, daughter of **Lee Roy Harmon** and **Cora Belle Cook**, on 2 March 1949 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Julia was born on 10 September 1930 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States, died on 25 March 2005 in Missouri Baptist Hospital, Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 74, and was buried on 28 March 2005 in Liberty Cemetery, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States.

Steelville Star-Crawford Mirror, Steelville, Crawford Co. MO Local Obituaries for the Week of April 7, 2005

Julia Mae Blanton

Julia Mae Blanton, nee Harman, was born Wednesday, September 10, 1930, at Steelville, Missouri, the daughter of Lee Roy Harman and Cora Bell Harman (nee Cook). She departed this life Friday, March 25, 2005, at the Missouri Baptist Medical Center, Sullivan, Missouri, at the age of 74 years, 6 months and 15 days. On March 2, 1949, at the home of Rev. Sam Roper, Steelville, Missouri, Julia was united in marriage to Roy Lewis Blanton. Two daughters and one son were born to this union. They enjoyed over 54 years together, before his passing, December 22, 2003. In addition to her parents and Roy, she was preceded in death by one son, Leonard Roy Blanton (August 3, 1996) and three brothers, Eldon Harman, Gilbert Harman and Roy "Sonny" Harman and two sisters, Ruby Lee Hinkley and Ada Hall. She was also preceded in death by a son-in-law, Phillip Davis, one grandson, Jason Blanton and brother-in-law, Howard Blanton. Among those who remain to mourn her passing are her devoted daughters, Donna and husband Charles Harper and Susie Blanton; daughter-in-law, Tina Blanton, all of Steelville, Missouri; one brother, John Harman and wife Janette of Bourbon, Missouri; one sister, Edna and husband Kenneth Pratt of Steelville, Missouri. Grandchildren, Mike (Carol) Davis, Rebecca (Chad) Barton, Erin (Robert) Harmon, Jennifer Stevens, Roxanna Blanton; twelve great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Julia Mae Blanton lay in state 5-9 p.m. Sunday, March 27, 2005, at the Britton Bros. Funeral Home, Steelville, Missouri. Funeral services were held 1 p.m. Monday, March 28, 2005, in the Britton Chapel with Rev. Stan Collins officiating. Musical selections were provided by Joy Collins. Committal prayers and interment was in Liberty Cemetery, Steelville, Missouri. Serving as pallbearers were Chad Barton, Mike Davis, Jim Harman, Robert Harmon, Ronald Slovensky and Benny Woods. Arrangements were entrusted to the care of Britton Funeral Home, Steelville, Missouri.

When I began my research in 1975 there were very few people who knew anything about the Pratt and Blanton families. Of all the hundreds of people I had talked to, only three distinct individuals were knowledgeable about these families.

[1] Geraldine Mabel (**MILLER**) Reed married to Harvey John Reed of Saint Francois County, Missouri. She was knowledgeable concerning the Blanton, Pratt, Carter & Harmon families of Tennessee. I had driven to Desloge and visited with Mabel many times and shared research material. She was a pioneer in family history research.

[2] Malinda Irene (**HULSEY**) Murdick married William "Bill" George Murdick of Saint Francois County, Missouri. She was knowledgeable concerning the Blanton, somewhat on the Pratt and a great deal on the Hulsey families. I had driven to Farmington and visited with Irene and shared research material with her before she got sick and moved into St. Louis with her daughter.

[3] Julia Mae (**HARMON**) Blanton married Roy Lewis Blanton of Steelville, Crawford, Missouri. She knew a great deal about Blanton, Harmon family connections. She was not very knowledgeable concerning the Pratt families. I can't recall visiting with her other than a few phone calls. Where I obtained some of her research was given to me by her and others.

These three ladies were and are responsible for 90% of what is known about the Blanton,

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Hulsey, Harmon families of Missouri. If you notice, there were no Pratt family historians in the 1870's other than the information Mabel had...that was it. These ladies researched the old fashion way...by leg work and digging in old courthouses for information. When I came along to fulfill requirements of my church, all this information had to be documented and "proven" with sources, which up until my time was not really a priority for researchers.

My tribute to these remarkable ladies is the fact that they pointed me in the right directions and I was able to dig and prove their research and take it up a level. I was able to accomplish this because, I was young and had the time and monetary resources to go to the cemeteries, courthouses and visit with relatives to fill in the blanks.

Without their help, 90% of what you have found on the internet would not be there because I would not have been able to validate their research and make my findings available to the public. This is a tribute to them and their lifelong dedication for a great sacrifice endured, and in the process they have provided us with a legacy for future generations. Thank you ladies, see you soon.

Floyd Thomas Pratt, M.A.G.I. 8 August 2008

Children from this marriage were:

- + 456 F i. **Susan Joyce Blanton** was born on 17 September 1950 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.
- + 457 F ii. **Donna Kay Blanton**.
Donna married **Phillip Alan Davis** on 20 December 1969.
- + 458 M iii. **Leonard Roy Blanton**.
Leonard married someone.

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Sixth Generation (3rd Great-Grandchildren)

411. Walter Fred Allen (*Fred "Freddie" Clifton Allen*⁵, *Walter Franklin Allen*⁴, *William "Will" Mitchell Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 4 January 1942 in Morton, Cochran, Texas, United States.

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 21 September 2010

Fred, I don't research anymore for people. With 28,000 people in my tree accumulated over the last 35 years, I have accumulated enough information to draw on my files to assist researchers. What I do for interested parties is to produce "books" on a cd as a .pdf file. For instance the following:

Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile for Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt by Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. September 2010

I now have ready the Cradle to Grave (C2G) Profile of Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt. Married Mary (**KIMBERLIN**) in 1856 in Washington County, Missouri, United States, daughter of Rhinehart "Rinard" E. & Frances Jane (**PETERS**) Kimberlin(g). Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt is the son of Henry & Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt from Greene County, Tennessee. My interest in this family...they are my 2GGparents. I can produce a customized family ancestor book of you and your ancestors. This book contains all the notes, documentation, pictures, stories, newspapers, and information about the individual and their ancestors. No amount of money can compensate me for 35 years of research and compiling material about these families. This includes trips to courthouses, cemeteries, libraries, family reunions and tons of documented reports, stories and when acquired, pictures gathered over the years. And/or...I can produce a 2-generation descendancy book starting with Alexander "Alex" R. Pratt and covering **ALL** his children and their children. This is produced under the Pratt Progenitor Papers program (PPP). The first book (C2G) covers you all the way back to your oldest direct-line ancestor known as an Ancestral Family History book. (AFH) This book sometimes exceeds 300 pages and covers 28 or more generations, depending on how much info I have on your family. The second book (PPP) covers the main subject (ancestor), spouse and all the children and their spouses and grandchildren of an ancestor. This book also can also exceed 300 pages. That's why they have to be sent on a cd...too big to email. Please specify which format you want when ordering. I charge \$20 for producing the .pdf file on CD and mailing the information to you. This includes the cost of the CD, case, labels, insert, signature postage and mileage, so effectively you are getting the information for free! If interested, email me floydpratt59@verizon.net or write Floyd Pratt, 6732 Northampton Place, Bradenton, Florida 34207 I offer this as long as I live as a tribute to my ancestors.

Fred, I did a preliminary book of your ancestors starting with you and I assume your father was Fred C. Allen born April 1918, if not let me know who your father was so I know how to connect you. But your (AFH) ancestor book runs 314 pages and 28 generations for \$20. This includes all the Allen, Studdard, Pratt family as far as I have found them. Also, all the way back to John D. Studdard whom married Elizabeth (**BLANTON**), daughter of Absalom & Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton. (Cynthia (**PRATT**) is Henry Pratt's sister)

So, you see you are related to the Pratts on the Studdard line and the Allen line. As far as the Pratt Progenitor Papers format, Volume 1 covered Henry & Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt family, children and grandchildren.

Enclosed as some flyers describing what I have or can make for you. Let me know what you want.

Floyd Thomas Pratt F.H.C., M.A.G.I. 21 September 2010

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Thank you, Floyd for your message re: the Studdard/Pratt family lines. I see from your Ancestry profile that you are a professional genealogist. Although I have been searching records for about three years, I consider myself an amateur at this endeavor. My grandmother was Pearl Studdard (1892-1935) and I actually know little about her family. Her mother was a Pratt; thus the Studdard/Pratt link.

I am sure you have a very large amount of research and documentation records for these families but I don't know if I can afford your professional services. Since you did contact me, however, please let me know how you can help me in my search. I do appreciate your time, effort, professional status and your contact.

I am looking forward to hearing more from you. Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net

Email from Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 23 September 2010

Thank you, Floyd for your response to my inquiry on the Allen/Studdard families and links to my ancestors. In your response to me you made the following statements: "Fred, I did a preliminary book of your ancestors starting with you and I assume your father was Fred C. Allen born April 1918, if not let me know who your father was so I know how to connect you. But your (AFH) ancestor book runs 314 pages and 28 generations for \$20. This includes all the Allen, Studdard, Pratt family as far as I have found them. Also, all the way back to John D. Studdard whom married Elizabeth (**BLANTON**), daughter of Absalom & Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton. (Cynthia (**PRATT**) is Henry Pratt's sister)" Some of this statement does not appear to be correct according to my research. First of all, you are correct in assuming that my father was Fred C. Allen. However, he was born on 2 March 1917 in Potosi, Missouri AND NOT in 1918 as you state. Secondly, Elizabeth Blanton (1818- 22 Feb 1916) married my gggrandfather John William Allen (9 Mar 1816-24 July 1880) AND NOT John D. Studdard, whom I don't know! If you meant John D. Allen instead of Studdard, John D. Allen ((7 Sept 1850-?) was the son of John William Allen and Elizabeth Blanton and he married Ruth Matlock. I'm sure we are talking about the same family lines but not sure of some of the information you have mentioned above. Floyd, I do have questions about the report you will send. I understand that it will be a .pdf file. When I tried to print out the .pdf flyer you included in your email it was password protected and could not be printed. My questions are these; can I print out the AFH or PPP and can I share this file with family members, i. e. Share NOT Sell as it appears you have copywrite on these reports? Thanks again for you time and response. I look forward to hearing from you. Walter Fred Allen (4Jan 1942 -) fallen@moment.net

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 23 September 2010

Fred, You are right, I was getting your dad's birthdate off of the census. After looking at the 13 January 1920 census it states he was 2 years and 10 months old which calculates out to March 1917. Concerning John D. Allen Sr. which you state was John William Allen all my sources had him listed as John D. and a senior to boot. But, if you have verified the John William Allen then I accept your statement. This is what happens when you try to answer too many emails you get confused who belongs to who. Yes, John Allen married Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) reported as 1846 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States. Most of the information I got on the Allen-Sites family came from the book "**Our Seven Children**" by Rev. Sam D. Bohnenkamp and several old researchers. Now, the problem has been that I have not "updated" the Allen-Blanton family. Once I get an order, I "update" the family line. Enclosed is a paper on what I mean by updating. There was a time when I was formatting my .pdf files that I hit the wrong buttons and they wouldn't allow printing. Evidently you got one of those errors. Enclosed is the correct flyer. It is recommended and requested that you print and/or share your family files with everyone to ensure an off-site back-up. So, all my .pdf files can be printed. I just

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rechecked these three documents to verify they could be printed. After reading the enclosed forms then we can talk. When I said your "book" is 314 pages, that's before I start "updating". After updating which can take several weeks if not months, then the book will probably exceed 400 pages.

When someone first inquires, I like to run a prelim to see what kind of work I have done and what will need additional revision. Because I had Studdards and Allens on my mind I got the two mixed up in my previous email. It's hard to get all I know to you so you will know what I have to offer. Thanks, Floyd PS...as a bonus I have included the C2G Profile for Absalom Blanton

Email from Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 25 September 2010

Thank you again, Floyd, for the information you have already provided to me. I want to start with an order for an "Ancestral Family History(AFH) of Walter Fred Allen". The following information is to put us on the right ancestral line. Of course, my full name is Walter Fred Allen (b. 4 January 1942). My father was Fred Clifton Allen (b. 2 March 1917 - d. 7 April 1992); his father was Walter Franklin Allen (b. 18 August 1890 - d. 23 December 1933); and his father was William Franklin Allen (b. 25 December 1856 - d. 28 July 1925). I am sure this is enough to get started but if there are any questions, please let me know. As the saying goes, the check is in the mail. One other small note, in the C2G Profile for Absalom Blanton you related "A Pratt-Blanton Family Story" told to you by Great Aunt Eula Richardson Pratt. Floyd, my father told my brother and me many years ago that very same story almost word for word! He said his grandfather William Franklin Allen often told that story to the kids in the family and also told them about Elizabeth (Blanton) Allen being Cherokee! Based on some other info I have seen and I need to research further unless it is contained in your report, I believe that John Allen and his future wife Elizabeth (Blanton) Allen were with the Pratts and Blantons when they came to Missouri. There is some evidence that John and Elizabeth lived with the Blantons for some period of time in Missouri. Exciting stuff to me!

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 26 September 2010

Fred...no, the Blantons and Pratts did not come together from Tennessee. The Pratts were forced out in **September 1838** on the "Trail of Tears" from Sweetwater, Monroe County when they were taken to the concentration camps in McMinn County. This we know because of journals kept by some of the people on Taylor's route. They arrived in Crawford County in **March 1839**. Absalom Blanton had already bought property near Sullivan on **3 September 1838** so the Blantons were already in Sullivan when the Pratts were still in Monroe County. The Pratts were alone on the TOT.

1838 Property Transaction

St. Louis, Missouri, United States Land Purchase on 3 September 1838, Receipt #10604 Absalom Blanton buys 40 acres of land Section 5, Township 40N, Range 2 West, of the fifth principle meridian in Franklin County Missouri. This land purchase puts his home outside of Sullivan.[This property is located near the junction of highway AF and Spring Bluff Road north of Sullivan city limits in Meramec Twp, Franklin County, Missouri consisting of 40 acres]

Attached is a flyer on my book, "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee.**"

Interesting that you have an additional source for that Indian Story. I think you will find my research immensely helpful in "catching you up" on what the rest of us have known. Have you read that book "**Our Seven Children**" by Rev. Sam D. Bohnenkamp? From the book "**Our Seven Children**" by Rev. Sam D. Bohnenkamp, Pages 54 & 55:

"Now I will write you about my wife's Grandparents on her mother's side, Clara Emiline Sites parents as follows: Mr. & Mrs. Sullivan were about 1824 at Sullivan, Mo. They were married about 1846 at Sullivan, Mo. They lived and owned their farm, which was probably homesteaded

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on the Meramec River, east of Sullivan, Mo. To get to their home from Sullivan, MO., you cross the Sappington bridge across the Meramec River. They built their house on a beautiful hill from the river. Mr. Allen died about 1907 and they buried him in the Hamilton cemetery. Mrs. Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen continued to live on her home place for a short time. In about 1908 she was doing the chores and while she was milking, a cow kicked her and broke her hip. So my wife's parents got her brought to their home, where she lived with them for about 8 years. Then on February 22, 1916, she died in their home and Mr. & Mrs. Seymour Sites buried her by her husband's side in the Hamilton Cemetery, Sullivan, MO. She was over 92 years old when she died. Their son, John Allen, had built house near by to help his parents with the farm and after his mother died, he bought out the heirs of their share of the old home farm. Later he sold the farm to the Sappington's. My wife's mother was the youngest in her family. She had three brothers and three sisters. Seven children in the Allen family as follows: Mary, Kate, John Henry Lou, William and Clara Emilien (**ALLEN**). A tragedy happened in the Allen family on their farm near the Meramec River when my wife's mother was 7 years old. A flash flood came from the river and got up in their field, and some of their livestock was in this flood. So my wife's Grandfather Allen and his daughter, Mary, about 17 years old, were in a wagon and the flood took them, including the team and wagon down the swift stream. Mary drowned in the river. Her father, Mr. Allen, saved himself by holding himself to a limb of a tree. So Mary (**ALLEN**) lost her life trying to help her father save some of their livestock. Now I want to tell you about my wife's grandmother who stayed in their home. When she was about 88 years old, and I would go to see my girl friend, Amy Sites, in 1912-1913, I would pull up my chair by her side and talk to her. Yes, Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) Allen was a friendly, lovable person, she was charming in her conversation and I would listen to her talk. She told me about her home life when she grew up and about her family life. She said they never wasted anything. When they would want fresh meat the men folk would hunt for deer, turkey, and other small animals. Even sometimes they would kill a bear. And she said there was plenty of panthers around to molest the stock and people. She said they would only kill enough wild animals according to their needs and not waste any meat. Then she told me that she was one half English and one half Irish and that she married an Englishman, Mr. Allen. So I figured it out that my wife's mother was 75 per cent English and 25 percent Irish, and that my wife is 50 percent Dutch, 37 percent English and 12 one-half percent Irish. And that our seven children are 50 percent German; 25 percent Dutch; 18 threequarters percent English and 6 one-quarter Irish. This makes an excellent combination of European blood, which makes them according to blood and training, outstanding personalities, intelligent, ambitious, self reliant, honest, benevolent, friendly, compassionate, religious, and kind."

[The author starts off by saying Mr. & Mrs. Sullivan when he meant to say Mr. & Mrs. Allen. This is all in this book that talks about the Allens or Blantons.-----Tom Pratt]

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 1 October 2010

Fred got your check today...thanks. Will begin work on your "project" shortly, allow several weeks. As I begin to run across questions I will email and ask. Thanks, Floyd

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 1 October 2010

Fred, my first question is...did anybody in your research circles ever find out who the parents were or where John Allen born 1814-1818 in New York was from? This is the same John Allen that married Elizabeth (**BLANTON**).

Reply...Yes, this was the John Allen that married Elizabeth Blanton. I have accepted that he was, indeed, John D. Allen (b. 1817, New York - d. 1907, Washington Cty, Missouri); Elizabeth

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Blanton (b. abt 1827, Greene, Tennessee - d. 22 Feb 1916, Boone, Crawford, Missouri). I have seen info that says John D. Allen's father was Robert Allen (b. 1745, Providence, Rhode Island - d. 1811, Greene, Tennessee) and his mother was Martha Kerr (b. 1768, Chester, Penn. - d. 1820, Greene, Tennessee). I also have seen one reference to Robert Allen's father as being one James Allen (no further info) and mother Margaret (no further info).

The reason I ask...30 years ago Geraldine Mabel (**MILLER**) Reed and Julia Mae (**HARMON**) Blanton strong Blanton-Allen-Carter researchers could not find out where John Allen was from. They kept bugging everybody, I wonder if they ever found out or maybe someone else did. Floyd

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 10 October 2010

Fred, have not forgotten you. As soon as I finish with my current project then I will get to work on yours. Floyd

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 9 November 2010

Fred, I am now working on your Allen Family disc and I have already found a problem. Some researchers have linked John D. Allen Sr. who married Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) to a Robert & Martha (**KERR**) Allen family of Greene County, Tennessee. I see a real discrepancy in this link. Robert died in 1811 several years before John D. Allen was born. According to the census records, John was born between 1814-1817 in New York.

All of Robert's children were born in Greene County, Tennessee between 1791-1812. Can't be related...unless Robert's death date is wrong or John's birthdate is wrong. Floyd

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 13 November 2010

Fred, haven't heard from you wondering if you are still there? Have been working on "updating" the Allen family disc. What evidence have Allen family researchers that John Allen that married Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) is a William? After checking all my records I have no such evidence and after checking other databases, some state the same but no documented evidence. Do you know or was it something you picked up from someone else and they don't know either? Floyd

Email from Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 13 November 2010

Hi, Floyd. Yes, I'm still here. As to John Allen being John "William" Allen, that info was contained in a 1976 letter from an Aunt who was listing her memories of the family; John and Elizabeth would have been her greatgrandparents. I don't, however, have anything other than that; e.g., documents of any kind. Also, regarding the "Robert Allen and Marth Kerr " note you sent earlier, I had questioned others on Ancestry about the dates that were not possible; i.e. his death and the birth of John D. Allen, but no one responded with any explanation of the discrepancy and implausibility of "Robert and Martha" being the parents of John D. Allen.

Thanks for the update. Looking forward to seeing your results. Fred

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 13 November 2010

Thanks Fred for your quick reply. Enclosed are my notes on John Allen's name. Excerpt from the Cradle to the Grave (C2G) Profile for John Allen

AKA

I can not remember where I discovered that John D. Allen was a Senior. I believe it was from the book, "**Our Seven Children**" or it could have been Mabel (**MILLER**) Reed or Julia (**BLANTON**) Harmon. However, so far in my "update" research I have not been able to verify

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that information. Therefore, I am not calling him a Senior at this point, until I rediscover where I found that information.

Also, while I have found several on ancestry.com calling him John William Allen, I asked Walter Fred Allen on 13 November 2010 where they got the William as his middle name and he replied..." *As to John Allen being John "William" Allen, that info was contained in a 1976 letter from an Aunt who was listing her memories of the family; John and Elizabeth would have been her greatgrandparents. I don't, however, have anything other than that; e.g., documents of any kind.*"

I'm afraid without supporting documentation, I can not in all clear conscience validate the middle name as William. I feel this could be the John Henry Pratt fiasco all over again. Therefore, I will not include the William in his name until it can be validated by a second source. -- Floyd Thomas Pratt 13 November 2010

And an excerpt from the book "**Henry Pratt Family of Greene County, Tennessee**" concerning Henry Pratt as John Henry Pratt. I have enclosed my report on John Henry Pratt so you can see what I have been up against the last 35 years. Floyd

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 13 November 2010

Fred, I hope you don't get bothered with these emails because when I work on someone's tree I become like a pit bull...focused until completion. Right now I am not finding a great deal about Lillian's parentage. That death notice filled in a lot of holes, but I was wondering if you had more on Andrew Jackson & Emily E. () Hanson from Georgia? I found them in the 1850-1860 & 1880 census but unfortunately they used initials. Looking for someone with more data so I can verify it before I have to do some "hardcore" research. For instance Lillian has brothers John and James and sister Odia (**HANSON**) Minks. Wondered if you had more than what was posted on ancestry.com? Otherwise, I will have to start backtracking. Thanks, Floyd

Email from Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 13 November 2010

Floyd, I certainly don't mind the questions. However, I don't have much info to share with you. As to Lillian Hanson, I have only that her father's name was Andrew. The other info in your note is new to me. Sorry I can't help. Fred

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 13 November 2010

Fred, I have found the more info I share the more it triggers memory in people and they recall things. So enclosed is the Allen Tragedy Story.

Source

Posted to ancestry.com by Zonagale Allen

"A Terrible Calamity", The Sullivan Sentinel Thursday June 4, 1929

29 May 1925 , Sullivan, Franlin, Missouri, USA

The Sullivan Sentinel Thursday, June 4, 1925 A TERRIBLE CALAMITY

Seven Persons Perish When Fire Destroys Residence

The saddest calamity that ever visited Sullivan occurred last Friday morning about 7'oclock when the residence occupied by William Allen and family was burned and seven members of the family perished. Those losing their lives were Mrs. William Allen, her granddaughter, Mrs. Gertrude Hanson, and two children: Eva, three years old and James three weeks old; grandchildren, Meredith Pierce 14, Viola Eads 11, and Dorothy Bly 6.

The family was living in the old Sheehan residence at the entrance to the ball park.

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Mr. William Allen had been confined to his bed with illness for the past seven weeks. He was very feeble and occupied a bed on the lower floor. His wife and the other members of the family (eight) slept in the one upstairs room.

The daughter, Mrs. Daisy Felton, was employed at the shoe factory and had to get up early each morning, often getting her breakfast quietly and going to work without arousing the other members of the family. She did so last Friday morning, leaving a wood fire in the kitchen stove. She says she was just a little late that morning and did not leave the house until about 6:40. About seven o'clock neighbors discovered the residence to be on fire. When they reached it they found Mr. Allen lying on the porch with his hair and whiskers singed. When the fire reached his room and set his bed on fire he managed to crawl to the porch where he collapsed. He was rescued by the neighbors. At that time the upper part of the ceiling was all aflame and there was no possibility of rescuing any of the occupants. J

Just as she was putting on her apron to begin work at the factory, Mrs. Felton got word that the house was on fire. She rushed home, a distance of about a quarter of a mile, and on reaching the scene, breathless, and seeing the tragic situation, she collapsed in a faint. She is the mother of two of the victims, Mrs. Hanson and Meredith Pierce, and grandmother of the two babies. Her grief is beyond measure.

County Coroner, S. L. Dewhirst, was called and after a careful investigation decided that the death of all the victims was caused by suffocation before the fire ever reached them. The theory is that the fire caught from the flue and smoke filled the room where they were all sound asleep before they realized it.

Both undertakers were called into service and the charred bodies were wrapped in sheeting and placed in caskets, three each in two caskets, and one, Viola Eads in a separate casket. Burial was made in three graves.

Viola Eads was the daughter of William Eads who died in France, during the war. His war insurance was left to her and she had a fund of about \$3000 in bank, held in trust for her until she should become of age.

She and Dorothy Bly were half sisters, the mother having married a second time after being divorced from Mr. Eads before he went to war.

The mother, now Mrs. Ethel Leathers of Cisne, Ill. Came for the funeral and burial which was held Saturday afternoon.

Jesse Hanson, husband of Mrs. Gertrude Hanson and father of the infant that perished, was also here for the funeral. His father was here with him. Their home is in St. Louis.

Mrs. William Allen's maiden name was Lillie Hanson. She was born in St. Louis and at the time of her death was 55 years old. She has two brothers and one sister living, James Hanson, St. Louis, John Hanson, Piedmont; Mrs. Odia Minks, Festus.

She is survived by her husband, William Allen, Sullivan; one son, Walter Allen, Sullivan; three daughters, Mrs. Drusie Dyle, Festus; Mrs. Ethel Leathers, Cisne, Ill; Mrs. Daisy Felton, Sullivan.

The children were all here for the funeral except Mrs. Dyle, who arrived a few hours too late. Mrs. Myrtle Carillo of Chicago, sister to Mrs. Gertrude Hanson and Meredith Pierce, was also here.

Mrs. Gertrude Hanson was 19 years 3 months 10 days old.

The funeral was conducted Saturday at 11:30 at the Pentecostal church by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Boyles, and burial was made in the Odd Fellow cemetery. added this on 8 May 2010

ZonagaleAllen originally submitted this to Allen on 5 Sep 2007

Maybe this might help you with some details.

Floyd

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Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 16 November 2010

Fred, since I haven't heard back from you on my previous email, apparently you had not seen that article about your family. I thought you knew about it because it was posted on ancestry.com by Zona (**ALLEN**). I apologize, for the shock. How heartbreaking for that family. What I wanted you to focus on in that article was the siblings of Lillian Maude A. "Lillie" (**HANSON**) Allen. John Hanson and James Hanson. I have now been able to take the Hanson family back to George [1634-1694] & Elinor [1632-1676] () Hansen family from Virginia. I am still "updating" the Hanson family since there was so many of them. But, I am still working on your family and wanted to alert you to my progress. Concerning Delilah (**TACKETT**) Hanson family and she is all the way back to Lewis [1680-1744] & Mary Sarah [1674-1748] (**SPILLER**) Tackett Tacquette. Lewis is from France, Mary is from Essex County, England. Making good progress. Still having trouble with the wife of Andrew Jackson Hanson's wife Emily. Andrew and Emily are Lillie's parents. Will keep you posted. Floyd

Email from Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 16 November 2010

Floyd, I apologize for not responding to your previous note - it bothers me too when I send an email and people don't at least acknowledge it. I was aware of the fire and have put together some info about it for the Allen "cousins" showing all of the relationships of those lost (file attached). Years later Floyd Allen lost three of his children in a house fire also in Valley Park, MO.

Just a side note to this tragedy - Daisy, who left the home that morning to go to work leaving the stove fire 'banked' later married the Grandfather (Frank Bly) of her half-sister's (Ethel Lee Allen Bly) daughter Dorothy Bly who died in the fire. Daisy is buried in Jasper County, Mo in the Webb City Cemetery in a family plot that is also the resting place for her half-brother Richard Joseph Allen and several other extended family.

Thanks for the updates and I will be more responsive in the future.

Fred

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 17 November 2010

Fred I can't open the .odt file. I have Word, Works, Acrobat and others but not .odt. Thanks, Floyd

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Sorry, Floyd. Please try this version. Fred

AN ALLEN FAMILY TRAGEDY

The Allen's suffered a terrible loss on May 29, 1925, when seven members of the family lost their lives in a devastating fire at the family home near Sullivan, Missouri. An account of the fire from the Sullivan Sentinel is included below. I heard this story many times from my Father as I was growing up. However, only recently was I able to find the news article included below and to find, download and print death certificates for all those who perished. These certificates and the article combine to identify the seven who died and their relationships.

I will list the family members in the order and as they are identified in the newspaper article followed by clarification of their identities and relationships.

"Mrs. William Allen" - Mrs. William Allen (wife of William Franklin Allen who survived the fire) was born Lillie/Lillian Hanson, July 29, 1869, in St. Louis, Missouri. Her father was Andrew Hanson. She was the grandmother of four of the victims of the fire and great-grandmother to two of the other victims of the fire.

"Mrs. Gertrude Hanson" - Mrs. Gertrude Hanson, wife of Jesse Hanson, was born Gertrude Pierce. Her parents were Ruben Pierce and Daisy Hibbler, who was the daughter of Lillian

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Hanson and her first husband John Hibbler. Mrs. Gertrude Hanson was the granddaughter of Lillian Hanson (Mrs. William Allen above) and John Hibbler.

"Eva, three years old" - Eva was born Eva Sanchez. Her parents were Gertrude Pierce (Mrs. Gertrude Hanson above) and her first husband Valiz Sanchez. She was the great-granddaughter of Mrs. William Allen.

"James, three weeks old" - James was born James Hanson on May 7, 1925. His parents were Gertrude Pierce (Mrs. Gertrude Hanson above) and her second husband Jesse Hanson. He was a half-brother to Eva Sanchez and the great-grandson of Mrs. William Allen.

"Meredith Pierce 14" - Meredith Pierce born November 13, 1910, was the son of Ruben Pierce and Daisy Hibbler. He was the brother of Gertrude Pierce (Mrs. Gertrude Hanson above) and grandson of Mrs. William Allen.

"Viola Eads 11" - Viola Eads born November 11, 1914, was the daughter of Ethyl Allen and her first husband William Edward Eads. She was the granddaughter of Mrs. William Allen and William Franklin Allen.

"Dorothy Bly 6" - Dorothy Bly was the daughter of Ethyl Allen and her second husband Earl Bly. She was a half-sister to Viola Eads and granddaughter of Mrs. William Allen and William Franklin Allen

The *Sullivan Sentinel* ; Thursday, June 4, 1925

A TERRIBLE CALAMITY

Seven Persons Perish When Fire Destroys Residence

The saddest calamity that ever visited Sullivan occurred last Friday morning about 7 o'clock when the residence occupied by William Allen and family was burned and seven members of the family perished.

Those losing their lives were Mrs. William Allen, her granddaughter, Mrs. Gertrude Hanson, and two children. Eva, three years old and James three weeks old; grandchildren, Meredith Pierce 14, Viola Eads 11, and Dorothy Bly 6.

The family was living in the old Sheehan residence at the entrance to the ball park. Mr. William Allen had been confined to his bed with illness for the past seven weeks. He was very feeble and occupied a bed on the lower floor. His wife and the other members of the family (eight) slept in the one upstairs room. The daughter, Mrs. Daisy Felton, was employed at the shoe factory and had to get up early each morning, often getting her breakfast quietly and going to work without arousing the other members of the family.

She did so last Friday morning, leaving a wood fire in the kitchen stove. She says she was just a little late that morning and did not leave the house until about 6:40. About seven o'clock neighbors discovered the residence to be on fire. When they reached it they found Mr. Allen lying on the porch with his hair and whiskers singed. When the fire reached his room and set his bed on fire he managed to crawl to the porch where he collapsed. He was rescued by the neighbors. At that time the upper part of the ceiling was all aflame and there was no possibility of rescuing any of the occupants.

Just as she was putting on her apron to begin work at the factory, Mrs. Felton got word that the house was on fire. She rushed home, a distance of about a quarter of a mile, and on reaching the scene, breathless, and seeing the tragic situation, she collapsed in a faint. She is the mother of two of the victims, Mrs. Hanson and Meredith Pierce, and grandmother of the two babies. Her grief is beyond measure.

County Coroner, S. L. Dewhirst, was called and after a careful investigation decided that the

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death of all the victims was caused by suffocation before the fire ever reached them. The theory is that the fire caught from the flue and smoke filled the room where they were all sound asleep before they realized it.

Both undertakers were called into service and the charred bodies were wrapped in sheeting and paced in caskets, three each in two caskets, and one, Viola Eads in a separate casket. Burial was made in three graves.

Viola Eads was the daughter of William Eads who died in France, during the war. His war insurance was left to her and she had a fund of about \$3000 in bank, held in trust for her until she should become of age. She and Dorothy Bly were half sisters, the mother having married a second time after being divorced from Mr. Eads before he went to war. The mother, now Mrs. Ethel Leathers, of Cisne, Ill. came for the funeral and burial which was held Saturday afternoon. Jesse Hanson, husband of Mrs. Gertrude Hanson and father of the infant that perished, was also here for the funeral. His father, was here with him. Their home is in St. Louis.

Mrs. William Allen's maiden name was Lillie Hanson. She was born in St. Louis and at the time of her death was 55 years old. She has two brothers and one sister living, James Hanson, St. Louis, John Hanson, Piedmont; Mrs. Odia Minks, Festus. She is survived by her husband, William Allen, Sullivan; one son, Walter Allen, Sullivan; three daughters, Mrs. Drusie Dyle, Festus; Mrs Ethel Leathers, Cisne, Ill; Mrs Daisy Felton, Sullivan.

The children were all here for the funeral except Mrs. Dyle, who arrived a few hours too late. Mrs. Myrtle Carillo of Chicago, sister to Mrs. Gertrude Hanson and Meredith Pierce, was also here. Mrs. Gertrude Hanson was 19 years 3 months 10 days old.

The funeral was conducted Saturday at 11:30 at the Pentecostal church by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Boyles, and burial was made in the Odd Fellow cemetery.

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 19 November 2010

Fred, thanks for the additional information. I am having trouble with identifying Andrew Jackson Hanson's spouse and mother of James, John, Lillie and Odia (**HANSON**) Minks. With your Allen family connections, is there anyone out there who has additional information about this family especially the 1870 census? I have Andrew's parents; George Washington & Delilah (**TACKETT**) Hanson pretty well wrapped up and the Tacketts all the way back as I previously reported and the Hanson's back to George as previously reported. But, Andrew's family is a hard case to crack and I need additional help...if you know of someone who you can tap into. Floyd

Email from Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 19 November 2010

Floyd, sorry no help here. You have already given me more info than I had on the Hanson's. Fred

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Hello Fred, I really like a challenge, really I do, but this guy's family is the pits.

From the very first I have crossed stumbling block after stumbling block concerning his family. One of the problems is ancestry.com researchers NOT doing their homework and just posting anything without proof or substantiation.

I am used to that...but not to the degree I am running into.

Wrong names, wrong census records, wrong dates, and it goes on and on.

Enclosed is my report on Andrew and as you read it you will understand what I am talking about.

I don't know what is wrong with this family, but I know the work we do here in the Temples are blessings to those on the otherside.

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In the past, when I ran across a problem person or a problem family, then I usually figured there was a problem with them on the other side of the veil.

In other words, in their life after death, something is not right with them...otherwise the research would come easy and be verifiable.

Not in this case. So, I have concluded something is wrong on the otherside and they are not being allowed to advance or progress.

Points:

[1] Not being able to identify Andrew's 1st wife and mother of the children.

[2] Not being able to identify all the children's names after the 1880 census.

[3] Not being able to identify his 2nd wife; Caroline Dreppoth prior to their marriage date in 1880 or after.

[4] Not being able to identify his 3rd wife; Tabatha Wilson prior to their marriage in 1885 and after.

[5] Not being able to find him in the 1900 census even though others posted on ancestry.com he died in 1944.

I lose him after his residence in Pacific, Boles Twp, Franklin County, Missouri in 1885.

Checking my cemetery books of Franklin County I can not locate him or any of his children's burial sites, not even Lillian "Lillie" Margaret E, or A. (**HANSON**) Hibbler Allen.

[6] Trying to locate Lillian's first husband, Isaac D. Hibbler in the 1880 census prior to his marriage to Lillie in 1885 is futile.

[7] Child Daisy (**HIBBLER**)-Allen actually belongs to Isaac & Lillie...unless William Allen adopted her.

[8] Daughter; Odia (**HANSON**) Minks listed in the Allen Tragedy newspaper account as a sister to Lillian, can not find her marriage record to a Minks and a death certificate as well as the 1920-1930 census records.

[9] Someone posted on ancestry.com that her husband was E.N Minks but he died a year before the tragedy and his wife in the 1920 census is Courtway Coordia (**LANE**) not Odia (**HANSON**). His death certificate mentions Coordia on the death certificate not Odia (**HANSON**). Getting his identity is also problematic.

[10] Andrew's sons; James and John can not locate them even in the 1920 census and using the locations in the Tragedy newspaper account has not helped.

And it goes on and on. It is a mess.

So I am about to leave the Hanson family and move on in my research, because this is taking up too much time and there seems to be no one on the internet that has a clue...or cares.

I only run across these type of families when there are problems that you and I can't see across the other side.

I have given you more than anyone else knows about these people, but it is meager compared to Andrew's parents and others when you get the final report.

Floyd

Email from Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 20 November 2010

Thanks, Floyd for the info on A. J. HAnson family. One question re: William Allen, however. Re: his marriage to Lillian Maude A. "Lillie" Hanson, you identify him as William "Will" Mitchell Allen but I have seen a copy of the marriage license and he is only identified as William Allen. Where do you find his middle name as "Mitchell"? My family memebbers recollections have always identified him as William Franklin Allen. Fred

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 22 November 2010

Fred, the Mitchell came from other Allen family researchers. Enclosed are my AKA notes on

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William Allen.

AKA

Concerning his middle name of Mitchell, I have found no reference or evidence that the M. in the 1910 census indicates his name to be Mitchell. This was obtained from an internet sources and could be unreliable. However, in the 1860 census of Harrison Mills Post Office, Liberty Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States while John & Elizabeth Allen family were living at house # 716 (before William was born in 1860 or 1861); at house #763 is the family of Samuel [46] & Sarah J. [34] () Mitchell from Georgia and Illinois. If the Mitchell's were good friends of the Allens, then it would be logical that they would name one of their children...Mitchell. A long shot but logical and a valid hypothesis. Some other Allen family researchers indicate they have always thought his middle name to be Franklin. Without looking at deed records and newspaper articles concerning him, I don't know who is right. However, the M. initial in the 1910 census is undeniable. FTP

Floyd

Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 22 November 2010

Fred, I am currently working on the Whitmire family which has been researched in a loose manner back to Germany. But, I don't have the marriage and location for Fred and Lurley or Julia & Mary do you have that information? It appears no one in the Whitmire family wants to spend the time and money in ordering birth and death certificates on the family members. No one on ancestry.com has Lurley or her sibling's birth location other than Texas. Therefore it is hard to extrapolate the correct birth locations when other so called "family researchers" won't do their jobs. I'll do the best I can but even though the other researchers were big on linking generational names, they are short on the facts. Floyd

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But, I don't have the marriage and location for Fred and Lurley or Julia & Mary do you have that information?

Fred Clifton Allen and Lurley Frances Whitmire were married 17 April 1941 in Cheyenne, Laramie, Wyoming.

To date, I can not find a marriage date or location for Julia Lonard Whitmire and Mary Olive Marlin (Delleney).

It appears no one in the Whitmire family wants to spend the time and money in ordering birth and death certificates on the family members.

No one on ancestry.com has Lurley or her sibling's birth location other than Texas.

The info I have are:

Richard Thomas (R.T.) Whitmire - Midland, Midland, Texas

Marion Hazel Whitmire - Blanket, Brown, Texas

Johnny Lane Whitmire - Blanket, Brown, Texas

Lurley Frances Whitmire - Blanket, Brown, Texas

William Doyle Whitmire - Midland, Midland, Texas

Bennye Marie Whitmire - Blanket, Brown, Texas

Therefore it is hard to extrapolate the correct birth locations when other so called "family researchers" won't do their jobs.

I'll do the best I can but even though the other researchers were big on linking generational names, they are short on the facts.

Floyd

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Email to Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 23 November 2010

Fred, it just so happens that your ancestor; Michael Christopher & Cathene Apple Powell Whitmire Wiedmayer is the son of Christoph VonWhittenmeyer & Rosina Magdalena (**SPEATH**) Whitmire Wiedmayer from Enzweihingen, Ludwigsburg, Baden-Württemberg, Germany. Michael had several brothers one being; George Fried "Frederick" & Sarah Phebe (**HAGOOD**) Whitmire Wiedmayer whom it just so happens I have a book I bought back in 1976 from the authors called, "**Sons of Frontiersmen**" 1976 by Billie Louise Owens and Robert James Owens. If you are interested I have attached a flyer. Floyd

Email from Walter Fred Allen fallen@moment.net 25 November 2010

Floyd, first of all I hope you and your family have a great Thanksgiving day. There are so many things we should all be grateful for. Secondly, I certainly share your frustration about the research done on the Whitmire family. I recently got in touch with some folks in Transylvania, North Carolina where my family came from to Texas and was immediately struck by the amount of disagreement among the researchers there about the Whitmires! The only thing they seemed to agree on is that that families history is a mess. There were two distinct camps re: the family origins - German vs English - and each strongly defends their position but offer no documentation to support it. Floyd, to my knowledge there are no Mormons in this family line and although I have searched the Utah site, I have not entered any info there. In addition, thus far I have used Ancestry.com to simply gather links to info and raw data but have not started to confirmed with documents the info I have found - that is my next step. Thanks for your input. I value the info you have sent to me thus far and look forward to receiving the Allen/Pratt reports which is my primary interest at this time. Have a safe and sane holiday season. Fred

412. Theora Leigh Barnhart (*Ruth Clara Carter*⁵, *Etta Viola Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 22 January 1933.

Theora married **Theodore William Dust** on 19 September 1953 in Pagedale, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States. Theodore was born on 8 September 1927.

413. Amy Ann Summers (*Alice May Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 27 April 1943.

Amy married **Ron Cox** on 1 April 1972.

414. Harry Samuel Summers (*Alice May Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 23 March 1946.

Harry married **Pam**.

415. Daniel Earl Summers (*Alice May Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 12 October 1947.

416. Mary Alice Statler (*Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 1 August 1936 in Bollinger, Missouri, United States.

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Mary married **Donald Ray Blaylock**, son of **Julius Spencer Blaylock** and **Lillie Etta Shrum**, on 5 June 1954 in Sedgewickville, Bollinger, Missouri, United States. Donald was born on 4 November 1933 in Perry, Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 459 F i. **Delba Sue Blaylock** was born on 6 September 1955 in Poplar Bluff, Poplar Bluff Twp, Butler, Missouri, United States.

Delba married **Charles Lee Dawson** on 1 July 1978 in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.
- + 460 F ii. **Paula Mariette Blaylock** was born on 11 January 1958 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

Paula married **Donald Gurlin** on 24 February 1978.

Paula next married **Harold Douglas Beldon** on 10 December 1982 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.
- + 461 M iii. **Wesley Don Blaylock** was born on 20 January 1961 in Lamar, Barton, Missouri, United States.

Wesley married **Paula Marie Wamble** on 18 October 1980 in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

417. Paul Truman Statler (*Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 11 July 1938 in Bollinger, Missouri, United States.

Paul married **Mildred Arlene Blansett** on 22 February 1959 in Cardwell, Dunklin, Missouri, United States. Mildred was born on 2 July 1933 in Arkansas, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 462 M i. **David Paul Statler** was born on 25 January 1965 in Goldsboro, Wayne, North Carolina, United States.

David married **Patricia Lynn Hales** on 20 May 1989 in Columbia, Columbia Twp, Boone, Missouri, United States.
- + 463 F ii. **Mary Elizabeth Statler** was born on 3 September 1969 in Memphis, Shelby, Tennessee, United States.

Mary married **Timothy Leon Foley** on 5 November 1988 in Columbia, Columbia Twp, Boone, Missouri, United States.

418. Twyla Beth Bohnenkamp (*Earl Austin Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 September 1953.

419. David Wayne Bohnenkamp (*Earl Austin Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 16 July 1955.

David married **Sarah Ann Duncan**.

420. Edward Lee Bohnenkamp (*Henry Edward Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 January 1947.

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421. Linda Sue Bohnenkamp (*Henry Edward Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 February 1949.

Linda married **Michael Reed** on 13 July 1968.

422. Cynthia Ann Bohnenkamp (*Henry Edward Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 1 December 1951.

Cynthia married **Ralph Tisher** on 23 January 1971.

423. Stephen Henry Bohnenkamp (*Henry Edward Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 25 November 1960.

424. John Alan Bohnenkamp (*Henry Edward Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 26 June 1964.

John married **Patricia Barton** on 26 May 1984.

425. Marvin Hamilton Bohnenkamp (*Marvin Herman Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 October 1948.

426. Kenneth Avery Bohnenkamp (*Marvin Herman Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 18 August 1952.

427. Robin Marie Bohnenkamp (*Marvin Herman Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 17 April 1956.

428. Robert Scott Bohnenkamp (*Marvin Herman Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 6 May 1959.

429. Tracy Lynne Bohnenkamp (*Marvin Herman Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 16 June 1966.

430. Beverly Ann Fowler (*Lucy Thelma Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 16 June 1952.

Beverly married **Mark Kasten** on 26 April 1975.

Children from this marriage were:

+ 464 F i. **Amy Kasten.**

+ 465 F ii. **Jennifer Kasten.**

431. Brenda Kay Fowler (*Lucy Thelma Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 14 May 1956.

Brenda married **William Straussner** on 30 April 1983.

432. Virginia Ellen Cartwright (*Emmett Cartwright*⁵, *Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles*⁴, *Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 12 June 1925 in Lonedell, Prairie Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

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Virginia married **Benjamin William Burt II**, son of **Benjamin William Burt Senior** and **Lillian Della Mohr**, on 22 November 1972 in Steelville, Meramec Twp, Crawford, Missouri, United States. Benjamin was born on 23 October 1917 in Leadwood, Randolph Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 17 April 1995 in Saint Clair, Central Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States at age 77, and was buried in Bethel Baptist Church Cemetery, Lonedell, Boles Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 466 M i. **Benjamin Burt III** was born on 21 April 1954.
- + 467 F ii. **Susan Eilaine Burt** was born on 15 February 1960.

Susan married **James Reed**.

433. Diane N. Reed (*Harvey John Reed*⁵, *Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 25 December 1943 and died on 21 July 1996 at age 52.

Diane married **Clements**.

434. Michael Rueban Reed (*Harvey John Reed*⁵, *Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 27 September 1947 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

435. Thomas Keys Reed (*Harvey John Reed*⁵, *Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 September 1953 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

436. Stephen Peter Reed (*Harvey John Reed*⁵, *Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 December 1959 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States, died on 24 June 1979 in Park Hills, Saint Francois Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States at age 19, and was buried in June 1979 in Saint Francois Memorial Park, Desloge, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Social Security Death Index

Name:Stephen Reed **SSN:**499-76-1059 **Born:**19 Dec 1959 **Last Benefit:**63601 Park Hills, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States of America **Died:**Jun 1979 **State (Year) SSN issued:**Missouri (1977)

437. Barry Lynn Reed (*Harvey John Reed*⁵, *Rosie May Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 6 January 1962 in Bonne Terre, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

438. Leonard Thomas Hudson (*Hilda Marie Keys*⁵, *Thomas "Tom" Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 3 April 1946 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

439. John Gary Hudson (*Hilda Marie Keys*⁵, *Thomas "Tom" Keys*⁴, *Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton*³, *Alexander A. Sr.*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 23 April 1947 in Saint

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Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

440. Lissa Lee Hudson (*Hilda Marie Keys⁵, Thomas "Tom" Keys⁴, Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton³, Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 7 May 1949 in Kirkwood, Saint Louis (county), Missouri, United States.

Lissa married **McKenna**.

441. Felicia Dee Hudson (*Hilda Marie Keys⁵, Thomas "Tom" Keys⁴, Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" Blanton³, Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 17 November 1959 in Washington, Ohio, United States.

442. Martin Conrad Dyle (*Harry Carter Dyle Sr.⁵, Samuel James Tilden Dyle⁴, Nancy Catherine Pratt³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 25 July 1941 in Fort Leavenworth, Leavenworth, Kansas, United States, died on 29 April 2008 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States at age 66, and was buried in Crow Cemetery, Boone Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

443. Charles Lewis Pratt (*Lewis Francis Pratt⁵, Francis Columbus Pratt⁴, Henry Absalom Pratt³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 27 October 1938 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

444. Roger Lee Pratt (*Lewis Francis Pratt⁵, Francis Columbus Pratt⁴, Henry Absalom Pratt³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 3 August 1944 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

445. Dennie Allen Pratt (*Lewis Francis Pratt⁵, Francis Columbus Pratt⁴, Henry Absalom Pratt³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 10 April 1947 in Grandview, Jackson, Missouri, United States.

446. Ernest Francis Pratt (*Lewis Francis Pratt⁵, Francis Columbus Pratt⁴, Henry Absalom Pratt³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 28 February 1951 in Lee's Summit, Unity Twp, Jackson, Missouri, United States.

447. Val Jean Pratt (*Lewis Francis Pratt⁵, Francis Columbus Pratt⁴, Henry Absalom Pratt³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 16 July 1955 in Humansville, Johnson Twp, Polk, Missouri, United States.

448. Lori Anne Lea Pratt (*Lewis Francis Pratt⁵, Francis Columbus Pratt⁴, Henry Absalom Pratt³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 24 August 1967 in Topeka, Shawnee, Kansas, United States.

449. Boy Pratt (*Lewis Francis Pratt⁵, Francis Columbus Pratt⁴, Henry Absalom Pratt³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born from 1938 to 1944.

450. Brenda Lahmann (*Edward Rodney Lahmann⁵, Paul Lahmann⁴, Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" Pratt³, Mary Elizabeth "Betsy" Caroline Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*).

451. Troy Christopher Blanton (*David Eugene⁵, Walter Sanford⁴, Martin Van Buren³, Elbert "Albert" Sevier Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 25 December 1982 in Little Rock, Big Rock

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Twp, Pulaski, Arkansas, United States.

452. Andrea Blanton (*Raymond Harold*⁵, *Howard Browning Sr.*⁴, *James*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 2 January 1948 in Spokane, Spokane, Washington, United States.

Andrea married **Gary Lee Ott** on 2 September 1979.

453. David Lee Blanton (*Raymond Harold*⁵, *Howard Browning Sr.*⁴, *James*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 February 1949 in Spokane, Spokane, Washington, United States.

David married **Lynn Suzanne Sherbohn** on 12 December 1969.

454. Larry Ralph Blanton (*Ralph Coleman*⁵, *Howard Browning Sr.*⁴, *James*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 11 February 1951 in Mesa, Maricopa, Arizona, United States.

455. Terry Ruth Blanton (*Ralph Coleman*⁵, *Howard Browning Sr.*⁴, *James*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 4 December 1952 in Tempe, Maricopa, Arizona, United States.

456. Susan Joyce Blanton (*Roy Lewis*⁵, *Lloyd Jesse*⁴, *Jesse Van Buren*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 17 September 1950 in Sullivan, Meramec Twp, Franklin, Missouri, United States.

457. Donna Kay Blanton (*Roy Lewis*⁵, *Lloyd Jesse*⁴, *Jesse Van Buren*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹).

Donna married **Phillip Alan Davis** on 20 December 1969.

The child from this marriage was:

+ 468 M i. **Michael Phillip Davis** was born on 6 June 1971.

458. Leonard Roy Blanton (*Roy Lewis*⁵, *Lloyd Jesse*⁴, *Jesse Van Buren*³, *Henry Hubert*², *Abraham Absalom*¹).

Leonard married someone.

His children were:

+ 469 F i. **Jennifer Lynn Blanton** was born on 6 January 1974.

+ 470 M ii. **Jason Blanton** was born in 1976.

Abraham Absalom Blanton and Descendants

Seventh Generation (4th Great-Grandchildren)

459. Delba Sue Blaylock (*Mary Alice Statler⁶, Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp⁵, Amy Eva Sites⁴, Clara Emaline Allen³, Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 6 September 1955 in Poplar Bluff, Poplar Bluff Twp, Butler, Missouri, United States.

Delba married **Charles Lee Dawson** on 1 July 1978 in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States. Charles was born on 13 July 1945 in Farmington, Perry Twp, Saint Francois, Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 471 M i. **Richard James Dawson** was born on 10 April 1982.
- + 472 F ii. **Christina Jeanette Dawson** was born on 14 February 1984 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.
- + 473 F iii. **Melissa Dawn Dawson** was born on 14 February 1984 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

460. Paula Mariette Blaylock (*Mary Alice Statler⁶, Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp⁵, Amy Eva Sites⁴, Clara Emaline Allen³, Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 11 January 1958 in Springfield, Campbell Twp, Greene, Missouri, United States.

Paula married **Donald Gurlin** on 24 February 1978. The marriage ended in divorced no children.

The child from this marriage was:

- + 474 F i. **Rachel Suzanne Gurlin** was born on 14 February 1982 in Festus, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

Paula next married **Harold Douglas Beldon** on 10 December 1982 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States. Harold was born on 1 June 1951 in Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio, United States.

The child from this marriage was:

- + 475 F i. **Becky Marie Beldon** was born on 3 April 1983 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

461. Wesley Don Blaylock (*Mary Alice Statler⁶, Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp⁵, Amy Eva Sites⁴, Clara Emaline Allen³, Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 20 January 1961 in Lamar, Barton, Missouri, United States.

Wesley married **Paula Marie Wamble** on 18 October 1980 in Herculaneum, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States. Paula was born on 19 September 1962 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

Children from this marriage were:

- + 476 F i. **Amanda Marie Blaylock** was born on 19 June 1982 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.
- + 477 M ii. **Wesley Don Blaylock Jr.** was born on 7 May 1984 in Festus, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

462. David Paul Statler (*Paul Truman Statler⁶, Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp⁵, Amy Eva Sites⁴, Clara Emaline Allen³, Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 25 January 1965

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in Goldsboro, Wayne, North Carolina, United States.

David married **Patricia Lynn Hales** on 20 May 1989 in Columbia, Columbia Twp, Boone, Missouri, United States.

463. Mary Elizabeth Statler (*Paul Truman Statler⁶, Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp⁵, Amy Eva Sites⁴, Clara Emaline Allen³, Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 3 September 1969 in Memphis, Shelby, Tennessee, United States.

Mary married **Timothy Leon Foley** on 5 November 1988 in Columbia, Columbia Twp, Boone, Missouri, United States.

464. Amy Kasten (*Beverly Ann Fowler⁶, Lucy Thelma Bohnenkamp⁵, Amy Eva Sites⁴, Clara Emaline Allen³, Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*).

465. Jennifer Kasten (*Beverly Ann Fowler⁶, Lucy Thelma Bohnenkamp⁵, Amy Eva Sites⁴, Clara Emaline Allen³, Elizabeth Blanton², Abraham Absalom¹*).

466. Benjamin Burt III (*Virginia Ellen Cartwright⁶, Emmett Cartwright⁵, Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles⁴, Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton³, Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 21 April 1954.

467. Susan Eilaine Burt (*Virginia Ellen Cartwright⁶, Emmett Cartwright⁵, Nancy "Nannie" Mae Boles⁴, Catherine "Kate" Jane Blanton³, Alexander A. Sr.², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 15 February 1960.

Susan married **James Reed**.

468. Michael Phillip Davis (*Donna Kay Blanton⁶, Roy Lewis⁵, Lloyd Jesse⁴, Jesse Van Buren³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 6 June 1971.

469. Jennifer Lynn Blanton (*Leonard Roy⁶, Roy Lewis⁵, Lloyd Jesse⁴, Jesse Van Buren³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born on 6 January 1974.

470. Jason Blanton (*Leonard Roy⁶, Roy Lewis⁵, Lloyd Jesse⁴, Jesse Van Buren³, Henry Hubert², Abraham Absalom¹*) was born in 1976.

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Eighth Generation (5th Great-Grandchildren)

471. Richard James Dawson (*Delba Sue Blaylock*⁷, *Mary Alice Statler*⁶, *Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 10 April 1982.

472. Christina Jeanette Dawson (*Delba Sue Blaylock*⁷, *Mary Alice Statler*⁶, *Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 14 February 1984 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

473. Melissa Dawn Dawson (*Delba Sue Blaylock*⁷, *Mary Alice Statler*⁶, *Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 14 February 1984 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

474. Rachel Suzanne Gurlin (*Paula Mariette Blaylock*⁷, *Mary Alice Statler*⁶, *Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 14 February 1982 in Festus, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

475. Becky Marie Beldon (*Paula Mariette Blaylock*⁷, *Mary Alice Statler*⁶, *Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 3 April 1983 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

476. Amanda Marie Blaylock (*Wesley Don Blaylock*⁷, *Mary Alice Statler*⁶, *Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 19 June 1982 in Saint Louis (city), Missouri, United States.

477. Wesley Don Blaylock Jr. (*Wesley Don Blaylock*⁷, *Mary Alice Statler*⁶, *Mildred Marie Bohnenkamp*⁵, *Amy Eva Sites*⁴, *Clara Emaline Allen*³, *Elizabeth Blanton*², *Abraham Absalom*¹) was born on 7 May 1984 in Festus, Joachim Twp, Jefferson, Missouri, United States.

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A Little Something About Your Author.....

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At the age of 19, Tom Pratt embarked on a career in law enforcement. This experience gave him training in detective and investigative skills. Little did Mr. Pratt know, how useful these skills would be in the field of genealogy.

Tom Pratt started his family research career in 1975 after becoming a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. His first calling as a new member was to serve in the newly created genealogical department or known today as the Family History Center in the Springfield, Missouri ward. This two-year calling gave Mr. Pratt a tremendous amount of experience helping others to research their families.

In fact, he felt family research came easy and required little effort on his part. In reality, years of reading and studying increased his expertise and he made it look easy to others.

Over the course of several years, Mr. Pratt was asked by his church to instruct several family history courses. This experience established a deep profound love for family and ancestors.

It was not uncommon for Mr. Pratt to spend 4 to 8 hours a day researching and compiling family histories in addition to his duties, as an entrepreneur in the insurance business.

The first major achievement for Mr. Pratt was a breakthrough on his Pratt family back to the early 1800's. Not satisfied with just the direct line research, Mr. Pratt branched out to research all connected lines and allied families.

This dedication led to 42,000 individuals and achieved expert status for Mr. Pratt on the families of middle and eastern Missouri, eastern and western Tennessee and central North Carolina.

Concerning Mr. Pratt's style of research, he is a strong supporter of the "hands on" approach. When he took family vacations, they usually went to libraries, cemeteries, courthouses, National Archive centers, and visited family members in various states. He attended multi-state family reunions and obtained his material from the actual sources when possible.

A Little Something About Your Author.....

Being a researcher of the highest degree, in 1991, Mr. Pratt formed the Pratt Publications Company and offered to the public, a series of books titled, The Pratt Progenitor Papers. This series of volumes are a collection of legal documents, stories, pictures and historical presentations concerning the families of Missouri, Tennessee and North Carolina.

The first three Volumes were released to the public in 1991 and were issued to 18 different libraries including the Library of Congress and the St. Louis Public Library. The next 7 volumes were published with at total of 43 volumes scheduled for publication.

In 1996, Mr. Pratt formed the Genealogical Institute to further the education of serious researchers.

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Beginners and experienced researchers have found a treasure chest of knowledge when undertaking these courses. Mr. Pratt has taken the hobby of genealogy and has enhanced it into a science. Heavy on instructions concerning documentation, research procedures, alternative sources and common public records, this course is a valuable tool for the researcher. One of Mr. Pratt's favorite sections of the course is teaching researchers "how to stop" researching and compile their information for publication.

Upon completion of the educational courses from the Genealogical Institute, the graduate is awarded the **Master Accreditation of the Genealogical Institute. (M.A.G.I.)**

This designation is equivalent to a Doctorate Degree and signifies the recipient has been trained and demonstrated superior research techniques.

Mr. Pratt's ability in family history research has amazed many educated researchers. When Mr. Pratt is asked for help concerning their "brick wall" in their family research, his quick wit and logical mind rapid fires instructions and procedures so fast they cannot write the material quickly enough. Little do they realize this knowledge has been acquired over 30 years of experience and research.

In June of 2000, Mr. Pratt undertook a new and unprecedented task.

Outside of Washington, Franklin County, Missouri is an old cemetery called the Johnson-Caldwell Cemetery. This cemetery has many pioneer heroes and ancestors of various descendants from that region. Some of the inhabitants were born in the 1750's and traveled west to Missouri after the 1803 Louisiana Purchase.

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Mr. Pratt took down all the information off the headstones, including every person in the cemetery and researched each individual related or not. 1000 man-hours and two years later, he published the book "Johnson-Caldwell Cemetery of Franklin County, Missouri"© 2001.

Obtaining newspapers, legal documents, personal interviews with ancestors and researching various sources for any and all information concerning the history of the cemetery and the inhabitants produced this master text. What makes this book stand out among the rest is basic content and structure.

First, it is the only book to cover the known and reported inhabitants of an entire cemetery.

Second, this book reports on each inhabitant, their birth and activities throughout their life until their death, including their ancestors, spouses and children.

Third, even the index is unique, listing the individual and their father's name if known. This is extremely helpful when several individuals have the same given name.

Upon examination, professional researchers have hailed this body of work as a masterpiece and a standard in which all future research of cemeteries should be based. In their opinion, no one has ever produced a body of work about a cemetery as unique and professional as this publication.

Currently, Mr. Pratt is working on a series of books from the [Pratt Archive Collections](#), which is a series of biographical publications concerning a progenitor and a generation of descendants. This collection is a "cradle to grave" report, which covers the subject's ancestry, birth, marriage, children, and geographical domiciles as well as the political environment during the subject's lifetime.

In addition, Mr. Pratt is working on additional volumes of the Pratt Progenitor Papers and several books on public records.

With all these accomplishments, Mr. Pratt humbly refers to himself as a Genealogical Anthropologist...resurrecting progenitors.

We in the genealogical world are deeply grateful to be associates of a man of Mr. Pratt's caliber. Through his dedication to helping the novice as well as the professional researcher, future generations will benefit by his advances in the genealogical field.

In addition, we are thankful for the inspiration that sparks men like Mr. Pratt to magnify their love for people and history. We feel, with a lifetime dedicated to the genealogical pursuit of truth and knowledge, Mr. Pratt's accumulative body of work, will stand as a quintessential manifestation of this divine love.

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Remember, the family history information that is so easily exchanged today by computer was acquired over years and years of on-site research. While many were engaged in raising families, working for income, and surviving, genealogist researchers did these things **AND** spent their free time in pursuit of the truth about their ancestors. This pursuit required great sacrifice of time, effort and money. Many researchers went to the actual locations to view the marriage, deed, death and birth records including visiting the cemeteries across the United States and foreign countries. This is why it is important to follow the above guidelines; by doing so, you give respect to their work and honor to their memory. Thank You.

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ABRAHAM ABSALOM BLANTON AND DESCENDANTS

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After 35 years of researching, I checked ancestry.com for updates on the Blanton family. It appears that none of the 24 Blanton trees listed can agree as to the origin of the Blanton family.

Since I do not have the time or energy to investigate this family in detail the way it should have been investigated, I am starting with what I have investigated and can prove and that is John Blanton who moved to Harlan County, Kentucky, then moved to Greene County, Tennessee and died in Monroe County, Tennessee.

Other researchers have said that Thomas Blanton Sr. from Essex County, Virginia to his son; Thomas Blanton Jr. of Caroline County, Virginia, to his son John Blanton Sr. to Harlan County, Kentucky, then Greene County, Tennessee. But, they offer no proof. (bridges)

Two of John's sons; Joshua & Bethanie (**HARMON**) Blanton (PPP Volume 30) and brother; Abraham Absalom & Cynthia (**PRATT**) Blanton and families came to Washington County, Missouri and settled in the region. Since I have researched Joshua and Absalom families in detail I will offer two PPP Volumes to cover those families.

- 8 Generations of Abraham Absalom Blanton's descendants are in this volume:

Abraham Absalom & 1st Cynthia Ann (**PRATT**) Blanton

(See PPP volume 1 for the Cynthia's brother Henry Pratt and descendants)

James & 1st Margaret Green (**GOFORTH**) Blanton

Green G. Blanton

James & 2nd Nancy (**ADAMS**) Blanton

James & 3rd Nancy H. (**STEVENSON**) Blanton

Elizabeth (**BLANTON**) & John D. Allen

Eliza Ann (**ALLEN**)

Catherine Frances "Kate" (**ALLEN**) & Thomas Kitchen

John D. & Ruth Minerva (**MATLOCK**) Allen

Elizabeth M. (**ALLEN**)

Mary Jane (**ALLEN**)

Henry & 1st Margaret (**CAIN**) Allen

Henry & 2nd Dora () Allen

William "Will" Mitchell & Lillian Margaret A. "Lillie" (**HANSON**) Allen

Walter Franklin & Pearlina (**STUDDARD**) Allen

Drusella Lucille "Drusie" (**ALLEN**) & Alexander "Alex" Dyle

Richard Joseph & Eunice Fay (**HAUKINS**) Allen

Ethel Lee (**ALLEN**) & 1st William Edwards Eads

Ethel Lee (**ALLEN**) & 2nd Earl Bly



Lucille Elvira Louisa "Lou" (**ALLEN**) & Cyrus Frank Snyder

Clara Emaline (**ALLEN**) & William Seymour Sites

Etta Viola (**SITES**) & Pinkney Albert Carter

Minnie Myrtle (**SITES**) & William John Bohnenkamp

Amy Eva (**SITES**) & Samuel David Bohnenkamp

Thomas Wesley "Wick" Sites

Walter Sites

William Jasen Sites

Mary Elizabeth (**SITES**) & Oscar Schlater

Lillian Ethel (**SITES**) & William Frederick Summer

Gladys (**SITES**) & Carl Ross

Della Evelyn (**SITES**)

Wilbur Elmer & Lela Ethel (**BARTON**) Sites

Alexander A. Sr. & 1st Nancy Maria (**PRATT**) Blanton family

Catherine "Kate" Jane (**BLANTON**) & Charles "Charley" W. Boles

Frances "Fannie" B. (**BOLES**) & William J. Otto

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Jessie L. (**BOLES**)

Alexander A. Jr. & Eliza Jane "Jennie" (**DACE**) Blanton

Rilla Ethel (**BLANTON**) & Harry Herman Graham

Ralph McDonald Sr. & Annabell Alcey (**BATES**) Blanton

Absalom B. & Martha Ellen (**JACKSON**) Blanton

Arthur "Joker" & Mary Elizabeth (**FENTON**) Blanton

Lottie (**BLANTON**) & Mahlon E. Keyes

Dulio "Duel" & Eliza (**STATER**) Blanton

Augustus "Gus" & Hannah Eliza (**BURLEY**) Blanton

Nancy Maria "Nanny" "Queenie" (**BLANTON**) & William E. "Uncle Bill" Keys

Rosie May (**KEYS**) & John Harvey Reed

Birdie (**KEYS**) & Hedgeman "Red" Asbridge

Thomas "Tom" & 1st Malissa Pearl (**NEFF**) Keys

Thomas "Tom" & 2nd Betty (**HILLARD**) Keys

Theresa "Tressie" (**KEYS**) & Alexander Bailey

Eva (**KEYS**) & 1st Otis "Odie" Chester Miller

Eva (**KEYS**) & 2nd John Hogan

Isabelle "Belle" (**BLANTON**) & James H. Eads

Maude (**EADS**) & James William Cain

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Charles Clark

Carric (**CLARK**)

Albert Clark

Alice (**CLARK**)

Minnie (**CLARK**)

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Drucilla (**BIGLEY**) & William Kennedy

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Leona Bell (**BIGLEY**)
Roy John Bigley
Sarah Marie (**BIGLEY**) & Thomas Calvin Geurin
Gladys Jewell (**BIGLEY**)
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Alexander A. Sr. & 2nd Catherine (**KIMBERLIN**) Blanton family
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Malinda Jane (**PRATT**) & Isaac Campbell
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Andrew Jackson "Jack" & 2nd Rachel M. (**STROUP**) Campbell
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Laura Jane (**CAMPBELL**) & Arthur Austin West
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Mary F. (**PRATT**)
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Alexander Pratt
James A. Pratt
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Homer Clarence & 2nd Juanita () Blanton
Gracie (**BLANTON**)
Orville Lewis Sr. & Irene Matilda (**TERRY**) Blanton
John Absalom Jr. & Phoebe (**BLANTON**) Pratt
Henry Pratt
William & 1st Thelma L. (**BLACKBURN**) Pratt
William & 2nd _____ () Pratt
Jesse Pratt
Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) & 1st Burton Cain
Burton Alexander & Shrilda Jane L. (**LUTTRELL**) Cain
Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) & 2nd Louis Gumpenberger
Lula Elizabeth "Bettie" (**PRATT**) & 3rd Alfred Lahmann
Jesse J. Lahmann
Lydia (**LAHMANN**)
Paul Lahmann



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Martin Elmer Sr. & Maude Mae (**FLAGG**) Claspill
Mary E. (**CLASPILL**) & James E. Light
Absalom & Clara (**KEY**) Blanton
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Walter Scott & Margaret Hattie (**SCHALLENBERG**) Brandt
Bertha Ellen (**BRANDT**) & Charles Lee Moss
William Carl & Daisy Maisy (**CALVERT**) Brandt
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John Brandt
Mary Ellen (**BLANTON**) & 1st Harvey James Simmons
Phoebe E. (**SIMMONS**) & _____ White
William Seth Simmons
Carl Herbert & Maude (**CAMPBELL**) Simmons
Mary Ellen (**BLANTON**) & 2nd Albert W. Fraseur
Sarah Ann (**BLANTON**) & Michael Edward Dace Jr.
James Martin & Ardelia Genevieve (**HILL**) Dace
Oskar Eugene & Minerva Ann (**RECORD**) Dace
Neoma (**DACE**)
Mary Elizabeth (**DACE**) & William Reuben Summers
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Edna (**SOUDERS**)
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Earl Robert Souders
Pearl (**SOUDERS**)
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Della (**BLANTON**)
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Geraldine (**BLANTON**)
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William Monte Pullen

Bethany (**BLANTON**)

William Robert General Lee Blanton

Katherine Jane "Jennie" (**BLANTON**)

Luther "Joker" Blanton

Martin Van Buren Blanton

Abraham Absalom & 2nd Nancy (**CARTER**) Pratt Blanton

Of course all 8 generations are not represented in the above list, but they are on the disc.
Therefore, this list of surnames below is only a partial list.

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